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NAVY YARD, PHILADELPHIA 12, PA.

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11 January 1945

Mrs. Meryl Jane Adelman,
2809 Beechwood Blvd.,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Dear Mrs. Adelman:

Information from the Bureau of Naval Personnel has been received by the Commandant, Fourth Naval District, that your husband, William Ira Adelman, Ensign, D-V(S), U. S. Naval Reserve, is reported missing in the performance of his duty and in the service of his country. The Commandant regrets that it is not possible for a Navy Chaplain to call and extend his personal condolences.

This letter is sent that you may know the Navy Department is fully cognizant of your great anxiety and appreciates your continued loyalty and trust.

It is the hope and prayer of the undersigned Chaplain that you may be Divinely sustained in the anxious days that lie ahead.

Yours sincerely,



E. W. DAVIS
Captain, (ChC), United States Navy,
District Chaplain.