

Hervé was born on May 4 1925 in Montreal, the son of Albert and Maria Pageau of Montreal. They were married on May 7 1907 in Montreal. His brother was Leo Pageau.

He was a helper dyer with the Cotton Thread Co. and member of the Roman Catholic Church. He attended the public-school from 5-14 years (Grade IX) and he was a good pupil, always within the first ten and he was also interested therefore then in the High School but financial reasons did not permit him to attend. His sports were hockey and softball and he had been a secretary treasurer with a local team.

He served among others with the D.D of the N.R.M.A from July 4-12-1944. He enlisted on August 30 1944 then the Army in Montreal. He went on January 10 1945 thereafter overseas to the UK and he went on February 24 1945 then to NW Europe. He participated after his arrival in Europe during the advance and fierce battles of his regiment for a brief time through NW Europe

Herve was killed in action on Friday April 6 1945 age 19 during the battle of Zutphen. He was temporarily buried then in Almen before being reburied on January 28 1946 in Holten.

On his headstone: QUE LE SACRIFICE DE TA VIE STIMULE TOUS CEUX QUI T' ONT CONNU. TA FAMILLE

His mother was awarded in on May 16 1945 The Memorial Cross and also in March 1946 The Memorial Bar.

His medals were: 1939-45 Star; France Germany Star; War Medal; CVSM & Clasp.

He served with Le Regiment de la Chaudière.

