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George Junior Downings

1925 – 1946

Steward's Mate First Class: United States Naval Reserve

World War II

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HASTINGS CITY DIRECTORY (1927)

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Deggs Emma (c) maid
Denson Jesse (c) carp r Daisy Dowling
Diggs Chas (c; Lillie M) farmer h Boulevard
DITSON ANNIE J MRS (Carlisle's), r New Smyrna
Dixon Clara (c) dom r Jane Wilson
Donaldson Fanny dom r Robt Donaldson
Donaldson Robt (c; Lula) lab
Dorwart John J (Lula J) formn Whitehouse Barrel Co
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Douglass Martha tchr Hastings Pub Sch
Dowling Daisy confr
Dowling Ida (c) Indrs h Federal Point rd
Dowling Peter (c) farmer r R Dowling
Dowling R (c) farmer h Federal Point rd
Downing Geo (c; Lener) farmer h Boulevard
Downing Smart (c; Lener) farmer h Boulevard
Drayer Henry (c; Emma) potato grower
Drexel Hubbard L (c) barber Railroad
Drummonds Ibbie (wid Mack) furn rms h Park av

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Dunaway Carl farmer r E D Dunaway
Dunaway Edw D (Sallie) farmer h Spuds
Dunaway Eug lab r E D Dunaway
Dunaway Fredk farmer r E D Dunaway
Duncan Howard mech r Jackson McCullough
DuPont Elmo G (Leda) clk F E C h Dixie Highway cor
Church
DU PONT LEDA C MRS, Stenographer Bank of Hastings,
r Main
Durant Leola (c) student r Sidney Durant
Durant Sidney (c; Hattie) lab
Durham Giles (c; Mary) lab h Washington
Dyer Herbert R (Charlotte W) asst mgr Whitehouse Bar-
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Dyer Wm W (Jessie V) prop Whitehouse Barrel Co r
Palatka rd 4 mi w
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Dyes Robt farmer r Geo Dyes

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George's Parents in the 1927 St. Augustine City Directory

“U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Downing, St Augustine, Florida.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/662616676:2469>

St. Johns - COUNTY

POPULATION CENSUS 1935

PRECINCT NO. 9

NAME	ADDRESS	SEX	AGE	RACE	RELATION TO HEAD OF FAMILY	PLACE OF BIRTH (If in U. S. give name of State, Territory or Name of Country)	GRADE OF EDUCATION	STATUS OF MARRIAGE	OCCUPATION
George Downing	Elkhart	male	40	Colored	father	South Carolina	Grade 8	renter	farmer laborer
Amos	"	male	13	"	son	"	"	"	pupil
Nathanial	"	male	12	"	son	"	"	"	"
Elkhart	"	male	8	"	son	Florida	"	"	"
George " Jr.	"	male	6	"	son	"	"	"	"
Marilee	"	female	14	"	daughter	South Carolina	"	"	"
Pauline	"	female	13	"	daughter	"	"	"	"
Amey Lee	"	female	6	"	son	Florida	"	"	"
Freddie	"	female	3	"	daughter	"	"	"	"
Hattie May	"	female	5	"	daughter	"	"	"	"
Walter	"	male	40	"	brother	North Carolina	Grade 8	renter	meat market
John Bennett	"	male	45	"	father	Georgia	Illiterate	"	housewife
John Robinson	Hastings	male	35	"	brother	Florida	"	"	housewife
Winnie	"	female	28	"	wife	"	Grade 8	"	housewife
Laurie Kirby	"	female	22	"	wife	South Carolina	"	"	housewife
Laurie	"	female	39	"	wife	Florida	"	"	housewife
Sam Small	"	male	20	"	son	"	"	"	housewife
Robert	"	male	26	"	brother	"	"	"	housewife
Joe Lewis	"	male	22	"	brother	"	"	"	"
Hattie May	"	female	4	"	son	"	"	"	"
Ben	"	male	4	"	son	"	"	"	"
Joe " Jr.	"	male	3	"	daughter	"	"	"	"
Bonita	"	female	7	"	"	"	"	"	"
Willie May	"	female	1	"	"	"	"	"	"
Laurie Lee	"	female	41	"	father	Georgia	Grade 8	renter	farmer
Robert Vickers	"	male	40	"	brother	"	"	"	housewife
Vinnie	"	female	21	"	brother	"	"	"	farmer
Glover	"	male	17	"	"	"	"	"	"
Robert	"	male	15	"	"	"	"	"	"
Artie	"	male	13	"	daughter	"	"	"	pupil
Ellie Beatrice	"	female	8	"	husband	"	"	"	farmer
Townsend Turner	"	male	34	"	wife	"	"	"	housewife
Pauline	"	female	53	White	father	"	"	"	no occupation
Thomas J. Butler	"	male	50	"	brother	"	"	"	housewife
Maggie	"	female	19	"	son	"	"	"	farmer
Lawrence	"	male	14	"	daughter	"	"	"	pupil
Louise	"	female	22	"	father	"	"	"	farmer
B. J. Butler	"	male	22	"	brother	"	High School	"	housewife
Wildred	"	male	0	"	daughter	Florida	"	"	"
Nathanial Grace	"	male	55	"	husband	New York	Grade 8	owner	fisherman
Carson (Ruger)	Riversdale	male	60	"	wife	"	High School	"	housewife
Sophia	"	female	43	"	brother	"	Illiterate	"	fisherman
Patsey Tugger	"	female	75	"	widow	South Carolina	High School	"	housewife
Amiel L. Seashy	"	male	62	"	"	Florida	"	"	farmer
Mrs. Louis Edminister	Elkhart	female	29	"	son	"	"	"	"
Jack C.	"	male	50	Colored	brother	South Carolina	Illiterate	renter	infanter
Frank Thompson	Hastings	male	49	"	"	Georgia	Grade 8	"	"
Wan Miers	"	female	45	"	widow	"	"	owner	servant
Wannie Howard	"	female	48	"	"	Penn.	"	"	housewife
Orville Mungus	Vermont Heights	male	78	White	"	"	"	"	"

Outside 50 White 117 ✓ Black 1130 ✓
 77 7 " 16 ✓
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1935 Florida State Census

"Florida, U.S., State Census, 1867-1945," database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Downing Jr, St. Johns, Florida.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2350548:1506>

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 Downings Geo (c; Lena) lab h48 Christopher
 Dowty Frank E (Rebecca N) policeman h25 Bridge
 Doyle Munsey F (Doyle's Auto Electric Service) r181 San
 Marco av
 Doyle's Auto Electric Service (Munsey F Doyle) auto reprs
 3 Sanchez av
 Drake Carrie W Mrs r32 Sevilla
 Drakos Lula sten Fla Sch for the Deaf and the Blind r54
 Charlotte
 Drakos Martha sten Thompson-Ryman Realty Co r54 Char-
 lotte
 Drakos Nicholas ticket sorter FECRYCo r54 Charlotte
 Drakos Peter (Ellen) shoe repr 123 StAugustine h54 Char-
 lotte
 Drayton Clara (c) maid r11 Elkton
 Drayton Florence (c) r11 Elkton
 Drayton Flossie (c) cook r11 Elkton
 Drayton Jos (c) lab r121 Railroad av
 Drayton Minnie (c) cook r11 Elkton
 Drazba Leonard dir City Recreation Dept r16 Saragossa
 Drinkard Anson K (Jacquelin) dept mgr h27 Locust
 Drinks Simmie (c; Laura B) lab h39 Spring av
 Driscoll May nurse Flagler Hosp
 Driz & Charlie (W Irwin Drysdale, F Chas Usina) liquors 23
 King
 Drugless Clinic (Dr Dansom C Conley) mineral baths 12
 Bay
 Dryb Walter (Marion) tchr h1010 Charles
 Drydale Bertha O h31 Saragossa
 Drysdale Alvin Z (Amy M) h4 Grove av
 Drysdale Evelyn Mrs reporter Record Co r144 Marine
 Drysdale W Irwin (Evelyn; Driz & Charlie) r144 Marine
 Dubbs Cleaning & Pressing (Waldo L Dubbs) 212 StGeorge
 Dubbs Ray C (Lola) compositor Record Co h155 Cardova
 Dubbs Waldo L (Margt; Dubbs Cleaning & Pressing) h9 Alf-
 red
 DuBois Apartments 15 Bridge
 DuBois Mabel V (wid Wm H) h11 Bridge
 Dubois Roert (Veda M) agt United Life Ins Co r Port Orange
 Duckett Ruby (c) cook r91 StBenedict
 Duclo Abr r44½ (2) StGeorge
 Dudley Seth (c) lab h38 Bernard av
 Dugdale Geo h2 Ballard av
 Duhart Thos P Rev (c; Hortense) pastor New StPaul A M E
 Church h84 StBenedict
 Duncan Phelonies (c) lab r146 Central av
 Duncan Robt (c; Hattie) lab r239 Iberia
**DUNHAM DAVID R (Georgia S; Dunham & Meitin), Attor-
 ney-at-Law StAugustine National Bank Bldg, 60 Cathed-
 ral Place, Tel 257, h Comatchie Island, Tel 845**
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 Augustine Beach (Anastasia Island)
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**DUNHAM & MEITIN (David R Dunham, Amadeo A Meitin),
 Attorneys StAugustine National Bank Bldg 60 Cathedral
 pl, Tel 257 (See page 11 Buyers' Guide)**

George's Parents in the 1937 St. Augustine City Directory

“U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Downing, St Augustine, Florida.

<https://www.ancestry.com/imageviewer/collections/2469/images/15036298>

State Board of Health
Bureau of Vital Statistics

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
FLORIDA

State File No. 16343
Registrar's No. 79

1. PLACE OF DEATH:
(a) County St. John District No. 4201
(b) Precinct _____ Precinct No. _____
(c) City or town St. Augustine City or town No. 4254
(d) Name of hospital or institution 486 Christopher St.
(If not in hospital or institution, write street number or location)
(e) Length of stay: In hospital or institution _____
In this community 20 years
(Specify whether years, months or days)

2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED:
(a) State Fla (b) County St. John
(c) City or town St. Augustine
(If outside city or town limits, write RURAL)
(d) Street No. 486 Christopher Street
(If rural, give location)
(e) If foreign born, how long in U. S. A. ? _____ years

3. FULL NAME OF DECEASED George Downing

3 (a) If veteran, name war No 3 (b) Social Security No. None

4. Sex Male 5. Color or race Colored

6. Single, married, widowed or divorced Married
6 (a) If married, widowed or divorced, husband of (or) wife of Lena Downing
6 (b) Age of husband or wife, if alive 50 years

7. Birth date of deceased Don't know 1891
(month) (day) (year)

8. Age: Years 48 Months _____ Days _____ If less than one day _____ hrs. _____ min.

9. Birthplace Bombardier, Ala
(City, town or county) (State or foreign country)

10. Usual occupation Farmer

11. Industry or business Alagator Farm

12. Name George Downing
12. Birthplace Bombardier, Ala

14. Maiden name Hanna Downings
15. Birthplace Bombardier, Ala

16. Informant's Signature Lena Downing
16 (a) Address 486 Christopher St.

17. Burial, cremation or removal? Hospice Fla
17 (a) Date 9-21-39 17 (b) Place Hospice

18. Funeral Director's Signature E. J. Johnson
18 (a) Address St. Augustine, Fla

19. Filed Sept 21 1939 Chas. E. Little
Local Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION
20. Date of Death: Month 9th Day 16th Year 1939 hour 11 Minute 30 A.M.
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from Aug 31 1939 to Sept 16 1939
that I last saw him alive on Sept 11 1939
and that death occurred on the date and hour stated above.
Immediate cause of death Myocardial infarction
Chronic myo-
carditis
Due to Chronic myo-
carditis
Due to Chronic myo-
carditis
Other conditions _____
(Include pregnancy within 3 months of death)

Major findings:
of operations None
(Give date of operation)
of autopsy None

Underline the cause to which death should be charged statistically.

22. If death was due to external causes, fill in the following:
(a) Accident, suicide, homicide (specify) _____
(b) Date of occurrence _____
(c) Where did injury occur? _____
(City or town) (County) (State)
(d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place? _____
(Specify type of place)
(e) While at work? _____
(e) Means of injury _____

23. Signature J. P. F. F. F. M. D.
(a) Address 74 B. B. B. Date Signed 9-21-39

Death Certificate for George's Father

"Florida Deaths, 1877-1939," database, *FamilySearch* (familysearch.org: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Downing, St. Augustine, St. Johns, Florida.

<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FPDS-T3L>

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Dixon Silas H (Wilma) city policeman h109 Orange
 Dixon Wm driver West Side Taxi r37 Palmer
DODD JULIUS B (Aurrie), V-Pres Exchange Bank of St Augustine, h38 Fullerwood dr, Tel 662
 Dodd Julius B jr r38 Fullerwood dr
 Dodd Julius R (Genie) mach FECRyCo h20 Park av
 Dodd Minnie Mrs r56 Marine
 Dodge Clarence B (Lydia E) clk PO h24 Locust
 Dodge Emma J (wid Jas P) h35 Mulberry
DODGE AND PLYMOUTH MOTOR CARS, J O Miller's Garage Dealers, 90 Riberia, Tel 77 (For further information see back cover and page 6 Buyers' Guide)
 Dohn Geo L (Nellie M) h58 Osceola
 Dollar Byron (Myrtle D) slsmn h16 Mulberry
 Doniville Howard student r74 South
 Doniville Saml (Martha) capt h74 South
 Donoho O Rex (Olive) emp FECRyCo h23 Sevilla
 Donovan Jas (Nora) r27 Hypolita
 Don Toledo House museums 36 Aviles
 Dopperson Jack (c; Dolly) lab h Denmark Qtrs
 Dorminy Dewey C (Dorothy) agt Ry Exp Agcy h76 Lemon
 Doscher Eliz Mrs h11 Saragossa
 Doscher Vedder r11 Saragossa
 Dougall Edith (wid Duncan) h6 South
 Douglas Alonzo (c) sexton Memorial Presbyterian Church h158 Blanco
 Douglas Fred (c) r80 Bridge
 Douglas Helen r8 Pacific
 Douglas Joshua H (Lucile B) h15 Arpieka av apt 6 (Davis Shores)
 Douglas Palmer L (Frances E) emp FECRyCo h8 Pacific
 Dove Bessie B (c) maid Marion Hotel r10 Whitney av
 Dove Jacob (c; Bessie) fishermn r10 Whitney av
 Dover Leila Mrs r348 Charlotte
 Dowling Geo J (Dorothy C) bkpr h26 Cadiz
 Dowling Geo J jr student r26 Cadiz
 Downing Lena (c) h40 Christopher
 Dowty Frank E (Rebecca) constable h31 Bridge
 Doyle Munsey F (Verona G; Doyle's Auto Electric) h26 Vedder
 Doyle's Auto Electric (Munsey F Doyle) auto reprs 62 San Marco av
 Dozier Adolphus (c; Nettie) lab h132 Pomar
 Dozier Nettie M (c) waiter Old Spanish Inn r132 Pomar
 Drake Carrie W Mrs r32 Sevilla
 Drake Larence M waiter Buckingham Hotel r8 Lewis av
 Drake Thos D (Lorene K) driver h8 Lewis av
 Drakos Lula tchr Fla Sch for the Deaf and the Blind r54 Charlotte
 Drakos Peter (Ellen) shoe repr 123 StGeorge h54 Charlotte
 Drawdy Walter atndt Marks Service Station r69 Lemon
 Drawdy Walter H (Grace M) formn Fla Power & Lt Co h69 Lemon
 Drayton Blossie (c) maid r278 W King
 Drayton Clara (c) maid r278 W King
 Drayton Jos (c) lab r97 Chapin
 Drayton Millie (c) maid r278 W King
 Drayton Nathaniel (c) lab r278 W King

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George's Mother in the 1940 St. Augustine City Directory

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<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/662712645:2469>

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Waitman Jos (c) student r21 Live Oak
 Waitman Oliver (c; Lillie B) gdnr h21 Live Oak
 Waitman Oliver jr (c) driver New StJohns Ice Co r21 Live Oak
 Wakefield Mary r62 Cuna
 Wakeley Carl G jr (Barbara) clk FEERy h76 Valencia
 Walden B Vista Mrs supplyrm wkr Flagler Hosp r3 Garnett
 Walden Carl (Rose E; Walden's Filling Station) h11 Estey
 Walden J T (Vista) clk r3 Garnett av
 Walden Reuben O (Hazel M) clk h63 Hypolita
 Walden's Filling Station (Carl Walden) 150 San Marco av
 Waldrep Andrew J dishwasher Herbert S Bowen r3 Rhode av
 Waldrip Building 7-15 King
 Walker Abram (c; Marie) janitor Board of County Commissioners h129 Oneida
 Walker Adam (Edna) phys h33 Water
 Walker Alberta (c) maid r32½ S Whitney
 Walker Alex tchr Fla Normal & Industrial Inst
 Walker Andrew J (c; Etta) driver Mrs Annie S MacDonald h185 Central av
 Walker Bettie R (wid Albert H) h323 StGeorge
 Walker Chas clk David Price
 Walker Chas L r29 Aviles
 Walker Chas W teller StAugustine Natl Bk r334 Charlotte
 Walker Eleanor E (wid Asa H) r234 Charlotte
 Walker Eliz (c) h226 Riberia
 Walker Frances E sten Record Co r334 Charlotte
 Walker Hazel H (wid J Whitfield) mgr Woman's Exchange h334 Charlotte
 Walker Holmes (c; Rosey; Holmes Walker Undertaker) h91 Washington
WALKER HOLMES UNDERTAKER, (c; Holmes Walker),
 91 Washington, Tel 353-W
 Walker L Jane (c) r48 Bernard av
 Walker Leroy (c; Queen) lab r40 Weeden
 Walker Lilly M (c) maid r226 Riberia
 Walker Lorenzo (c; Christine) gdnr r47 Christopher
 Walker Lottie (c) r116 Bravo
 Walker Maebelle (c) maid h259 Charlotte
 Walker Martha (c) maid r48 Bernard av
 Walker Mary R (c) h129 DeHaven
 Walker Morris (c; Florence) driver Service Trucking Co h75 Central av
 Walker N T (c) meat ctr David Price
 Walker Nathaniel (c; Rosa) lab h201 Riberia
 Walker Phillip (c; Matilda) porter h123 Central av
 Walker Raymond (c; Lena) driver h32½ Whitney
 Walker Robt (c) caretkr Hobson T Cone
 Walker Rosa (c) maid Hobson T Cone
 Walker Thos H V Rev (c) pastor Trinity Methodist Church h84½ Bridge
 Walker Thos M (Nina) real est 20 Hypolita h do
 Walkup A C asst chf Surgeon East Coast Hospital Assn r33 Water
 Wallace Jas A clk r182 W King
 Wallace Roy E (Elsie) r286 StGeorge
 Wallace Wm D (Ida) mech h60 Osceola
 Wallace Winton W carrier Record Co r15 Whitney
 Wallen Norman h8 Pine

185 San Marco Ave.

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George's Mother and Step-Father in the 1940 St. Augustine City Directory

"U.S., City Directories, 1822-1995," database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for Raymond Walker, St Augustine, Florida.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/662719402:2469>

FORM APPROVED
Budget Bureau No. 33-R012-42

REGISTRATION CARD (Men born on or after July 1, 1924, and on or before December 31, 1924)
(Also for the registration of men as they reach the 18th anniversary of the date of their birth on or after January 1, 1943.)

SERIAL NUMBER W-99-A	1. NAME (Print) George Downings, Jr.	ORDER NUMBER 11678-A
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) 36 1/2 Christopher St. St. Augustine St. Johns Fla.		
[THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON LINE 2 ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]		
3. MAILING ADDRESS Same		
4. TELEPHONE	5. AGE IN YEARS 20	6. PLACE OF BIRTH Hastings
	DATE OF BIRTH June 11 1925	Florida
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS Lenar Downings, 36 1/2 Christopher St., St. Augustine, Fla. (Mother)		
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS Unemployed.		
9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS		
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.		
<p>DSS Form 1 (Rev. 11-16-42) 16-21630-4 (OVER)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>George Downings Jr.</i> (Registrant's signature)</p>		

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT

RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION	
White	5-10	195	Sallow	
Negro	X		Light	
Indian	Blue	Blonde	Ruddy	
Filipino	Gray	Red	Dark	
	Hazel	Brown	Freckled	
	Brown	X	Black	X
Japanese	Black	Gray	Dark brown	X
Other Oriental		Bald	Black	

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification.....

I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

Francis S. Brooke
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Local Board **1 St. Augustine, Fla.**

Date of registration **Jan. 9, 1946**

Local Board No. 1	42
St. Johns County	109
210-12 Exchange Bank Bldg.	
St. Augustine, Florida	901

(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the registrant shall be placed in the above space)

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George Downings Jr. World War II Draft Card

“U.S., World War II Draft Cards Young Men, 1940-1947,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Downings, St Augustine, St Johns, Florida.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/12272472:2238>

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MUSTER ROLL OF THE CREW
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for the quarter ending September 30, 19 43.

1 NAMES <small>(Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)</small>	2 SERVICE NUMBER <small>(The service number must under no condition be omitted)</small>	3 Present Rating	4 DATE OF ENLISTMENT			5 Date first received on board
			Day	Month	Year	
CARR, Albert "B"	318 89 46	CGM	12	Aug.	41	3 June 1943
CASSON, Donald LeRoy	612 73 42	TM3c	8	Sept.	42	26 May 1943
CHANCEY, Frank Lee	604 28 97	F2c	19	Feb.	42	25 May 1943
CHARLOT, Maurice George	202 28 86	Slc	2	Apr.	42	29 May 1943
CHES, Ervin Chester	312 92 52	S2c	10	Feb.	43	25 May 1943
CHOWTS, Willie Dale	624 79 65	Slc	22	May	42	25 May 1943
CHRISTMAN, John Philip Jr.	274 87 62	Flc	9	Nov.	42	25 May 1943
CHRONISTER, Joseph Shelby	528 20 25	BM3c	14	Jan.	42	25 May 1943
CLARK, "Bill" Bradley	636 77 17	Flc	13	Jan.	42	25 July 1943
CLAUS, Frederick William	368 29 86	GM2c	13	Nov.	39	25 May 1943
CLIVER, William Henry	641 60 24	S2c	14	Dec.	42	13 June 1943
CLOYD, Glyn Preston	863 53 07	S2c	5	Feb.	43	25 May 1943
COWEN, Robert William	325 02 16	CBM(AA)	11	July	42	25 May 1943
COWGON, William Edward	385 81 33	TM1c	10	July	39	4 June 1943
COOK, Morton Louis	875 38 22	S2c	4	Feb.	43	25 May 1943
COPPERBERG, Harold Edwin	382 03 70	TM1c	13	Jan.	42	25 May 1943
CRIPPIN, Kenneth Earle, Jr.	851 36 39	S2c	5	Feb.	43	25 May 1943
CUTCHER, Marc Edgar	723 37 38	S2c	11	Feb.	43	25 May 1943
DARLING, Ivan "J"	655 35 89	Slc	12	Oct.	42	13 June 1943
DASHIELL, Clarence David Kelley	664 73 16	GM3c	23	July	42	25 May 1943
DEMING, Wilbur Arthur	310 84 02	WT1c	20	Aug.	42	25 May 1943
DEVINE, Morton Foley	856 67 59	S2c	6	Feb.	43	27 May 1943
DORSETT, Ralph Edgar	400 92 09	BM3c	15	Oct.	40	8 Aug. 1943
DONOHUE, James Gerald	809 21 09	S2c	4	Feb.	43	25 May 1943
DOOL, William Jr.	244 17 51	GM2c	16	July	42	1 June 1943
DOWNING, George Junior	556 85 07	StM2c	4	Mar.	43	27 Sept. 1943
DRAKE, Henry (n)	287 14 85	BM2c	18	Aug.	39	25 May 1943
DRIVER, Troy Berretto	268 12 26	WT1c	16	Dec.	39	25 May 1943
DURAIL, Richard Lee	386 37 42	SK3c	17	Nov.	42	2 June 1943
DUCK, Vester Lawrence	372 08 86	Fu2c	9	June	39	25 May 1943
EUTKA, Joseph Steve Jr.	282 93 34	CMK(PA)	12	Aug.	41	25 May 1943
FERING, Albert Phillip	274 65 01	BM1c	16	June	41	25 May 1943
FELICI, Alfred Joseph	633 69 78	GM3c	20	July	42	1 June 1943
FERRILL, William Oscar	828 00 92	S2c	5	Feb.	43	25 May 1943

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September 1943 USS *Harding* Muster Roll

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downing, USS *Harding*.

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OCT 9 1943

of U. S. S. HARDING (DD625)

for the month ending 30th day of SEPTEMBER, 1943, date of sailing
from _____ to _____

1	2	3	4			5
			Date of Enlistment			
NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with increase in the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	Rating at Date of Last Report	Day	Mo.	Yr.	Place of Enlistment
1 ALLAMANOGLA, Louis J.	✓ 808 98 62	S2c	1	Feb.	43	New York, N.Y.
2 BIRD, Thomas I.	✓ 375 90 35	B2c	6	July	38	San Francisco, Cal.
3 CHANCEY, Frank L.	✓ 604 28 97	F2c	19	Feb.	42	Birmingham, Ala.
4 DOWNING, George J.	✓ 556 85 07	Sta2c	4	Mar.	43	Jacksonville, Fla.
5 HOLMES, Samuel D.	✓ 262 19 82	CMM(PA)	9	Dec.	41	Pearl Harbor, T.H.
6 KLAICH, George M.	✓ 312 92 60	S2c	11	Feb.	43	Detroit, Mich.
7 MC NEVIN, Arthur J.	✓ 710 64 87	RM3c	29	Dec.	42	New York, N.Y.
8 O'NEIL, Eugene G.	✓ 202 44 94	TM3c	22	Sept.	42	New York, N.Y.
9 PALMER, John (n)	✓ 243 67 73	Flc	28	Nov.	39	Philadelphia, Pa.
10 PERKINS, Clyde I.	✓ 328 68 10	Cox	17	Apr.	40	Minneapolis, Minn.
11 POWELL, Jerry D.	✓ 680 01 92	Flc	17	Dec.	41	San Diego, Calif.
12 SFLAINE, James W.	✓ 386 32 65	TM3c	10	Nov.	42	Seattle, Wash.
13 SPOSITO, Anthony J.	✓ 809 21 02	S2c	4	Feb.	43	New York, N.Y.
14 WANTON, Lindsey A.	✓ 556 52 47	Ma2c	29	Oct.	42	Jacksonville, Fla.
15 WILSON, George E.	✓ 402 99 92	Slc	8	June	39	New York, N.Y.

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Branch of service	Entered, transferred, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge, where reported, and reason for or award. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If deceased, give cause; if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final destination.
1 USN-I	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
2 USN	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
3 USNR V-6	Deck Court	8 Sept. 1943	Approved CA 23 Sept. 1943
4 USNR V-6	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., Jacksonville, Fla.
5 USN	Recd.	29 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., Casco Bay, Portland, Maine
6 USNR V-6	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
7 USNR V-6	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York, N.Y.
8 USNR V-6	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
9 USN	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., Casco Bay, Portland, Maine
10 USN	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
11 USNR V-6	Tran.	27 Sept. 1943	To U.S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, New York
12 USNR V-6	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
13 USN	Recd.	28 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
14 USNR V-6	Recd.	27 Sept. 1943	From Rec. Sta., New York
15 USNR V-1	Tran.	25 Sept. 1943	To U.S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N.Y.

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September 1943 USS *Harding* Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George J. Downing, USS *Harding*.

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REPORT OF CHANGES

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of U. S. S. HARDING (DDG-5)

SAILING REPORT
for the month ending 10th day of December, 1943, date of sailing

from Casco Bay, Maine to Sea

1	2	3	4			5
			Date of Enlistment			
NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to rating, with names as the left and last first names written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must appear on enlistment or enlistment)	Rating at Date of Last Report	Da.	Mo.	Yr.	Place of Enlistment
1. <u>DOWNINGS, George Junior</u>	<u>556 85 07</u>	<u>St/2c</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Mar.</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>Jacksonville, Fla.</u>
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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, demoted, discharged, change of rating, death, or other change of status	Date of Commencement in status 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge where demoted, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, name of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If awarded, give name of as the rated duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1. <u>UNDE</u>	<u>TRANS.</u>	<u>12/10/43</u>	<u>U.S.S. DEWECKIA for treatment.</u>
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SUBMITTED December 10, 1943.

H. H. H. H.
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December 1943 USS *Harding* Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS *Harding*.

<https://www.fold3.com/sub-image/274157848/downings-george-us-world-war-ii-navy-muster-rolls-1938-1949>

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REPORT OF CHANGES JAN 16 1944

of U. S. S. U.S.S. HARDING (DD625)

for the month ending 31 day of January, 1944, date of sailing from _____ to _____

1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surnames in the left and the first name written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must appear in full)	3 Rating at Date of Last Report	4 Date of Enlistment			5 Place of Enlistment
			Mo.	Day	Yr.	
✓ 1. <u>ABSTROM, Travis William</u>	836 58 60	Slc	7	20	43	NRS., WashingtonDC
✓ 2. <u>ANDERSON, Kernig Charles</u>	822 65 61	Slc	7	12	43	NRS., Erie, Pa.
✓ 3. <u>BAINBRIDGE, Douglas (n)</u>	813 06 33	Slc	7	27	43	NRS., New York, N.Y.
✓ 4. <u>BENNETT, Thomas Joseph</u>	875 23 55	S2c	6	22	43	NRS., Akron, Ohio
✓ 5. <u>BROOKSTEIN, George Harold</u>	802 94 29	S2c	9	28	43	NRS., Boston, Mass.
✓ 6. <u>BRADY, Richard Ellsworth</u>	801 61 60	S2c	4	5	43	NRS., Boston, Mass.
✓ 7. <u>BROOKS, Ralph (n)</u>	806 75 71	S2c	4	2	43	NRS., ManchesterNH
✓ 8. <u>CASTAGNONE, Frank (n)</u>	801 59 21	S2c	4	1	43	NRS., Boston, Mass.
✓ 9. <u>WASHBURN, Clarence D.E.</u>	664 73 16	RM3c	7	23	42	NRS., Seattle Wash.
✓ 10. <u>DEWING, W. A.</u>	310 84 02	WTlc	8	20	42	NRS., Los AngelesCal.
✓ 11. <u>DOWNINGS, George Junior</u>	556 85 07	Stm2c	3	4	43	NRS., Jacksonville
✓ 12. <u>EYERSON, Roy Herbert</u>	250 56 98	F2c	8	20	40	NRS., Wheeling, W. Va.
✓ 13. <u>FLACK, Horace Wilmer, Jr.</u>	829 89 78	S2c	4	17	43	NRS., Spartanburg, S.C.
✓ 14. <u>HALL, J.O.</u>	312 80 53	SolM3c	12	14	42	NRS., Detroit, Mich.
✓ 15. <u>HENDERSON, Ronald Bernard</u>	245 76 21	Flc	6	16	43	NRS., Phila., Pa.

6 Branch of Service	7 Received, transferred, demoted, discharged, death, or any other change of status	8 Date of Commencement in service	9 Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge when reported, and current list or report. Where death, cause of death and where and when buried. If report and authority for same. If discharged, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If pension, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/27/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.
2. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/27/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.
3. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/27/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.
4. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/27/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.
5. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/26/44	From USN Air Station, Brunswick, Me.
6. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/26/44	From USN Air Station, Brunswick, Me.
7. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/26/44	From USN Air Station, Brunswick, Me.
8. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/26/44	From USN Air Station, Brunswick, Me.
9. V-6	Trans. ✓	1/25/43	To USNH., Brooklyn, N.Y. Auth: Bu Med & Surg. "G".
10. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/27/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.
11. USN	Rec. ✓	1/27/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.
12. USN	Rec. ✓	1/28/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.
13. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/26/44	From USN Air Station, Brunswick, Me.
14. V-6	Trans. ✓	1/30/44	To NTS., Bainbridge, Md. Assignment to V-12.
15. V-6	Rec. ✓	1/27/44	From Receiving Station, New York, N.Y. for duty.

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January 1944 USS *Harding* Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS *Harding*.

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REPORT OF CHANGES

MAY 5 1944

of U. S. S. **HARDING (DDG25)**

SAILING REPORT
 from **Casco Bay, Portland, Maine** to **Sea**, 19 **44**, date of sailing
 25th day of March

1	2	3	4	5
NAME (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must appear on all entries)	Rating at Date of Last Report	Date of Enlistment	Place of Enlistment
BECK, JAMES ALOYSIUS	809 21 53	Slc.	2 4 43	New York, N.Y.
BRUCE, ROBERT CRAWFORD	382 60 05	WT3c.	11 19 41	Los Angeles, Calif.
BUCK, THOMAS HENRY Jr.	570 03 18	EM3c.	10 7 42	Columbus, Ohio
BURNS, RICHARD CORNELIUS	265 61 28	CM1c.	3 8 40	San Diego, Calif.
BURNS, RICHARD CORNELIUS	265 61 28	CM1c.	3 8 40	San Diego, Calif.
CASSON, DONALD JEROY	612 73 42	TM3c.	9 8 42	Cincinnati, Ohio
CONER, ROBERT WILLIAM	325 02 16	CBM(PA)	7 11 42	Nome, Alaska
DINICOLA, LEON FRANCIS	811 15 67	EM3c.	Unknown, Record	not available.
DOWNINGS, GEORGE JUNIOR	556 85 07	StM2c.	3 4 43	Jacksonville, Fla.
DRAKE, HENRY (n)	287 14 85	EM1c.	8 18 39	NOB Norfolk, Va.
DRAKE, HENRY (n)	287 14 85	EM2c.	8 18 39	NOB Norfolk, Va.
DRAKE, HENRY (n)	287 14 85	EM2c.	8 18 39	NOB Norfolk, Va.
FENEAU, ROGER THEODORE	300 96 64	S2c.	7 31 42	CHICAGO, ILL.
HAVERFIELD, WILLIAM EUGENE	856 66 14	Slc.	2 4 43	CLEVELAND, OHIO
HENDERSON, BENJAMIN CURTIS Jr.	272 49 27	Cox.	12 10 40	Birmingham, Ala.

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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, promoted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Commencement in volume 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge where desired, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If transferred, give name. If discharged, give cause. If on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and time of departure.
Y-6	TRANS.	March 23, 1944	Fleet Service Schools, Norfolk, Va.
USN	TRANS.	March 6, 1944	Water Tender Classif.Center, R/S Philadelphia, Pa.
Y-6	TRANS.	March 14, 1944	R/S Casco Bay, Portland, Maine.
USN	DISCH.	March 7, 1944	Honorable Discharge, Portland, Maine.
USN	ENLISTED	March 8, 1944	Four (4) full years. Portland, Maine.
Y-6	TRANS.	March 5, 1944	U.S. Naval Repair Base, San Diego, California.
USN	TRANS.	March 23, 1944	R/S Casco Bay, Maine FFT Rec.Bar.Miami, Fla.
Y-6	TRANS.	March 14, 1944	MTS R/S CASCO BAY, Portland, Maine.
Y-6	TRANS.	March 9, 1944	R/S Boston, Massachusetts.
USN	C/R	February 7, 1944	Reduced in rating to EM2c. Auth: Commanding Officer's Mast, 7 February 1944.
USN	DISCH.	March 7, 1944	Honorable Discharge, Portland, Maine.
USN	ENLISTED	March 8, 1944	Four (4) full years. Portland, Maine.
USN	REC'D.	March 24, 1944	R/S Casco Bay, Portland, Maine.
USN(I)	TRANS.	March 24, 1944	MTS Norfolk, Va.
USN	DISCH.	March 7, 1944	Honorable Discharge, Portland, Maine.

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March 1944 USS *Harding* Muster Roll Report of Changes

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REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. O'BRIEN (DD725)

for the month ending 20 day of March, 1944, date of sailing

from Port to Sea

1	2	3	4		5
			NAME	DATE OF ENLISTMENT	
(Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname in full and the first name written in full)	(The service number must appear in column 2)	(Rating and Date of Last Report)	(Rating)	(Date)	(Place of Enlistment)
ATTENBOROUGH, Albert A., Jr.	820 30 37	SeMCc	10	July	43 Wilkes Barre, Pa.
BEAN, Clair A.	258 03 64	CCS(AA)	4	Oct	43 Recife, Brazil.
CANEY, Charles (n)	829 97 16	S2c	22	May	43 Spartanburg, S.C.
CARPENTER, James J.	647 40 00	FC3c	Service record not available		
DALTON, Larry L.	295 92 68	MM2c	18	March	44 Chattanooga, Tenn.
DOWNINGS, George Jr.	556 95 07	StMCc	8	Nov	43 Phila. Pa.
FLYNN, Gerald E.	402 98 59	SM3c	1	May	39 Jersey City, N.J.
FORDHAM, Kenneth F.	268 78 86	Y1c	20	June	41 Macon, Ga.
GREEN, George M.	602 35 48	FC3c	7	July	42 Baltimore, Md.
GROSSNICKLE, Lloyd R.	856 25 04	F1c	13	Nov	43 Cincinnati, Ohio.
HOLEMAN, Joe A.	670 62 45	FC3c	30	July	42 Oklahoma City, Okla.
HOPKINS, Landon W.	378 21 59	FC3c	4	Feb.	43 San Francisco, Calif.
HORNBAKER, Edmund Jr.	706 90 30	S1c	8	Sept	42 New York, N. Y.
KELLY, Charles M.	258 44 60	RM2c	30	April	42 Baltimore, Md.
KOSMAHL, Carl F.	817 45 69	RM3c	22	March	43 Phila. Pa.

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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge; where observed, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If observed, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1	Y-6(SV) REC	4 March 1944	FROM RS BOSTON, MASS.
2	USN TRANS	2 March 1944	TO U.S. NAVAL HOSPITAL CHELSEA, MASS.
3	Y-6S REC	11 March 1944	FROM U.S. NAVAL HOSPITAL CHELSEA, MASS.
4	USNR REC	16 March 1944	FROM RS BOSTON, MASS.
5	USN EXTENDED ENLISTMENT	19 March 1944	EXTENDED ENLISTMENT FOR TWO YEARS EFFECTIVE THIS DATE
6	USNR V6 REC	3-10-44	From NRS Phila Penna for duty Flag Allow CDS 60.
7	USNR V1 REC	3-18-44	From RS Boston, Mass., for duty.
8	USN REC	3-18-44	From NavEks Wash. DC for duty Flag Allow CDS 60.
9	USNR V6 REC	3-18-44	From RS Wash. D. C. for duty.
10	USNR SV TRAN	3-15-44	To U.S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., for treatment. Auth: Form "G" dated 15 Mar., 1944.
11	USNR V2 REC	3-18-44	From RS, Wash. DC, for duty.
12	USN REC	3-18-44	From RS, Wash. DC, for duty.
13	USNR V6 TRAN	3-7-44	To U.S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., for treatment. Auth: Form "G" dated 7 Mar., 1944.
14	USN REC	3-18-44	From RS Boston, Mass., for duty Flag Allow. CDS 60.
15	USNR V4 REC	3-16-44	From USS McGOWAN for duty flag allow. CDS 60.

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March 1944 USS O'Brien Muster Roll Report of Changes

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MUSTER ROLL OF THE CREW
of the U. S. S. O'BRIEN (DD725)
for the quarter ending 31 March, 1944

1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surnames to the left and the first name written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	3 Present Rating	4 DATE OF ENLISTMENT			5 Date first received on board
			Day	Month	Year	
X COX, Loren Lavern	626 01 70	S1c	15	Sept.	1941	Feb. 25, 1944
X CREIGHTON, William Peter	603 14 30	Y1c	24	Feb.	1942	" "
X CROSBY, James Curtis	892 76 13	S2c	25	Sept.	1943	" "
X CULBERTSON, Hoke Scott	640 01 44	EM3c	19	July	1941	" "
X DACEY, Francis Xavier	823 70 99	S1c	24	June	1943	" "
X DALTON, Larry Leland	295 92 68	MM2c	7	Feb.	1941	" "
X DAVIS, Joseph Arthur	652 07 41	MM2c	31	Dec.	1941	" "
X DAVIS, John Cecil	896 65 95	S2c	9	Sept.	1943	" "
X DAVIS, Joseph Dempsey	965 95 15	F1c	12	Nov.	1943	" "
X DE ANGELO, Angelo Gabriel	815 17 37	S2c	27	Sept.	1943	" "
X DEERY, John Joseph	818 65 65	S2c	5	Oct.	1943	" "
X DESSE, William Carl	263 72 66	S2c	5	Oct.	1943	" "
X DE FRESH, Wilburt Clarke	249 90 27	S1c	5	March	1943	" "
X DENNY, Everette Gabrial	892 81 93	S2c	16	Sept.	1943	" "
X DE PLACID, Frank Joseph	206 86 55	CRM(AA)	20	Jan.	1943	" "
X DESJARDINS, Joseph Robert	762 31 07	S2c	27	Sept.	1943	" "
X DICKERSON, James William, Jr.	833 96 57	S2c	24	Sept.	1943	" "
X DICKSON, Austin (n)	892 75 92	S2c	25	Sept.	1943	" "
X DIEHL, Leon Alfred	244 86 84	RM3c	13	Nov.	1942	" "
X DILGER, Robert Harry	299 88 00	WT1c	29	Dec.	1941	" "
X DOMBROWSKI, John Thomas	223 60 83	MM1c	4	Dec.	1939	" "
X DONALDSON, Arthur Iereal	243 68 29	Ck3c	27	Dec.	1939	" "
X DOWNINGS, George Junior	556 95 07	StM1c	8	Nov.	1943	March 10, 1944
X DUNCAN, Jonnie Earl	892 76 30	S2c	25	Sept.	1943	Feb. 25, 1944
X DZIERWA, Frank "A"	600 22 39	EM2c	21	March	1942	" "
X EDWARDS, Willey Thomas	656 86 27	S1c	7	Sept.	1942	" "
X ELLIS, Forest Dean	892 84 03	S2c	25	Sept.	1943	" "
X EMERY, Thomas Duane	615 76 64	MM3c	27	Nov.	1942	" "
X EVANS, William Henry	274 29 34	CMT(AA)	11	July	1941	March 16, 1944
X EVERETT, William Howard	552 41 16	S1c	5	Sept.	1942	Feb. 25, 1944
X EZZELL, Charles William	833 96 97	S2c	25	Sept.	1943	" "
X FAER, George (n)	652 37 32	S1c	18	May	1942	" "
X FAIRBROOK, Warren Seelye	377 06 33	RT2c	8	Oct.	1942	" "
X FAULKNER, Orval Dean	321 57 29	Bk1c	15	Jan.	1941	" "

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March 1944 USS O'Brien Muster Roll

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS *O'Brien*.

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of U. S. S. O'BRIEN (DD725) - UPON SAILING, 19 April 1944

for the month ending 19 day of Apr. 1944, date of sailing

from to

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			Date of Enlistment		
NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must appear under no condition to omitted)	Rating at Date of Last Report			Place of Enlistment
1 CARROLL, John William	606 23 60	Y2c	11	Feb. 1942	Boston, Mass.
2 DELONG, William Welton, Jr.	274 59 59	Cox	14	Jan. 1941	New Orleans, La.
3 DOWNINGS, George Junior	556 85 07	StMlc	8	Nov. 1943	Philadelphia, Pa.
4 EVANS, William Henry	274 29 34	CWT(AA)	11	July 1941	Washington, D. C.
5 HILL, Morgan Sumner	642 22 27	TM2c	15	June 1942	New Haven, Conn.
6 HINSON, George (n)	262 37 04	MMc	17	Aug. 1939	Raleigh, N.C.
7 HOLSMAN, Joe Arthur	670 62 45	FC3c	30	July 1942	Oklahoma City, Okla.
8 HOPKINS, Landon William	378 21 59	FC3c	4	Feb. 1943	San Francisco, Cal.
9 KING, Richard Harold	382 15 52	MMc	9	Jan. 1940	Los Angeles, Cal.
10 LONGE, William Edward	201 37 31	CT(PA)	17	April 1940	Washington, D. C.
11 WESTERMAYER, Walter Lawrence	338 06 06	FC3c	23	Nov. 1942	St. Louis, Mo.
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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, detailed, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge where detailed, and account due or overpaid. Where dish. cause of dish. and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If detailed, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final destination.
1 V-6	Rec.	8 April 1944	From U.S.S. ALTAIR(AD11) for duty.
2 USN	Rec.	3 April 1944	From Naval Operating Base, Bermuda for duty.
3 V-6	Trans.	15 April 1944	To the U.S.S. MOALE for duty. Auth: CDS 60 verbal orders
4 USN	Trans.	6 April 1944	To the U.S.S. MEREDITH - Auth: CDS Mailgram 271215 of 3/27/44
5 V-6	Trans.	15 April 1944	To the U.S.NAV.DISP., NAS, Bermuda for treatment. Auth: Form "G"
6 USN	Trans.	6 April 1944	To the U.S.S. ALTAIR - Auth: CDD-DESTG Serial 523 of 4/6/44
7 V-2	Trans.	17 April 1944	To the U.S.S. INGRAHAM - Auth: CDS 60 Mailgram 271215 of 3/27/44
8 USN	Trans.	17 April 1944	To the U.S.S. INGRAHAM - Auth: CDS 60 Mailgram 271215 of 3/27/44
9 USN	Rec.	9 April 1944	From the U.S.S. ALTAIR for duty.
10 USN	Ext.Enl.	4 April 1944	Extended enlistment for a period of four years. Otherwise entitled to HONORABLE discharge.
11 V-6	Trans.	17 April 1944	To the U.S.S. INGRAHAM - Auth: CDS 60 Mailgram 271215 of 3/27/44
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April 1944 USS O'Brien Muster Roll Report of Changes

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<https://www.fold3.com/sub-image/285524057/downings-george-junior-us-world-war-ii-navy-muster-rolls-1938-1949>

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REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. MOALE (DD 693)

For the month ending 17th day of April, 1944, date of sailing
from EX to San.

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			Date of Enlistment			
NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to rating, with surname in the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	Rating at Date of Last Report	Mo.	Day	Yr.	Place of Enlistment
1. ADAMS, William H.	321 00 92	Ftc(UL)	4	24	43	Wilkes Barre, Pa.
2. ALLENBY, Sam W.	322 84 44	S2c	9	28	43	Spartanburg, S.C.
3. BRADSHAW, Robert D.	368 41 02	S1c	5	17	38	Salt Lake City, U.
4. BRADSHAW, Robert D.	368 41 02	S1c	5	17	38	Salt Lake City, Utah.
5. CABLE, Jesse C.	292 87 88	Ftc	1	3	41	Johnson City, Tenn.
6. DOWNINGS, George J.	556 35 07	S1Mc	3	4	43	Jacksonville, Fla.
7. ELLIOTT, Bernard F.	206 25 15	CEM(AA)	12	18	43	New Britain, Conn.
8. FAY, Herbert W.	201 92 69	S1c	3	31	41	Boston, Mass.
9. MC COY, Richard S.	258 23 01	W2c	1	28	41	Baltimore, Md.
10. ROBERTS, Kenneth E.	361 17 08	MOB2c	4	12	43	Kalamazoo, Mich.
11. SMITH, Everett L.	394 11 54	S2c	8	12	43	Columbus, Ohio
12. WHEEL, William H.	892 84 21	S2c	3	27	43	Spartanburg, S.C.
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14. NO ADVERTISEMENTS	NO ADVERTISEMENTS					
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Branch of Service	Reason, transferred, deserted, discharged, death, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which reported, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge; where deserted, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. Striped and authority for same. If deserted, give reason if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1. V-6 USNR(SV)	Rec.	4/3/44	U.S.S. ALTAIR.
2. USNR(SV)	Trans	4/9/44	U.S.S. ALTAIR, AUTH: CO Asst. Form "25".
3. USNR	DC	4/14/44	App'd and published this date.
4. USNR	CR	4/14/44	S1c to S2c App'd sentence of D.C.
5. USNR	Ex En	4/7/44	Ex En effective this date to serve for 2 years.
6. V-6 USNR	Rec	4/15/44	U.S.S. CHRISTIE (DD 725)
7. USNR	CR	4/2/44	From CEM(AA) to CEM (PA) AUTH: BuPers C/L 110-43.
8. USNR	D.C.	4/16/44	Published this date.
9. USNR	Ex En	4/15/44	Ex En effective this date to serve for 2 yrs.
10. V-6 USNR(SV)	Trans	4/12/44	U.S.S. ALTAIR.
11. USNR(SV)	Rec	4/7/44	U.S.S. ALTAIR
12. USNR(SV)	SCM	4/16/44	Published this date.
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W. H. FORD,
Commanding, USNR,
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April 1944 USS Moale Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George J. Downings, USS *Moale*.

<https://www.fold3.com/sub-image/302439269/dowings-george-j-us-world-war-ii-navy-muster-rolls-1938-1949>

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MUSTER ROLL OF THE CREW						
of the U. S. S. MOALE (DD693)						
for the quarter ending 30 June, 1944						
1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first initial written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no conditions be omitted)	3 Present Rating	4 DATE OF ENLISTMENT			5 Date first received (in full)
			Day	Month	Year	
ALLEN, Henry Frank	382 92 00	Flc	20	4	42	28 Feb. '44
ALLEN, Joseph Edward	283 23 10	Flc	20	4	44	20 Apr. '44
ANDERSON, James Allen	832 41 86	Flc(GM)	6	5	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Jerry Frank	851 16 25	Flc	12	1	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Stanley Victor	851 16 77	Flc	12	1	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Robert Eugene	621 19 77	Flc	29	9	42	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Nathan Edward	857 48 73	Flc (RDM)	17	9	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Joseph Burton	382 09 01	CGM(AA)	14	3	39	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Anthony Salvatore	815 66 54	S2c	6	10	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Albert Arthur	808 93 64	A.S.	2	7	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, George Junior	556 85 07	StFlc	4	3	43	15 Apr. '44
ANDERSON, Clifford Leroy	894 40 87	Flc(RDM)	2	10	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Harold Johnson	616 05 50	CM3c	5	11	41	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Frank Wells	609 40 86	Flc(SM)	17	9	43	22 May '44
ANDERSON, Thomas James	707 41 79	Y2c	29	9	42	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Woodrow Earl	835 67 80	Flc	20	10	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Arvis Jr.	835 67 71	S2c	2	10	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Minton	602 62 57	Sl3	3	10	42	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Raymond Edward	828 49 49	TCR 3c	10	8	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, John Boyd	828 49 49	TCR 3c	10	8	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Earl Charles	602 06 21	EM2c	2	1	42	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Elton Morris	834 62 13	S2c	13	2	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Ira Raymond	894 78 59	Flc(M)	13	11	43	2 June '44
ANDERSON, Frank Joseph	809 72 40	EM3c	4	5	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, John E.	804 51 97	S2c	No Record			28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, James Swartz	626 35 96	Flc(GM)	30	4	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Chester Dudley	707 80 05	EM2c	9	10	42	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Connellius Wilbert	312 40 55	WT2c	10	11	42	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Dexter James	256 30 15	EM2c	14	9	40	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Robert John	896 49 15	Flc(M)	13	11	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Floyd Eliphias	892 84 48	S2c	28	9	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Frederick Fairfield	807 66 43	CM3c	26	5	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Jacob C.	657 89 26	S2c	19	8	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Charles Edward	620 14 55	S2c	16	8	43	28 Feb. '44
ANDERSON, Irvin Henry	820 52 34	EM3c	6	7	43	28 Feb. '44

June 1944 USS Moale Muster Roll

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS *Moale*.

<https://www.fold3.com/sub-image/302439645/downings-george-junior-us-world-war-ii-navy-muster-rolls-1938-1949>

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of U. S. S. MOALE (SS 673)

for the month ending 31 day of July, 1944, date of sailing

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			Date of Retirement			
NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings; with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must appear on condition to be omitted)	Rating at Date of Last Report	Day	Mo.	Yr.	Place of Retirement
1. BORTONE, Clarence W.	258 25 04	PO2c	25	10	39	Baltimore, Md.
2. BRACE, Louis J.	833 95 84	S2c	25	9	43	Releigh, N.C.
3. BANEY, Edward (n)	312 19 86	S1c	22	5	43	New York, N.Y.
4. BATES, Richard E.	311 92 73	S1c	5	1	42	Detroit, Mich.
5. BICE, Arthur H.	301 63 80	PO1c	10	12	41	Chicago, Ill.
6. DAVIS, Raymond G.	321 80 29	RM2c	15	8	42	Des Moines, Iowa.
7. DE WILDE, Joseph E.	283 23 10	PO1c(SV)	20	4	44	New York, N.Y.
8. DOWNING, George Jr.	555 85 07	StM1c	4	3	43	Jacksonville, Fla.
9. FERGUSON, Jacob W.	567 89 25	S2c	19	8	43	Releigh, N.C.
10. JONES, Diamond (n)	340 53 29	StM2c	30	10	43	Tyler, Texas
11. KAPOTIS, Louis (n)	244 19 25	Em3c	30	7	42	Philadelphia, Pa.
12. KORTEN, Clifford W.	838 61 00	S2c	24	2	44	Birmingham, Ala.
13. KRAFT, John J.	827 57 99	S2c	16	12	43	Sparks, Md.
14. KURBAN, Edward E.	537 82 52	StM1c	11	12	42	Atlanta, Ga.
15. MAIERKORN, Joseph E.	350 43 15	StM3c	8	10	41	Houston, Texas

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Branch of Service	Transfer, promotion, demotion, discharge, change of rating, status, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge, where directed, and amount due or unpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If directed, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final destination.
1. USN	Trans	7/20/44	U.S.N.R., Philadelphia, Pa. AUTH: CO, USNR, Philadelphia, Pa., Ltr. AG-1(4) of 21 July 1944.
2. USNR(SV)	Trans	7/21/44	USNR, Brooklyn, N.Y. AUTH: CO Advd. Form "G".
3. T-6 USNR	Trans	7/27/44	USNR, Brooklyn, N.Y. AUTH: CO Advd. Form "G".
4. USN	Rec	7/29/44	Rec'd, NYC, Lido Beach, L.I., N.Y.
5. USN	Trans	7/9/44	To Rec'd, NYC, N.Y., ftr POC-547 for duty. AUTH: ComSerForLant Serial (24508).
6. USN	Trans	7/24/44	N.I.T., Cambridge, Mass. For temp. duty ftr CO, AATC, Don Neck, Va. AUTH: ComSerForLant Serial (27429-SC).
7. USN	Trans	7/8/44	Rec'd, Boston, Mass. (Classification for M) AUTH: ComSerForLant-SC Serial (20955-SC).
8. T-6 USNR	Trans	7/6/44	To Amphibious Tr. Base, Little Creek, Va. AUTH: ComSerForLant Serial (24767-SC).
9. T-6 USNR	DC	7/15/44	Published this date.
10. USNR(SV)	Trans	7/4/44	To Amphibious Tr. Base, Little Creek, Va. AUTH: ComSerForLant Serial (24767-SC).
11. USN	Rec	7/4/44	FltSerGen, NER, Norfolk, Va.
12. USNR(SV)	Trans	7/15/44	USNR, Brooklyn, N.Y. AUTH: O.C. Advd. Form "G".
13. USNR(SV)	DC	7/28/44	Published this date.
14. T-6 USNR	DC	7/24/44	Published this date.
15. USN	Trans	7/25/44	To NavTrasSta, Newport, R.I. AUTH: ComSerForLant (SC) Serial (20955-SC).

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July 1944 USS Moale Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Downings Jr., USS *Moale*.

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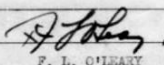
REPORT OF CHANGES

of ~~U.S.S.~~ LSM GROUP ONE (U.S.S. LSM 126 FLAG ALLOWANCE)

for the month ending 31st day of August, 1944, date of sailing
from _____ to _____

	1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surnames to the left and the first name written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	3 Rating at Date of Last Report	4 Date of Enlistment			5 Place of Enlistment
				Day	Month	Year	
1	BROWN, Joseph Edward	265 81 10	Cde	15	9	1938	Richmond, Va.
2	DOWNINGS, George Junior	556 85 07	StMc	4	3	1943	Jacksonville, Fla
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6 Branch of Service	7 Received, transferred, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	8 Date of Occurrence in column 7	9 Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge, where reported, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If discharged, give cause if on de- tached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1 USN	Tran.	Aug. 3, 1944	ATB, LITTLE CREEK, VA.
2 V6, USNR	Rec.	Aug. 4, 1944	ATB, LITTLE CREEK, VA.
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 F. L. O'LEARY
 Lieut. Commander, USNR
 Commander, LSM Group ONE

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August 1944 USS LSM-126 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS *LSM-126*.

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of the ~~U.S.S.~~ LSM GROUP ONE (U.S.S. LSM 156 FLAG ALLOWANCE)

for the quarter ending 30 September, 1944

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“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS *LSM-156*.

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of ~~USS~~ **LSM GROUP ONE (U.S.S. LSM 156 FLAG ALLOWANCE)**

for the month ending 30th day of September, 19 44, date of sailing
from _____ to _____

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NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	Dating of Date of Last Report	Date of Enlistment	Place of Enlistment
1 DOWNINGS, George Junior	556 85 07	StMc(LC)		
2 HART, James JUAN, Jr.	274 52 24	CSK(AA)(T)(LC)		
3 HORNE, Harry Wilson	630 18 81	SMC(LC)		
4 HOYE, Woodrow James	638 59 00	YLC(LC)		
5 MASSA, James Anthony	272 96 84	EMC(LC)		
6 PULLIAM, Howard Davis	867 60 49	SK2c(T)(LC)		
7 RUDIGER, Burnley Lankford	658 04 13	SK1c(LC)		
8 SWENBURG, Herdman Fisk	600 62 01	SM3c(LC)		
9 VOLLEY, Willie Chris	936 16 46	CK3c(LC)		
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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, deserted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Commencement in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge, where reported, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If detailed, give cause, if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final destination.
1 V6, NR	Adm. Tran.	9/22/44	Trans. from LSM 126 to LSM 156 as LSM Group ONE Flagship was changed - ComLSMGr.1 dispatch 211A30 of 21 Sept. 1944
2 USN	" "	9/22/44	" "
3 V6, NR	" "	9/22/44	" "
4 V6, NR	" "	9/22/44	" "
5 USN	" "	9/22/44	" "
6 SV6, NR	" "	9/22/44	" "
7 V6, NR	" "	9/22/44	" "
8 V6, NR	" "	9/22/44	" "
9 SV6, NR	" "	9/22/44	" "
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September 1944 USS LSM-156 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS LSM-156.

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of the U. S. S. LSM GROUP ONE (U.S.S. LSM 156 FLAG ALLOWANCE)

for the quarter ending 31 DECEMBER, 19⁴⁴[illegible]

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REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. LSM 152

for the month ending 15 day of February, 1945, date of sailing
from Norfolk, Va. to Davisville, R.I.

	1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname in the left and the first name written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	3 Rating at Date of Last Report	4 Date of Enlistment			5 Place of Enlistment
	Below named man is on the Staff, going as passenger.						
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2	DOWNINGS, George J.	556 95 07	Stm1c				
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	6 Branch of Service	7 Received, transferred, deserted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	8 Date of Occurrence in column 7	9 Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge; where departed, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If traced and authority for same. If changed, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
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February 1945 USS LSM-152 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George J. Downings, USS LSM-152.

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REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. LSM 152

for the month ending 20 day of February, 1945, date of sailing
from Davisville, Rhode Island to Norfolk, Virginia

	1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	3 Rating at Date of Last Report	4 Date of Enlistment		5 Place of Enlistment
	Below named man is attached to LSM Flotilla ONE staff, going as a passenger.					
1	DOWNINGS, George J.	556 95 07	StMc1c			
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	6 Branch of Service	7 Received, transferred, deserted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	8 Date of Occurrence in column 7	9 Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge; where deserted, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If deserted, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
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February 1945 USS LSM-152 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George J. Downings, USS *LSM-152*.

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26 MAR 1945

of U. S. S. LSM GROUP ONE (U.S.S. LSM 156 FLAG ALLOWANCE)

for the month ending 28th day of FEBRUARY, 19 45, USS LSM-156

FROM _____ to _____

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NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	Rating at Date of Last Report	Date of Enlistment	Place of Enlistment
1 ALBERT, Charles Joseph	816 35 07	SKD3c(T)(LC)		
2 ALBERT, Charles Joseph	816 35 07	SKD3c(T)(LC)		
3 ARMSTRONG, "T" Harwood	955 79 97	S2c(RM)(LC)		
4 DOWNINGS, George Junior	556 85 07	StMlc(LC)		
5 HARDEN, Edward Teasdale	612 29 56	MoMlc(LC)		
6 HARDEN, Edward Teasdale	612 29 56	MoMlc(LC)		
7 HART, James Juan	274 52 24	CSK(AA)(T)(LC)		
8 LINDER, Richard Martin	945 39 27	S2c(SK)(LC)		
9 PULLIAM, Howard Davis	867 60 49	SKD2c(T)(LC)		
10 PULLIAM, Howard Davis	867 60 49	SKD2c(T)(LC)		
11 ROSS, John Frank	360 05 52	CPM(AA)(LC)		
12 RUDIGER, Burnley Lanikford	658 04 13	SKlc(LC)		
13 Wilson, Wilber D.	658 74 35	MoMlc(LC)		
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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, deserted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge, where reported, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If deserted, give cause. If on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1 V6, NR	REC	2-8-45	ATB, LITTLE CREEK, VA.
2 V6, NR	ADM. TRAN	2-10-45	U.S.S. LSM 152 (Not change of duty)
3 SV6, NR	TRAN.	2-22-45	USNH, NOB, KEY WEST, FLA.
4 V6, NR	ADM. TRAN	2-10-45	U.S.S. LSM 152 (Not change of duty)
5 V6, NR	REC.	2-4-45	ATB, LITTLE CREEK, VA.
6 V6, NR	ADM. TRAN	2-5-45	U.S.S. LSM 157 (Not change of duty)
7 USN	TRAN.	2-1-45	USNH, NOB, NORFOLK, VA.
8 SV6, NR	ADM. TRAN	2-10-45	U.S.S. LSM 152 (Not change of duty)
9 SV6, NR	CR	2-3-45	SKD2c(T)(LC) to SKDlc(T)(LC) Auth: BP Circ Ltr 297-44
10 SV6, NR	ADM. TRAN	2-10-45	U.S.S. LSM 152 (Not change of duty)
11 USN	ADM. TRAN	2-10-45	U.S.S. LSM 152 (Not change of duty)
12 V6, NR	ADM. TRAN	2-10-45	U.S.S. LSM 152 (Not change of duty)
13 V6, NR	Tran.	2-7-45	To: U.S. Navy Dept. Jk.
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F. L. O'LEARY,
Lieut. Comdr., USNH

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February 1945 USS LSM-156 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS LSM-156.

<https://www.fold3.com/sub-image/294682051/downings-george-us-world-war-ii-navy-muster-rolls-1938-1949>

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of U. S. S. LSM 152

for the month ending 8 day of MARCH, 1945, date of sailing
from Norfolk, Virginia to _____

	1 NAMES <small>(Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname in full and the first name written in full)</small>	2 SERVICE NUMBER <small>(The service number must appear on enlistment to omitted)</small>	3 Rating at Date of Last Report	4 Date of Enlistment		5 Place of Enlistment
	The below named men are attached to the LSM Flot ONE. staff, going as passengers.					
16	ALBERT, Charles Joseph	816 35 07	SK3c(D)			
17	DOWNINGS, George J.	556 85 07	SK1c			
18	PULLIAM, Howard D.	867 60 49	SKD1c			
19	LINDER, Richard M.	945 39 27	SK2c(SD)			
20	ROSS, John F.	360 05 52	CPRM			
21	RUDIGER, Burnley L.	658 04 13	SK1c			
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	6 Branch of Service	7 Received, transferred, demoted, discharged, change of rating, dish, or any other change of status	8 Date of Occurrence in column 7	9 Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge where reported, and without that or excepted. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If discharged, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final destination.
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March 1945 USS LSM-152 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George J. Downings, USS LSM-152.

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REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. LSM 152

for the month ending 14 day of March, 19 45, date of sailing
from Key West, Florida. to _____

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			Date of Enlistment		
NAMES <small>(Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)</small>	SERVICE NUMBER <small>(The service number must under no condition be omitted)</small>	Rating at Date of Last Report			Place of Enlistment
The below named men are attached to the LSM Flct. ONE, Group ONE staff, going as passengers					
1 ALBERT, Charles J.	816 35 07	SK3c			
2 DOWNINGS, George J.	556 85 07	STMLc			
3 FULLIAM, Howard	887 80 27	SKD1c			
4 LINDER, Richard M.	945 89 27	SK2c			
5 ROSS, John F.	360 05 52	CJRM			
6 RUDIGER, Burnley L.	658 04 13	SK1c			
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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, demoted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Commencement in Service	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge; where demoted, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If detached, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
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March 1945 USS LSM-152 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George J. Downings, USS *LSM-152*.

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REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. LSM 152

for the month ending 20 day of MARCH, 1945, date of sailing
from 000,8010, Panama to _____

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			Date of Enlistment		
NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	Rating at Date of Last Report			Place of Enlistment
The Below named men are attached to the LSM Flot. ONE, Group ONE staff, going as passengers					
1 ALBERT, Charles J.	816 35 07	SK3c			
2 DOWNINGS, George J.	556 85 07	StM1c			
3 LINDER, Richard M.	945 39 27	S2a			
4 PULLIAM, Howard	867 60 27	SKD1a			
5 ROSS, John F.	360 06 52	SPFM			
6 HUDIGER, Burnley L.	558 04 13	SK1c			
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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, deserted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge; where deserted, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If deserted, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
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March 1945 USS LSM-152 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George J. Downings, USS *LSM-152*.

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MUSTER ROLL OF THE CREW
of the U. S. S. LSM GROUP ONE (U.S.S. LSM 156 FLAG ALLOWANCE)
for the quarter ending 31 MARCH, 1945

1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	3 Present Rating	4 DATE OF ENLISTMENT			5 Date first received on board
			Day	Month	Year	
*ALBERT, Charles Joseph	816 35 07	SK3c(T)(L)				2-8-45
BEST, Robert Howard	756 93 50	SLc(SM)(L)				1-10-45
BRODINE, Robert Carl Jr.	881 33 06	S2c(RM)(L)				3-30-45
*DOWNINGS, George Junior	556 85 07	SM1c(LC)				8-4-44
FREDRICKSON, Ariel (n)	727 65 60	S2c(LC)				1-14-45
GARDNER, Carl Duane	884 76 90	RM3c(T)(L)				3-19-45
**HARDEN, Edward Teasdale	618 29 56	MM1c(LC)				2-4-45
HAUCK, Raymond Allen	855 16 57	QM2c(LC)				1-10-45
HORNE, Harry Wilson	630 48 81	SM1c(LC)				6-6-44
HOYE, Woodrow James	638 59 00	YLc(LC)				6-6-44
*LINDER, Richard Martin	945 39 27	S2c(SK)(L)				1-10-45
MEYER, Russell William	810 74 33	RM3c(T)(L)				10-20-44
OSTERHOLM, Leo Vernon	322 36 40	S2c(LC)				1-14-45
*FULLIAM, Howard Davis	867 60 49	SK1c(T)(L)				6-6-44
*ROSS, John Frank	360 05 52	CPM1(AA)(LC)				1-19-45
*RUDIGER, Burnley Lankford	658 04 13	SK1c(LC)				6-6-44
SWEENBURG, Herdman Fisk	600 62 01	SM2c(T)(L)				6-6-44
TABOR, Frank Lewis	312 76 49	RM1c(T)(L)				12-24-44
VOLLEY, Willie Chris	936 16 46	CM2c(T)(L)				6-6-44
Note * Men are aboard the U.S.S. LSM 152 for duty on staff of LSM Group ONE.						
** Man is aboard the U.S.S. LSM 157 for duty on staff of LSM Group ONE						

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“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS LSM-156.

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REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. LSM 152

for the month ending 31 day of March, 1945, date of sailing
from _____ to _____

	1 NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	2 SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must appear in full in the column)	3 Rating at Date of Last Report	4 Date of Enlistment			5 Place of Enlistment
1	ALBERT, Charles J.	816 35 07	SK3e				
2	DOWNINGS, George J.	556 85 07	SM1c				
3	LINDEP, Richard M.	946 39 27	S2c(SK)				
4	PULLIAM, Howard	867 60 27	SFD1c				
5	ROSS, John F.	360 06 52	CPRM				
6	RUDIGER, Burnley L.	658 04 13	SK1c				
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	6 Branch of Service	7 Described, transferred, deserted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	8 Date of Occurrence in column 7	9 Vessel or station from which reported, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge, where reported, and amount due or overpaid. Where dead, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If detailed, give cause if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.					
1	USNR	Rec	3/8/45	Attached to LSM Flot. I, Group I staff, going as					
2	USNR	Rto	3/3/45	passengers.	"	"	"	"	"
3	USNR	Rto	3/8/45	"	"	"	"	"	"
4	USNR	Rec	3/8/45	"	"	"	"	"	"
5	USNR	Rec.	3/8/45	"	"	"	"	"	"
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March 1945 USS LSM-152 Muster Roll Report of Changes

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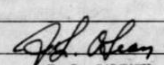
REPORT OF CHANGES

of U. S. S. LSM GROUP ONE (U.S.S. LSM 156 FLAG ALLIANCE) 18 MAY 1945

for the month ending 30th day of APRIL, 19 45, date of sailing
from _____ to _____

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NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must under no condition be omitted)	Rating at Time of Last Report	Date of Enlistment	Place of Enlistment
1 BEST, Robert Howard	756 93 50	Slc(SM)(LC)		
2 DOWINGS, George Junior	556 85 07	StM(LC)		
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Branch of Service	Received, transferred, deserted, discharged, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which received, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge where reported, and amount due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If deserted, give cause; if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1 V6, HR	CR	4-1-45	Slc(SM)(LC) to SM3c(T)(LC) Auth: BuPers CL 297-44
2 V6, HR	TRAIN	4-12-45	SERVING IN T. PRIMARY DUTY STATUS ON USS LSM 152 TRAIN TO USNR, SAN DIEGO, CALIF AUTH: FORM G
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 F. L. O'LEARY,
 Lieut. Comdr., USNR

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April 1945 USS LSM-156 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, USS LSM-156.

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of U. S. S. LSM 152.

for the month ending 2 day of MAY, 19 45, date of sailing
from San Diego, Calif. to _____

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NAMES (Alphabetically arranged without regard to ratings, with surname to the left and the first name written in full)	SERVICE NUMBER (The service number must enter on condition in omitted)	Rating at Date of Last Report	Date of Enlistment	Place of Enlistment
1 CHANCE, Brown L.	273 17 53	S2c		
2 DAVIDSON, Herschel A.	414 32 73	RM2c		
3 DOWNINGS, George Jr.	526 85 67	StM1c		
4 FISHER, Willie	626 45 74	StM1c		
5 HUEIGH, Dewitt	831 40 75	StM1c		
6 RICCI, Arthur J.	205 57 95	S1c		
7 ROCHMAN, Herbert S.	607 69 44	S1c		
8 ROWLAND, Henry H.	849 90 91	RM2c		
9 THANOS, Michael S.	602 56 76	S2c		
10 SCHLEIF, Alfred A.	952 90 74	F2c		
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Branch of Service	Reason for transfer, discharge, change of rating, death, or any other change of status	Date of Occurrence in column 7	Vessel or station from which reported, to what vessel or station transferred, where discharged and character of discharge; where reported, and station due or overpaid. Where died, cause of death and where and when buried. If rated and authority for same. If changed, give reason if on detached duty, give place of duty. If passenger, give purpose of travel and final disposition.
1 USNR	Deserted	5/1/45	Trans; records, accounts and effects to R/S TADCEN Camp Elliot, San Diego, Calif. Auth: BuPers C/L 172-43
2 USNR	C/R	4/1/45	C/R from RM2c, BuPers C/L 297-44.
3 USNR	Trans:	4/12/45	Attached to LSM Grp. I. staff, going as passenger. Trans: to U.S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif.
4 USNR	Rec:	5/1/45	From LOS, Fort Emory Det., San Diego, Calif.
5 USNR	Rec:	5/1/45	From R/S TADCEN, Camp Elliot, San Diego, Calif.
6 USNR	Deserted	5/1/45	Trans; records, accounts and effects to R/S TADCEN Camp Elliot, San Diego, Calif. Auth: BuPers 172-43 C/L
7 USNR	RM:	5/1/45	Reported; temporary duty, going as passengers.
8 USNR	Rec:	5/1/45	Reported; temporary duty, going as passengers.
9 USNR	Deserted	5/1/45	Trans; records, accounts, and effects to R/S TADCEN Camp Elliot, San Diego, Calif. Auth: BuPers C/L 172-43
10 USNR	Deserted	5/1/45	Trans; records, accounts and effects to R/S TADCEN Camp Elliot, San Diego, Calif. Auth: BuPers C/L 172-43
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May 1945 USS LSM-152 Muster Roll Report of Changes

“US, World War II Navy Muster Rolls, 1938-1949,” database, *Fold3* (fold3.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Downings Jr., USS *LSM-152*.

<https://www.fold3.com/sub-image/293451045/downings-george-us-world-war-ii-navy-muster-rolls-1938-1949>

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NAME (Last, first, middle initial) Downings, George Junior						STATE Florida		SERVICE DATA (Company, regiment, or other organization or branch of service and division, if any.) U. S. Naval Reserve.						
						RANK Steward's Mate, First Class								
						SERIAL NO. 556-85-07								
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Interment in St. Augustine National Cemetery

“U.S., National Cemetery Interment Control Forms, 1928-1962,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for George Junior Downings, St. Augustine National Cemetery.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/1454157:2590>

DOWNINGS, George Junior

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Steward's Mate 1st Class, U.S. Navy Reserve, World War II.
Service: 4 March 1943 to 25 December 1945. Florida: 3 June 1925
to 5 July 1946. Interred 10 July 1946. (Colored)

St. Augustine National Cemetery Index and Biographical Guide

Department of Military Affairs, *St. Augustine National Cemetery Index and Biographical Guide: Preliminary Abridged Edition* (St. Augustine, FL: St. Francis Barracks Special Archives, 1989), 198.

<https://ufdc.ufl.edu/UF00047708/00001/images/198>



George Downings' Headstone in St. Augustine National Cemetery

UCF Veterans Legacy Program, *Headstone for George Junior Downings*, photograph, 2023, St. Augustine National Cemetery, St. Augustine, FL.

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 Dove Jacob (c; Bessie) fishermn h183 Railroad av
 —J Robt (c) driver John H Denmark Furn Co r62 Oneida
 —M Leila (wid Jos R) h41 Carrera
 Dow John bartndr Glick's Bar r44 Sevilla
 —Kenneth (Prince Murat House) r250 StGeorge
 Dowell Thos (Mary E) photog 2 Charlotte h do
 —Thos L jr USN r2 Charlotte
 Dowling Albert P atndt Pine St Serv Sta r26 Cadiz
 —Geo J (Dorothy C) asst aud Superior Dairies h26 Cadiz
 —Geo J jr student r26 Cadiz
 —Wm A r26 Cadiz
 Downing Beatrice Mrs slswn Saml L Comick r Elkton
 —Clifford USA r40 Christopher
 —Mary D slswn Chas R Williams r234 W King
 —Nathaniel USA r40 Christopher
 —Smart (c; Geneva) h91½ Duero
 Downings Clifford USA r40 Christopher

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Name	Lener Walker Downing
Gender	Female
Race	Black
Death Date	Jan 1963
Death Place	Saint Johns, Florida, United States

Death of George's Mother

“Florida, U.S., Death Index, 1877-1998,” database, *Ancestry* (ancestry.com: accessed May 26, 2024), entry for Lener Walker Downing, Saint Johns, Florida.

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