

**Joseph Burke  
1881-1925  
Spanish-American War  
World War I**

Joseph Burke served in the Twenty-fourth Cavalry of the US Army during the Spanish American War. He later served with the Tenth Cavalry in training cadets at the US Military Academy (West Point) in New York during World War I. Born in Brooklyn, New York, he worked as a laborer before his enlistment in 1898 and again in 1915. Residing in Saint Augustine, Burke died in 1925 and is buried at the Saint Augustine National Cemetery.

## Fredrick A. Burke

mentioned in the record of Joseph Alexander Burke

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Name:	Fredrick A. Burke
Sex:	Male
Wife:	<a href="#">Sarah Clarke</a>
Son:	<a href="#">Joseph Alexander Burke</a>

### Other information in the record of Joseph Alexander Burke

from New York Births and Christenings

Name:	<a href="#">Joseph Alexander Burke</a>
Gender:	Male
Birth Date:	19 Mar 1881
Birthplace:	Brooklyn, Kings, New York
Father's Name:	Fredrick A. Burke
Mother's Name:	<a href="#">Sarah Clarke</a>

“Joseph Burke.” New York Births.  
Burke born in March 19, 1881 in Brooklyn, NY.  
Parents Fredrick Burke and Sarah Clarke.



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## REGISTER OF ENLISTMENTS,

NO.	NAMES	1898		ENLISTED.		WHERE BORN.		AGE	OCCUPATION	DESCRIPTION			
		WHEN.	WHERE.	BY WHOM.	PERIOD.	TOWN OR COUNTRY.	STATE.			EYES.	HAIR.	COMPLEXION.	HEIGHT.
4100	Bachtel, Thomas E.	Oct. 13	St. Louis, Mo.	Capt. Sweet	3 yrs.	De Witt	Mo.	23	Hostler	blue	blonde	fair	57
✓	Bachstein, Richard	18	"	"	"	St. Louis	"	30	Laborer	brown	d. br.	dark	59 1/2
✓	Bester, William L.	19	"	"	"	Indianapolis	Ind.	24	Barber	blue	"	fair	56 1/2
✓	Bachr, Eugene J.	24	"	"	"	St. Louis	Mo.	21	Watchmaker	brown	"	"	57
✓	Binkard, Alfred W.	24	"	"	"	Des Moines	Ia.	22	Bus Driver	blue	"	dark	54 1/2
✓	Bulmahn, Edward J.	26	"	"	"	St. Louis	Mo.	22	Engineer	"	"	"	58
✓	Burnes, Matthew	28	"	"	"	Syracuse	N.Y.	23	Laborer	"	"	"	57 1/4
✓	Barry, Jesse W.	29	"	"	"	Hillboro	Ill.	27	Lawyer	"	black	"	61 1/2
✓	Boyd, James	31	"	"	"	Chester	S.C.	26	Cook	brown	"	medium	56 1/2
✓	Brown, Charles E.	1	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	St. Switzer	"	Shuckhammock	Pa.	19	Printer	blue	"	reddy	57
4110	Bullock, Frederick	14	Harrisburg	"	"	Proctorville	"	27	Roller	brown	"	"	58
✓	Binnett, Bolton	14	"	"	"	Sheffield	England	21	Machinist	blue	"	"	57
✓	Brady, Arthur L.B.	14	"	"	"	Harrisburg	Pa.	22	Blacksmith	"	black	"	57
✓	Barnes, Harvey F.	14	"	"	"	Warfields	Ind.	26	Laborer	"	"	"	58
✓	Brunner, Marson J.	18	"	"	"	Churchville	Pa.	25	"	"	"	"	54
✓	Brady, Charles J.	18	"	"	"	Harrisburg	"	19	Brander	brown	"	"	56
✓	Boone, Clarence W.	18	"	"	"	"	"	18	Laborer	blue	"	"	57
✓	Buser, Charles W.	18	"	"	"	Uniontown	Pa.	21	Steel worker	"	"	"	54 1/2
✓	Burke, Frank	26	Connellsville	"	"	Redwell	"	20	Laborer	brown	black	"	55
✓	Boze, Adam	28	"	"	"	"	Germany	27	"	"	"	"	5
4120	Barnes, James	29	"	"	"	"	Ireland	21	Brickman	blue	"	"	54 1/2
✓	Bickford, Edwin	7	St. Hamilton, N.Y.	Spinks	"	Camden	Maine	44	Soldier	"	"	"	58 1/2
✓	Blood, William W.	15	"	"	"	Ironton	N.J.	37	"	blue	"	"	57 1/2
✓	Blet, Leon Y.	17	San Francisco, Cal.	Sherratt	"	Paris	France	20	Dyer	brown	black	dark	56 1/2
✓	Burgess, Fred O.	22	"	"	"	Denton	Wyo.	29	Soldier	blue	"	reddy	59 1/2
✓	Bunbreck, William	15	Des Moines, Ia.	Stephens	"	Schwarzenberg	Germany	27	Stone mason	brown	"	flour	57
✓	Burke, Joseph	10	St. Francis, Mo.	Stewart	"	Brooklyn	N.Y.	19	Laborer	"	black	medium	59 1/2
✓	Bertelsen, Axel E.	1	New York City	Capt. Taylor	"	Copenhagen	Denmark	28	Seaman	"	"	fair	55 1/2
✓	Butler, Joseph P.	11	"	"	"	Richmond	Va.	19	Porter	"	black	Porter	57
✓	Booth, Glen P.	17	"	"	"	Union	Conn.	25	Soldier	blue	black	fair	57 1/2
4130	Brown, Joe	24	"	"	"	Richmond	Va.	21	Sailor	brown	black	dark	56
✓	Benson, Donald P.	25	"	"	"	Rudson	N.Y.	25	Soldier	blue	"	"	56 1/2
✓	Burke, Thomas P.	26	"	"	"	New York City	"	21	"	brown	"	"	56 1/2
✓	Bowman, Jesse A.	3	Cleveland, O.	Silliman	"	Augusta	Vt.	26	Butcher	blue	"	fair	57 1/2
✓	Beattie, Robert	5	"	"	"	"	Canada	25	Carpenter	"	"	fair	57 1/4
✓	Bates, Fred	7	"	"	"	Rockport	Chc.	18	Laborer	"	"	"	57
✓	Brouse, Albert J.	7	"	"	"	Cleveland	"	18	Machinist	"	"	black	54 1/4
✓	Beard, James H.	10	"	"	"	Denton	"	27	Butcher	blue	"	"	59 1/2
✓	Baker, Herbert E.	13	"	"	"	Greensburg	"	23	Laborer	"	"	"	56 1/2
✓	Bartholomew, Lucian M.	13	"	"	"	Geneva	"	21	Soldier	"	"	"	56 1/2
4140	Boone, Clark D.	14	"	"	"	Blissfield	"	21	Sailor	blue	"	"	56 1/2

"Joseph Burke." U.S. Army, Register of Enlistments. (Left)  
 Burke enlisted in St. Francis Barracks (Saint Augustine, FL).  
 October 10, 1898.



# UNITED STATES ARMY.

REGIMENT.	CO.	LAST SERVICE	REMARKS.
REGIMENT.	CO.	DATE OF DISCHARGE.	REMARKS.
8 Cav.	M.	Dischd. May 19/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, N.Y. Port. Good.	
10 Inf.	F.	Dischd. April 23/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, Matanzas, Cuba. Port. Good.	
10 Inf.	B.	Dischd. March 17/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, Key West Fla., Fla. Port. Excellent.	
8 Cav.	K.	Dischd. June 7/99, S.O. 126 ago/99, Fort Hamilton, N.Y. Port. Good.	
15 Inf.	C.	2 6 1/2 m/99 Dischd. May 16/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Good.	
8 Cav.	E.K.	Dischd. May 16/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Good.	
10 Inf.	D.	2 5 1/2 m/99 Dischd. Aug 7/99, S.O. 187 Dischd. Matanzas/99, at Matanzas, Cuba. Port.	
10 Inf.	B.	2 6 5 1/2 m/99 Dischd. Oct 28-1901, Eagle, Fla., exp. of service, Epl., Exclt.	
20 Inf.	B.	Dischd. Oct 28-01, Camp Ballance Manila, P.I. Exp. of service, Port. Very Good.	
2 Art.	D.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Exclt.	
12 Inf.	A.	Dischd. Feb 1/99, tele. instr. ago/99, at Jefferson Barr. Mo. Port.	
2 Art.	D.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Exclt.	
2 Art.	D.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Good.	
2 Art.	D.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Exclt.	
2 Art.	K.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Exclt.	
2 Art.	K.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Good.	
2 Art.	K.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Exclt.	
2 Art.	K.	Died July 27/99, of Pneumonia, fatal, on ship, Missouri, Havana Harbor, Port.	Not med.
2 Art.	C.	Dischd. May 12/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, New York City, Port. Exclt.	
2 Art.	1st Lt.	Dischd. Oct 28-01, Havana, Cuba, Exp. of service, Port. Excellent.	
2 Art.	L.	Dischd. Oct 28-01, Havana, Cuba, Exp. of service, Port. Excellent.	
Art. 1st Lt.	6 1st Lt.	Dischd. Oct 28-01, Ft. Hamilton, N.Y. Exp. of service, Port. Excellent.	
50th 1st Lt.	4 1st Lt.	Dischd. Oct 28-01, Fort Hancock, N.J. Exp. of service, Port. Excellent.	
4 Cav.	32 Inf.	Dec Jan. 7/99.	
3 Art.	35-1st Lt.	3 6 1/2 m/99 Dischd. Oct 28-01, Ft. Monroe, Va. Exp. of service, Port. Excellent.	
5 Cav.	F.	Dischd. April 15/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, Libonilla, P.I. Port. Exclt.	
24 Inf.	A.	Dischd. Feb 1/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, Fort Douglas, Utah, Port. Good.	
6 Inf.	M.	Dischd. Jan. 24/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, Fort Sam Houston, Tex. Port. Good.	
9 Cav.	K. L.	Dischd. Oct 10-1901, San Juan de los Rios, P.I., exp. of service, Port. Exclt.	
Str. Serv.	2 6 7 m/99	Dischd. April 19/99, at New York City, tele. instr. from ago/99, Port. Exclt.	
25 Inf.	A.	Dischd. Feb 1/99, at Fort Ramachuca, A.D. G.O. 40 ago/98, Port. Good.	
8 Cav.	A. E.	2 4 1/2 m/99 Dischd. Oct 28-1901, San Luis, Cuba, exp. of service, Port. Exclt.	
2 Cav.	L.	2 5 1/2 m/99 Dischd. Oct 28-1901, Pearl, Cuba, exp. of service, Epl., Exclt.	
Knop. Corps.		Dischd. Feb 1/99, at Louisville, Ala. per tele. from ago/99, Port. Good.	
Knop. Corps.		Died Feb 1/99, of Pneumonia, Anniston, Ala. Port.	Not med.
7 Cav.	G.	Dischd. April 28/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, Pinar del Rio, Cuba. Port. Indifferent.	
6 Art.	L.	Dischd. Jan. 20/99, G.O. 40 ago/98, Fort Wadsworth, N.Y. Port. Exclt.	
22 Inf.	B.	Dischd. Oct 9-1901, San Juan, P.I., exp. of service, Port. Exclt.	
Knop. Corps.		Dischd. March 11/99, at Thomas, Ky. per S.O. 5 m ago/99, Port. Char. Good.	
22 Inf.	B.	2 6 5 1/2 m/99 Dischd. Dec 29/98, G.O. 40 ago/98, Fort Crook, Neb. Port. Good.	
8 Cav.	M.	Dec. Nov. 20/98.	

“Joseph Burke.” U.S. Army, Register of Enlistments. (Right)  
 Burke served with the Twenty-fourth Infantry.  
 Discharged on February 1, 1899.

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Burke, Joseph 693,133 Colored  
(Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number) (Race: White or colored)

Residence: XX St Augustine FLORIDA  
(Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

\* Enlisted in R.A. at Washington Bks D.C. Jan 16/15. —  
† Born in Brooklyn N.Y. Age 35 9/12 yrs. —  
Organizations: Trp K 10 Cav to—; Cav Det U.S.M.A. to disch —

Grades: Bglr —

Engagements: XX —

Wounds or other injuries received in action: None. —

† Served overseas: No —

§ Hon. disch. May 1/19 to re-enlist. —

Was reported XX per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation. —

Remarks: —

Form No. 724-2½ A.G.O. \*Insert "R. A.", "N. G.", "E. H. C.", "N. A.", as case may be, follows, by place and date of enlistment. † Give place of birth and date of birth, or age at enlistment. ‡ Give dates of departure from and arrival in the United States. § Give date and cause.  
March 12, 1928.

“Joseph Burke.” WWI Service Card.  
 Burke enlisted at Washington Barracks in D.C.  
 Military Service: January 16, 1915 through May 1, 1919.



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**CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**  
State File No. **18375**

**1 PLACE OF DEATH**  
County St. John's District No. 4201  
Precinct St. Augustine Precinct No. 42512  
or (Write name, not number)  
Inc. Town St. Augustine City or Town No. St. Augustine  
or Florida (No. St. Augustine St. St. Augustine Ward St. Augustine)  
City St. Augustine (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

**2 FULL NAME** Joseph Burke  
(a) Residence, No. 18 Spanish St. St. Augustine Ward St. Augustine  
(Usual place of abode)  
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
<b>3 SEX</b> <u>male</u>	<b>4 COLOR OR RACE</b> <u>Colored</u>	<b>5 Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced</b> <u>Married</u>	<b>16 DATE OF DEATH</b> (Month, day and year) <u>12/22</u> <u>1925</u>	<b>17 I HEREBY CERTIFY</b> , That I attended deceased from <u>12/18</u> to <u>12/22</u> 19 <u>25</u>
<b>6a If married, widowed, or divorced</b> <b>HUSBAND of</b> <u>Eva Burke</u> <b>(or) WIFE of</b>			that I last saw him alive on <u>Dec 22</u> 19 <u>25</u>	
<b>6 DATE OF BIRTH</b> <u>Dec</u> <u>21</u> <u>1879</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)			and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at <u>3:40</u> m.	
<b>7 AGE</b> <u>46</u> yrs. <u>0</u> mos. <u>0</u> ds. or <u>inf.</u>			The <b>CAUSE OF DEATH</b> * was as follows: <u>Lobar Pneumonia</u>	
<b>8 OCCUPATION OF DECEASED</b> (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>Retired Soldier</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) (c) Name of employer			(duration) yrs. mos. ds. <u>9</u>	
<b>9 BIRTHPLACE</b> (city or town) <u>Brooklyn</u> (State or country) <u>NY</u>			<b>CONTRIBUTORY</b> (Secondary) (duration) yrs. mos. ds.	
<b>10 NAME OF FATHER</b> <u>Irish Burke</u> (City or Town) <u>St. Augustine</u> (State or country)			<b>18 Where was disease contracted</b> If not at place of death?	
<b>11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER</b> <u>St. Augustine</u> (State or country)			Did an operation precede death? <u>No</u> Date of <u>No</u>	
<b>12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER</b> <u>Sarah Clark</u> (City or Town) <u>St. Aug.</u> (State or country) <u>Fla.</u>			Was there an autopsy? <u>No</u>	
<b>13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER</b> <u>St. Aug.</u> (State or country)			What test confirmed diagnosis? (Signed) <u>H. E. White</u> M. D. <u>12/23/25</u> 19 (Address) <u>St. Augustine</u>	
<b>14 Informant</b> <u>Edgar Burke</u> (Address)			*State the Disease Causing Death, or in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and Nature of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal. (See reverse side for additional space.) <u>101A</u>	
<b>15 Filed</b> <u>Jan. 2nd</u> 19 <u>26</u> <u>C. J. White</u> Form N. S. No. <u>4</u> <u>St. Augustine</u>			<b>19 Place of Burial, Cremation, or Removal</b> <u>National Cemetery</u> Date of Burial or Removal <u>Dec 24</u> 19 <u>25</u>	
			<b>20 UNDERTAKER</b> <u>R. A. Ponce</u> <u>St. Aug.</u> <u>Fla.</u>	

LEAVEN IN plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

“Joseph Burke.” Florida Death Certificates.  
Burke died on December 22, 1925 in Saint Augustine.

WAR DEPARTMENT  
Q. M. C. Form No. 14  
Revised Oct. 6, 1928

Interment in the ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA. National Cemetery  
To—The Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

NAME			RANK	COMPANY	REGIMENT OR VESSEL			DIVISION, IF WORLD WAR SOLDIER
					Number	State	Arm	
BURKE, JOSEPH			MUSN. & Corpl.	B D.E.M.L.	24th		U.S. Inf. U.S.M.A. Det. Cav.	
FLA.								

  

DATE OF DEATH			DATE OF INTERMENT			GRAVE MARK		REMARKS Date of discharge and number of Pension Certificate, Disinterments, etc.
Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	Section	Grave No.	
Dec.	22	1925				A	204	

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Superintendent.

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“Joseph Burke.” Cemetery Interment Control Forms.  
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