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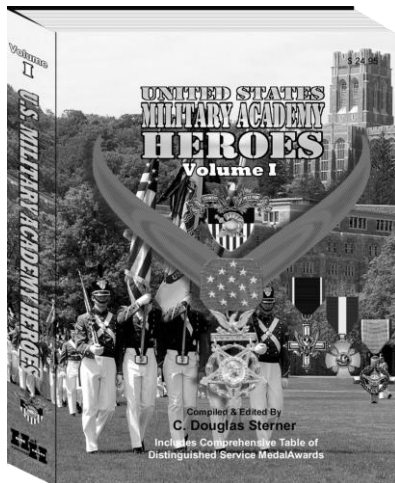
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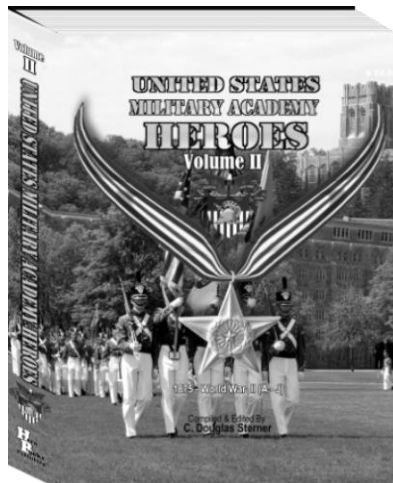
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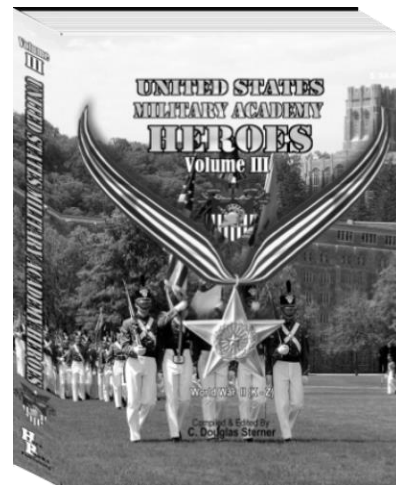
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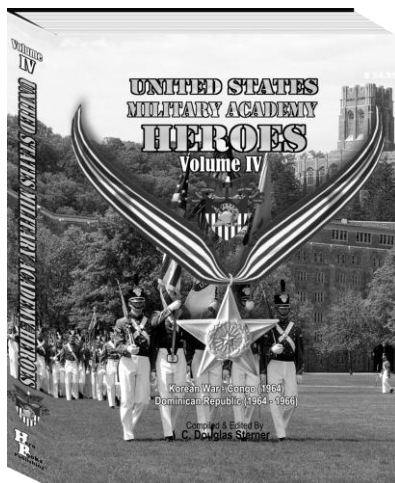
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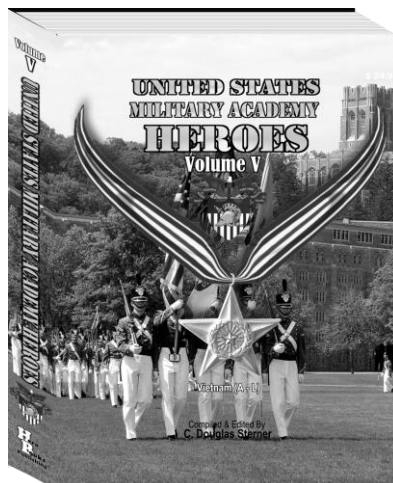
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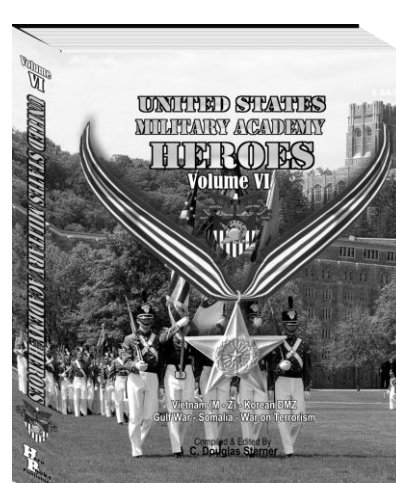
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GENERAL DOUGLAS MACARTHUR**

*Seven World War I Citation Stars – First Silver Star Recipient.
It was his action in 1932 that gave us this new medal and recognition.*

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In any compendium of this magnitude, it is inevitable that there will be some errors and/or omissions. These will be corrected in subsequent editions.

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FOREWORD



It is the nature of the men and women who have served, and those who continue to serve, to talk little about their service, especially so for those who have served in combat in the defense of our nation. This is especially true for those who have been highly decorated for their heroism on the battlefield. Combat decorations are not awarded for actions on what was a good day, but rather for rising to the demands of what may well have been the worst day of a soldier's life. On the day when one man may have been decorated with a valor award, he most likely saw close friends die, and often himself suffered serious and life-altering wounds.

Unfortunately, the military services do not track, compile, and record the citations of those who receive awards other than the Medal of Honor. In the aftermath of World War I a private citizen named Harry Stringer took it upon himself to compile awards of the Distinguished Service Cross and Navy Cross, the only then-available valor awards and second only to the Medal of Honor, in a series of published volumes. Thanks to his efforts, the heroic deeds of decorated Doughboys, Sailors, and Marines are available to read more than a century later.

Doug Sterner, another dedicated historian, has continued Stringer's work, compiling more than a quarter of a million of the highest valor awards for subsequent wars. The five volumes in this series of those who attended and/or graduated from the Military Academy at West Point who received Silver Stars, is the first such comprehensive work of its kind. He does so in the hope that in the decades, even centuries to come, the record of their deeds will continue to be available to inspire new generations of Americans, some of whom will themselves, no doubt, be called to service in the defense of democracy.

Of the 2,935 men who attended the U.S. Military Academy at West Point and were awarded 3,762 Silver Stars, only about 500 are still living. More than 300 were killed in action in service to our country. This has required Sterner to seek out and transcribe award citations and personal information from a wide variety of sources. With an eye to accurately preserving this history, he has communicated with many of the few still living recipients as well. All were humble about their high honors for, as is often pointed out, those who receive these awards often are acutely aware of others who did as much, in some cases more, that were never so recognized. It is appropriate then, that these accounts of gallantry in action, serve not only to recognize the man to whom the award was presented, but as an award they wear in honor and tribute to their comrades.

As a West Point graduate myself, I am proud of the great service, sacrifice, and uncommon valor so many of my classmates, as well as those who came before and after me, have demonstrated during America's wars. Each and every one of these men, as cadets, received not only a valuable education in a crucible of physical, moral, and tactical instruction, but also membership in a unique military brotherhood. The accounts of their deeds continue to amaze me as I read of what young men, often fresh out of school and newly commissioned as military officers, accomplished and achieved in leading others, and sacrificing for their safety and welfare.

This collection is important, not to glorify war or to praise the men who received the Silver Star. Most of our heroes are humble, self-effacing, and shy about their own service. But this is an important historical record that serves many important services. First, these awards are not so much about the men who received them as they are about their children and grandchildren, who some day will want to know what father/grandfather and even great grandfather did in service. Further, they will hopefully serve to inspire and motivate future generations who are called to serve.

As a combat commander in Vietnam and the Desert Storm Gulf war, I was privileged to recommend numerous soldiers for awards for their deeds, and in some cases to actually present their awards. These included many young men, enlisted soldiers who came to Vietnam prepared only to do their duty. For each leader represented in this book, there are hundreds of others who are heroes as well, and Mr. Sterner continues his work to document and preserve the records of their deeds in other volumes.

Of the men represented herein, I am pleased to say “Well Done.”
“Duty, Honor, Country.”

Barry R McCaffrey
General, USA Ret
Seattle Washington
July 2022
Distinguished Service Cross w/OLC
Silver Star w/OLC

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PREFACE

This compilation of U.S. Military Academy (USMA), West Point, New York, award citations is the only such comprehensive book of its kind. Is a result of my own three decades of research, built upon the foundation established by those who went before me, and whose efforts made my job much easier.

This volume is part of a six volume set. Volume I contains the names and citations of awards of the Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross, and Navy Cross to all graduates and non-graduating members of the U.S. Military Academy, as well as a comprehensive table of Distinguished Service Medals. Volume II through VI detail awards of **3,762** Silver Star awards to **2,935** different members of the USMA as detailed below:

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World War I	196
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Dominican Republic	5
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Korean DMZ	1
Gulf War (1991)	12
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Total	3,762

With any project of this magnitude, errors and omissions are inevitable. Nonetheless, I am confident that this collection is at least 95% complete for USMA Silver Star awards.

METHODOLOGY

While it may seem unimaginable that the U.S. Army, or other branches of military service for that matter, awards medals without maintaining any database or compilation of those awards, it is true. The only official database of U.S. military awards is the “*Roll of Honor*” established in 1917 for the 3,500+ recipients of the Medal of Honor. Save for the painstaking efforts of the late Colonel Albert Gleim, for decades there was no comprehensive index of the Army/Army Air Forces recipients of the 5,000+ awards of the Distinguished Service Cross or the 75,000 Silver Stars during World War II.

Colonel Gleim spent countless years combing through Army general orders at the National Archives in College Park, Maryland, to hand-write and then transcribe the only comprehensive index of Army DSCs and Silver Stars for World War II and Korea. His work provided the framework that has enabled me to not only identify these award recipients, but search out and transcribe their award citations.

Colonel Gleim's index provided the primary resource for identifying Silver Star awards in World War II and Korea, and are usually indicated by the General Orders command, number, and date in the "Authority" column. While Gleim's work is indeed comprehensive, some award recipients were not found during his years of research.

My secondary resource for Silver Star awards in all wars is the "*Biographical Register of the Officers and Graduates of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, New York*," commonly called the "*Cullum Register*" and published by the Association of Graduates of the U.S. Military Academy.

The *Cullum Register* provided a secondary confirmation of the awards reported by Gleim, as well as a comprehensive listing of Silver Star awards in World War II and Korea that Gleim missed. Further, in the process of this work, I have found a few recipients of the Silver Star whose awards are not reported in the *Cullum Roster*, as well as three reported awards that were either erroneously reported or otherwise listed in error. Those three are not included herein.

There is no existing index for Silver Stars or other awards for actions after the Korean War, save for the ADCARS database, an index of Vietnam War general orders that is closely held by the Army Human Resources Command, and is unavailable to outside researchers. For awards from the Korean War to present, the *Cullum Roster* has been invaluable. Awards found in that resource and for which I have not obtained a general orders are noted in the "Authority" field as "*United States Military Academy Register of Graduates* "

Of the nearly 3,000 USMA Silver Star recipients, only about 500 are still living at the time of publication. In the process of compiling this collection, I emailed nearly all of them and most responded, providing citations or corrections to the generic synopsis I had drafted, and in two cases, to advise of classmates who had received Silver Stars whose awards were not already in my database and were not reported by the "*Cullum Roster*." Photos were gleaned from the USMA annual albums, "*The Howitzer*," with the exception of the Class of 1966 which volume was unavailable. My special thanks to Class of 1966 alumnus John Eberle who voluntarily scanned the many photos of his classmates for my use herein. Such was the level of cooperation I received from the living USMA recipients.

CONTENTS

For each individual recipient in these volumes I have tried to include:

- Full Name
- A brief biography including Class Year and retirement year and rank
- Photo
- Citation or synopsis for their award
- Authority (general orders or secondary source)
- Personal data: date and place of birth, hometown, date of death and burial location
- Additional awards above the Bronze Star but also including Purple Hearts, Air Medals, and the POW Medals are listed. In the case of Bronze Stars, they are simply enumerated, and the notation "w/V" indicates at least one was for valor.

With regard to award citations, when available I have provided the full text of the award citations with only the following edits: 1) I include the recipient's full name, 2) since many citations did not

include the recipient's unit, I have appended their unit to the citation, and 3) since I am compiling these for history in the decades to come, I avoid abbreviations and acronyms that the lay person might not understand. In those cases where I have not obtained a citation, using multiple resources including news reports, I have tried to draft as much information as possible. The text "*Synopsis:*" in advance of a narrative is an indication that it is not the official citation, but a generic report of the award action.

As noted in the next chapter which details the history of the Silver Star, prior to 1932 there was no Silver Star MEDAL. Established as the *Citation Star* in World War I, it was presented usually without detail as to the actions meriting the recipient being cited. Subsequently, officers and enlisted men who had been cited for actions from the Indian Campaigns to World War I were able to see these upgraded to Silver Stars, Distinguished Service Medals, and in some cases even Distinguished Service Crosses. Again, these awards were usually acknowledged without any detailed citation.

It is important to note that with the confusion surrounding these World War I awards, as well as awards of the *Citation Star* in World War I, undoubtedly there are other valid USMA recipients yet to be found. The pre-World War II awards are probably the most incomplete section of this database, but are nevertheless comprehensive for World War I thanks to the *Cullum Roster*.

Of the **3,374** Silver Stars reflected herein for actions from World War II to present, where citations became more detailed, this collection includes the full-text citation for more than 1,240 awards, or 37% of all awards.

I have little doubt that after publication, as this collection receives a wider audience, additional citations will be forthcoming, and perhaps a few additional recipients will be identified. I welcome all input and information for update of the volumes in the years ahead.

Doug Sterner

THE PYRAMID OF HONOR

Top United States Military Awards (By order of Precedence)

Medal of Honor



For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of life above and beyond the call of duty.

Service Crosses

Distinguished Service Cross



Navy Cross



Air Force Cross



Coast Guard Cross



For extraordinary heroism in connection with military operations against an armed enemy

Distinguished Service Medals

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Army



Navy



Air Force

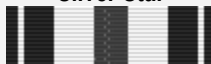


Coast Guard



For exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in a position of great responsibility to the Government of the United States

Silver Star



For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action against an armed enemy.

Defense Superior Service Medal



Legion of Merit



For exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services to the Government of the United States

Distinguished Flying Cross



For heroism or extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight.

Non-Combat Heroism Awards

Soldier's Medal



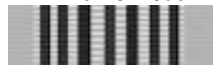
Army

Navy/Marine Corps Medal



Navy/USMC

Airman's Medal



Air Force

Coast Guard Medal



Coast Guard

For heroism at the risk of life not involving conflict with an armed enemy.

Bronze Star



For heroism, meritorious achievement, or outstandingly meritorious service, while serving in a combat zone.

Purple Heart



For wounds or death as a result of combat actions against an enemy of the United States.

Various Meritorious/Achievement Medals

- Defense Meritorious Service Medal
- Meritorious Service Medal
- Air Medal
- Gold & Silver Lifesaving Medals
- Joint Service Commendation Medal
- Commendation Medal (Army, Navy, etc.)
- Joint Service Achievement Medal
- Achievement Medal (Army, Navy, etc.)

Prisoner of War Medal



For service while held or confined as a Prisoner of War.

HISTORY OF THE SILVER STAR



Before there was a Silver Star Medal, there was the **Citation Star**. Initially, President Woodrow Wilson authorized the **Army Distinguished Service Cross (DSC)**, **Army Distinguished Service Medal (DSM)**, plus the **Citation Star** on January 12, 1918. These two new awards and the Citation Star device, in descending order, comprised the top level of individual Army recognitions at that time, ranking consecutively in precedence after the **Medal of Honor (MOH)**. With minor modification, Congress approved these three new decorations in Public Law 193, 65th Congress, on July 9, 1918.



The MOH, DSC, and DSM were each, specifically, **medals** awarded for varying degrees of extraordinary heroism or, in the case of the DSM, for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service. The process for granting the three awards, as well as the Medal of Honor, were initiated for an individual soldier by written recommendation of his commander, which was sent up the chain of command to the War Department. If approved at the highest levels (the MOH goes all the way to the President for final approval), the award was announced in War Department General Orders and presented (or often simply mailed) to the soldier. If the soldier was deceased, it was mailed to his next of kin as a posthumous award.

The amended version of Paragraph 187 of Army Regulations regarding Citation Stars noted, *“for each citation of an officer or enlisted man for gallantry in action, published in orders from headquarters of a force commanded by a general officer, not warranting the issue of a Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross or Distinguished Service Medal, he shall wear a silver star, 3/16 inch in diameter, as prescribed in Uniform Regulations.”* Thus, the citation star differed from the three highest Army medals in five unique ways:

- 1) The Citation Star was not a medal. Rather, it was a small, 3/16” silver, star-shaped device that was intended for wear on the Campaign Ribbon of the recipient.
- 2) The Citation Star was largely an **“impact award,”** a recognition that could be awarded **on-the-spot** by a General Officer in command of a unit, often down to the Brigade level. Unlike the other awards, there was no necessity to send a recommendation for a Citation Star up the chain of command for approval at higher headquarters or War Department level.
- 3) The MOH, DSC and DSM were announced (published) under General Orders issued at the highest levels, usually the War Department. General Officers commanding a division, and even occasionally at the brigade level, had the distinct authority to cite a soldier under his command in General Orders he issued at his own command level (usually division level.)

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- 4) Subsequent awards of the same medal among the top three were noted by placing a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster (OLC) on the ribbon. The **Citation Star** was not, itself, a medal. Rather, it was a star-shaped device, much as the OLC was, which was worn on the campaign ribbon. If an individual was cited more than once, they were authorized to wear additional Citation Stars on their campaign ribbon.
- 5) The Citation Star was retroactive to the Civil War. Soldiers who had been cited by their commanding generals in prior wars/conflicts, could wear the Citation Star on the campaign ribbon for that war/conflict, including:
 - Civil War Campaign Medal
 - Indian Campaign Medal
 - Spanish Campaign Medal
 - Philippine Campaign Medal
 - China Campaign Medal
 - Mexican Service Medal
 - World War I Victory Medal.

CITATION STAR CAVEATS

Any study or analysis of Citation Star awards by historians or others faces many problems. It is almost impossible to make a definitive determination in many cases as to the number of Citation Stars an individual soldier may have received. Some of the problems in accounting for these recognitions include the following facts:

- 1) Not infrequently was a soldier cited for the same action at two different levels. For instance, a soldier serving with the 1st Division, A.E.F. might have been cited for an action on a specific date by the Commanding General of that command in 1st Division General Orders. He might **also** have been cited for the same date/action by the Commanding General of the A.E.F. under American Expeditionary Force General Orders. This duplication notwithstanding, technically, though cited twice for the same action, the individual is generally noted as receiving two Citation Stars.
- 2) In some cases, a soldier cited in a division's General Orders for a specific action was subsequently awarded the DSC by the War Department for that same action. In some cases, the general orders for that higher award notes that it superseded the Citation Star, but in other instances, no such rescinding of the Citation Star was officially recorded. Absent a published indication that the Citation Star was rescinded in lieu of the DSC, the individual is usually listed for both awards for the same action. The Citation Star was, after all, a recognition by a soldier's Commanding General, while the DSC was a War Department award.
- 3) The Citation Star was established to cite individual soldiers for "gallantry in action." That terminology was included in most citations, however not a few were published without the word "gallantry" in the text. Marine Private Edward Bischoff and four of his comrades in the 6th Machine-Gun Battalion were cited identically: *"Private Edward D. Bischoff (MCSN: 81488), United States Marine Corps, is cited by the Commanding General, Second Division, American Expeditionary Forces. Under heavy shell fire in an emergency he volunteered to carry ammunition, disregarding all danger to himself while serving with the 6th Machine-Gun Battalion near Chateau-Thierry, France."* While gallantry is implied, it was not specifically stated in the citation. Such omission, while seemingly minor, later served to complicate the upgrade process when the Silver Star Medal was established in 1932.

THE SILVER STAR MEDAL

The Silver Star **Medal** was created and authorized for presentation by the U.S. Army in 1932. The first Silver Star ever awarded (Medal #1) was a Silver Star with six oak leaf clusters that was presented to General Douglas MacArthur, converting his seven World War I Citation Stars to the new Medal. (From inception of the Silver Star through 1943, the Army numbered these awards sequentially, but discontinued that practice in 1943 as the number of World War II awards made keeping track of them prohibitive.)



The image of the Silver Star Medal might tend to be misleading. Despite its name, the large star that hangs from the red, white and blue ribbon is **gold**-colored. In fact, the award takes its name from the 3/16” **silver star** embedded in the center of the larger gold star, recalling the initial Citation Star device.

The Silver Star Medal thus became the Army’s fourth highest medal in the Pyramid of Honor, and the third highest award for valor in combat. (The Distinguished Service Medal, which ranks just above the Silver Star, is not awarded for combat heroism but for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service.)

MULTIPLE AWARDS (DEVICES)

As additional awards became part of the Pyramid of Honor, some new awards had potential to be earned many times and the number of Oak Leaf Clusters (OLC) had the potential to run out of space on an award ribbon. As a result, subsequently, a **Silver** Oak Leaf Cluster was authorized to replace four bronze OLCs for the sixth, eleventh, sixteenth, etc. award. A ribbon with two silver OLCs [eleven awards] and three bronze OLCs [three additional awards] would reflect fourteen awards of a specific medal.

Both the Army and Air Force award Oak Leaf Clusters to represent additional awards of virtually all their authorized medals. Navy awards (which include awards to Marines and members of the Coast Guard), use a gold star device in place of a bronze OLC and a silver star **device** for the 6th, 11th, 16th, etc. award.



Bronze or silver Oak Leaf Clusters (Army/Air Force), or Gold or Silver Stars (Navy/Marines/Coast Guard), are the **ONLY** devices worn on the Silver Star medal or ribbon. There are however, other awards, which can be presented for combat heroism, for service, or for achievement. These are sometimes presented with a bronze “V” device, noting the award is for valor. One common example is the Bronze Star. The ribbon shown here is a Bronze Star with “V” and one OLC. It indicates the recipient earned two Bronze Stars, and that at least one of the two was awarded for combat valor. Only one “V” device is worn on the ribbon, no matter how many of the awards were presented for valor. **Because the Silver Star is ONLY awarded for combat valor, it is NEVER awarded or worn with a “V” device.** To do so would be redundant.



Conversion of Citation Stars to Silver Stars

While the Silver Star replaced the previously awarded Citation Stars, it did not automatically result in conversion. The individual recipients of the earlier award had to request the conversion and issuance of the new Silver Star Medal. By and large, by 1932 most World War I veterans were no longer in service. Generally, it was primarily career soldiers, still in service, that took the step to request their earlier award be replaced with the new medal. For this reason, one must be careful in drawing a

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distinction between a Citation Star recipient and Silver Star recipient. Both awards are basically equivalent, the only difference being that the latter was formalized by both a request and paperwork. The primary difference between the text of the citations is:

- The Citation Star is presented by a commanding general with introductory text similar to: *“By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved July 9, 1918 (Bul. No. 43, W.D. 1918), [Rank, Name], United States Army, is **cited by the Commanding General, SECOND DIVISION, American Expeditionary Forces**, for gallantry in action and a silver star may be placed upon the ribbon of the Victory Medals awarded him.”*
- The Silver Star begins with the text: *“The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to [Rank, Name], United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy...”* (Note: With most citations, the text “takes pleasure in presenting” is used only when the award is presented to a living recipient. In those cases when the award is posthumously presented, the President “takes **pride** in presenting....”)

Army Silver Stars for Sailors & Marines

While the Silver Star remained an Army-only award from 1918 until 1942, this did not preclude members of the Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard from receiving them. During World War I, U.S. Marines primarily of the Fifth and Sixth Regiments of Marines, served directly under command of the Army. Most of their service was performed while attached to the 2d Division, American Expeditionary Forces. More than 2,500 Marines were cited for their gallantry in General Orders issued by the Commanding General of the 2d Division. More than 500 Marines were similarly cited by the Commanding General of the American Expeditionary Forces under A.E.F. General Orders.

Nearly 200 members of the U.S. Navy were similarly cited. They were primarily Medical Officers or Corpsmen who were attached to Marine Corps infantry units serving side-by-side with the Army, but also included 5 Navy Chaplains who were serving with these Marines.

When World War II began, the Silver Star was still an Army-only award. In the Philippine Islands, Navy and Marine defenders fought valiantly alongside their Army comrades. General Douglas MacArthur was quick to honor the gallantry of the men of both services with awards of the Army Silver Star. He also awarded Silver Stars to sea-going members of the Navy, including the entire crew of the submarine *U.S.S. Trout* (SS-202). Those seagoing Sailors received 70 awards in all, for a single dangerous and classified mission. From December 7, 1941 through May 1942, more than 88 Army Silver Stars were awarded to U.S. Marines. A total of 191 were awarded to members of the Navy.

One member of the Marine Corps, Corporal William N. McCormack, was awarded the Silver Star three times for his gallantry in the defense of the Philippine Islands. He later received a fourth award from the Navy. His

Silver Star ribbon is quite unique in that it properly displays two Oak Leaf Clusters and one Gold Star.



WORLD WAR II

(1,569 AWARDS)



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KAISER, JAMES LAWRENCE

James Kaiser graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Lawrence Kaiser (ASN: 0-24085), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action on 22 December 1944, near ****, Belgium. When a company from his battalion was being attacked by a numerically superior force, Lieutenant Colonel Kaiser left his Command Post and proceeded to that sector. Going to each position, always under heavy mortar, artillery and small arms fire, he made sure that the men were in the most advantageous positions to withstand the fanatical enemy assaults. Suddenly perceiving enemy infantry attempting for the second time to cross the river, Lieutenant Colonel Kaiser instantly opened fire with his personal weapon and also directed the fire of the company. With utter disregard for his own safety, in the face of the enemy's terrific assault fire, Lieutenant Colonel Kaiser, from his exposed position, continued to pour fire into the enemy. By his gallantry, Lieutenant Colonel Kaiser inspired his men to even greater acts of courage. His conduct was in keeping with the highest traditions of the Airborne Forces.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 36 (March 19, 1945)

Born: September 25, 1915 at Oregon

Home Town: Portland, Oregon

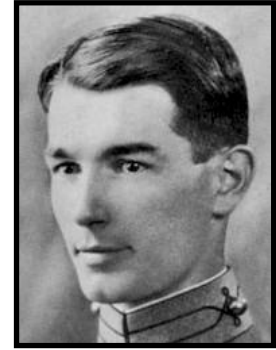
Death: March 9, 2006

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts

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KALAKUKA, THEODORE [POW (WWII) KIA]

Theodore Kalakuka's father emigrated from Russia to the U.S. in the 1890s, and the family settled in Scranton, Pennsylvania. Young Theodore joined the Pennsylvania National Guard in 1921, after turning 18. Two years later he received an appointment to the United States Military Academy, and in 1927 became the first Ukrainian American to graduate from West Point. He died in captivity as a Prisoner of War after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Quartermaster Corps) Theodore Kalakuka (ASN: 0-16841), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, in defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. On one of his inspection trips to Bataan that he became involved in an engagement with the Japanese in the vicinity of Agloloma. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kalakuka, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, General Orders No. 21 (1942)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Quartermaster Corps) Theodore Kalakuka (ASN: 0-16841), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, in defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kalakuka, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates and American Battle Monuments Commission

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Quartermaster Corps) Theodore Kalakuka (ASN: 0-16841), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, in defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kalakuka, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates and American Battle Monuments Commission

Born: April 11, 1905 at Jersey City, New Jersey

Home Town: Scranton, Pennsylvania

Death: KIA as a POW: October 31, 1942 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star w/V, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

KANE, MATTHEW WILLIAM

Matthew Kane graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired with disability from his war wounds in 1946 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Matthew William Kane, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 32d Armored Regiment, 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kane, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Armored Division, General Orders No. 3 (1945)

Born: March 21, 1911 at Chicago, Illinois

Home Town: Oak Park, Illinois

Death: April 6, 1959

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal



KANE, PAUL VINCENT

Paul Kane graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired with disability in 1949 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Paul Vincent Kane, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, THIRD U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Kane, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

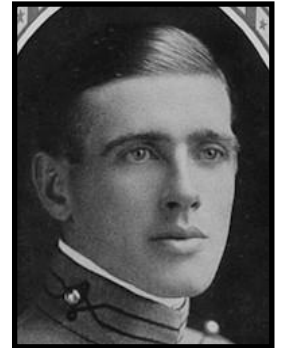
- Headquarters, III Corps, General Orders No. 6 (1946)

Born: July 19, 1892 at Worcester, Massachusetts

Home Town: Worcester, Massachusetts

Death: July 1, 1959 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



*KAPPES, GEORGE [POW (WWII) KIA]

George Kappes graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died at sea while being transported to Japan on a "Hell Ship" when it was sunk by a United States submarine that did not know the ship contained American Prisoners of War.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) George Kappes (ASN: 0-21124), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 92d Coast Artillery Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of the Philippine



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Islands in 1942. Captain Kappes displayed outstanding gallantry and leadership in leading his battery in an infantry-night action against attacking Japanese troops on Corregidor, Philippine Islands, on 5 - 6 May 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Kappes, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 69 (July 15, 1946)

Born: July 19, 1914 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Zanesville, Ohio

Death: KIA as a POW: October 24, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

KASPER, WILLIAM MYERS

William Kasper graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Myers Kasper (ASN: 0-23210), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 411th Infantry Regiment, 103d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Kirchheim, Germany, on 21 April 1945. When enemy 88-millimeter artillery, machine gun, and mortar fire forced a task force to disperse, Colonel Kasper, taking cover in a culvert with eight men, organized them into a defense and beat off an attack by a numerically superior enemy. Observing an eight-man patrol approaching under cover of darkness, he placed four men at the entrance of the culvert and, waiting until the patrol was within ten yards, directed a barrage of fire that killed all eight of the enemy. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kasper, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 103d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 142 (May 23, 1945)

Born: Montana

Home Town: Kansas City, Missouri

Death: June 14, 2005

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 5@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart



KASTNER, ALFRED EUGENE

Alfred Kastner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Alfred Eugene Kastner, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Division Artillery, 13th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Kastner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates



SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

Born: December 14, 1900 at New York
Home Town: Chambersburg, Pennsylvania
Death: March 1, 1983 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

KEELEY, JOHN THOMAS

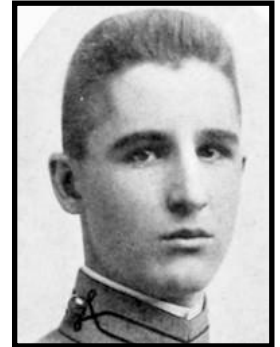
John Keeley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1948 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Thomas Keeley, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Keeley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 39 (1943)

Born: November 18, 1899 at Maine
Home Town: West Bend, Wisconsin
Death: December 5, 1973

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



*KELLAM, FREDERICK CAESAR AUGUSTUS [KIA (WWII)]

Frederick Kellam graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He was killed in action on D-Day in France while serving as a U.S. Army Major.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Infantry) Frederick Caesar Augustus Kellam (ASN: 0-20376), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action on 6 June 1944, near *****, France. Landing in the scheduled drop zone on D-Day, Major Kellam assembled and organized all available troops of his battalion and personally led them through enemy held territory to their initial objective. Heedless of danger from intense artillery, mortar and machine gun fire, Major Kellam moved among his men, and by his courage and aggressiveness instilled within them the determination to withhold the numerous counterattacks from a numerically superior enemy. In moving to a more advanced point, from which to better direct his troops, Major Kellam lost his life. His gallantry and devotion to duty inspired his men to successfully complete their mission and aided materially in the success of the Airborne Troops. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Kellam, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 37 (March 20, 1945)

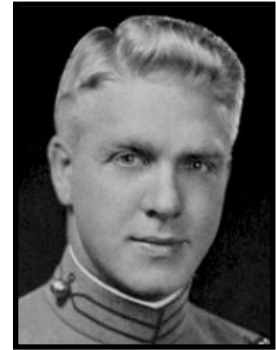
Born: December 27, 1919 at Pettit Barracks, Philippine Islands
Home Town: San Antonio, Texas
Death: KIA: June 6, 1944 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



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KELLER, JAMES HOWARD

James Keller graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) James Howard Keller, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 32d Infantry Regiment, 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Attu, Territory of Alaska, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Keller, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Howard Keller, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 32d Infantry Regiment, 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Keller, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XXIV Corps, General Orders No. 49 (1945)

Born: May 11, 1916 at Maryland

Home Town: Annapolis, Maryland

Death: February 13, 2011 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars

KELLEY, GERARD WILLIAM

Gerard Kelley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Gerard William Kelley, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Commanding Officer of the, 165th Infantry Regiment, 27th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations in 1943. Soon after the landing of his Infantry Regiment on an island in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, the Regimental Commander was killed. Colonel Kelley, then a battalion commander, assumed command of the regiment. He pressed the attack forward, visiting all points of the front where the advance was momentarily held up. Throughout the next three days he was constantly in evidence where the fighting was heaviest, exposing himself to enemy fire and directing the action. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Kelley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 27th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 10 (1944)

SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

Born: January 11, 1903 at New York, New York

Home Town: Bronx, New York

Death: March 21, 1969 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II)*, 2@ *Bronze Stars*, *Purple Heart*

KELLY, JOHN EDWARD

John Kelly graduated from the U.S. Military Academy with the Class of 1936. His son, John Edward Kelly, Jr., Captain, United States Army, a 1967 graduate of the United States Military Academy, was killed in action in Vietnam in 1969. John Kelly, Sr. retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Edward Kelly (ASN: 0-20156), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 378th Infantry Regiment, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kelly, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 29 (1944)

Born: July 10, 1911 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Nutley, New Jersey

Death: March 2, 1995 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: *Distinguished Service Cross (World War II)*, 2@ *Army Distinguished Service Medals*, *Silver Star (World War II)*, 2@ *Legion of Merit*, *Bronze Star*

KENDALL, PAUL WILKINS

Paul Kendall graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Paul Wilkins Kendall (ASN: 0-12199), United States Army, for gallantry in action while commanding an advanced element of the 85th Infantry Division, attached to the 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. During crossing of the Rapido River in January 1944, he organized boat groups and directing engineer groups, despite intense enemy artillery and mortar fire, and was wounded during the action. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Kendall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 11 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Paul Wilkins Kendall (ASN: 0-12199), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 88th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in

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Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Kendall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 127 (1944)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Major General Paul Wilkins Kendall (ASN: 0-12199), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 88th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Kendall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, II Corps, General Orders No. 14 (1945)

Born: July 17, 1898 at Baldwin, Kansas

Home Town: Sheridan, Wyoming

Death: October 3, 1983 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (Siberia), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

KENNEDY, JOHN EARLE, JR.

John Kennedy became an Eagle Scout at the age of 11, earned 56 merit badges and served as a student leader at the National Scout Jamboree in Washington, D.C. He attended C.E. Byrd High School, where he served as president of the Debating Club, and graduated in 1936 at the age of 16 as salutatorian in a class of 525 graduates, and was named Outstanding Cadet in ROTC. At the age of 16, he attended the Marion Military Institute in Alabama, where he placed second on the Dean's List and achieved the highest math scores ever recorded to date. In 1938, he was nominated for admission into the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, and graduated with the Class of 1942. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Corps of Engineers) John Earle Kennedy, Jr. (ASN: 0-24659), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, 7th Armored Division, in action in France, on 18 and 19 September 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Kennedy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 70 (October 31, 1944)

Born: December 13, 1920 at Shreveport, Louisiana

Home Town: Shreveport, Louisiana

Death: August 16, 2008 - Buried at: Forest Park East Cemetery - Shreveport, Louisiana

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

***KENYON, HARRY JESSE, JR. [KIA (WWII)]**

Harry Kenyon graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He was killed in action as a U.S. Army Captain, less than two years after graduation.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Infantry) Harry Jesse Kenyon, Jr. (ASN: 0-25886), United States Army, for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Company E, 513th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 17th Airborne Division, in action near Wesel, Germany, on 24 March, 1945. Captain Kenyon parachuted into enemy territory during the airborne crossing of the Rhine River. With a few of his men he landed in a heavily fortified enemy position. With complete disregard for his own safety, he led his small group of men in a gallant charge through intense small arms fire to destroy a German anti-aircraft and machine gun. Never faltering, he accounted for several snipers in his courageous dash to the gun position where he disposed of the crew members with his pistol. His immediate and inspiring action unquestionably averted many casualties to his fellow soldiers. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Kenyon, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 40 (1945)

Born: February 15, 1922 at Fond du Lac, Wisconsin

Home Town: Fond du Lac, Wisconsin

Death: KIA: March 24, 1945 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart*

KERN, WILLIAM BENTLEY

William Kern graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired with disability due to war wounds in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Bentley Kern, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, in the North Africa Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kern, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 21 (1943)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Bentley Kern, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, in the North Africa Theater of Operations, in 1943. In order to control more effectively his forces in an attack, Lieutenant Colonel Kern occupied an exposed forward

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position under heavy enemy fire. Twice his position was heavily shelled. With complete disregard for his own welfare, he directed the movement of the command post and continued to direct the attack from the exposed position. The courage, calmness, devotion to duty, and gallant leadership displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Kern reflect the finest traditions of the armed forces and are deserving of the highest praise.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: July 27, 1911 at Virginia

Home Town: Ellensburg, Washington

Death: December 19, 1991 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 4@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

KESSLER, ALFRED AUGUST, JR.

Alfred Kessler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Alfred August Kessler, Jr. (AFSN: 216A/0-14903), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 95th Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Kessler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 85 (June 27, 1943)

Born: August 3, 1898 at Union Hill, New Jersey

Home Town: Sacramento, California

Death: November 30, 1956 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 2@ Air Medals



*KETCHUM, HUBERT WHITNEY [KIA (WWII)]

Hubert Ketchum graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He was killed in action in the Philippine Islands early in World War II while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Hubert Whitney Ketchum (ASN: 0-16197), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 26th Cavalry, Philippine Scouts, in action against the enemy during the defense of the Philippine Islands, in December 1941. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Ketchum, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, General Orders No. 40 (1942)

Born: Cuba



SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

Home Town: San Francisco, California

Death: KIA: December 24, 1941 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart*

KEVAN, WILLIAM PARHAM, JR. [DNB (1945)]

William Kevan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was killed in an Air Accident while serving as an Army Air Forces Lieutenant Colonel in 1945.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) William Parham Kevan, Jr. (ASN: 0-23202), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber and as Deputy Commanding Officer of the 98th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Kevan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2129 (April 6, 1945)

Born: August 30, 1917 at Petersburg, Virginia

Home Town: Petersburg, Virginia

Death: DNB: November 27, 1945 - Buried at: Blandford Cemetery - Petersburg, Virginia

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, 4@ Air Medals*

KEYES, GEOFFREY

Geoffrey Keyes graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1913. He retired as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General in 1950.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Geoffrey Keyes (ASN: 0-3561), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Commanding General of the SEVENTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in Sicily, in July 1943. General Keyes made daily flights over the enemy lines in a Piper Cub to secure information and keep the Commanding General, SEVENTH Army, accurately informed of the location of his own front line troops. These flights, made without fighter escort, and heedless of personal risk, were a major factor in the rapid and overwhelming victory achieved by the SEVENTH Army and served as an inspiring example to the entire command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Keyes, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- General Orders No. 19 (September 1, 1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Geoffrey Keyes (ASN: 0-3561), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, U.S. Army II Corps, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The

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gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Keyes, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 108 (1944)

Born: October 30, 1888 at Fort Bayard, New Mexico

Home Town: Pikesville, Maryland

Death: September 17, 1967 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

KIDDER, JAMES DONALD

James Kidder graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) James Donald Kidder (ASN: 0-26227), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company H, 274th Infantry Regiment, 70th Infantry Division, on 21 February 1945. During the battle for wooded terrain south of Styring Wendel, France, an enemy counterattack cut off one company from the battalion and regained a strong fortified position. Recognizing the seriousness of the situation, Captain Kidder, organizing a group of men from three separate tactical units, led them with such skill and aggressiveness that they drove the enemy back, inflicting heavy casualties and re-establishing contact with the company which had been cut off. After quickly establishing defensive positions he went to the rear and, despite hazardous enemy artillery fire, brought up a heavy machinegun to a strategic position in time to aid in beating back another enemy counterattack, accounting for 15 known dead. Throughout the action Captain Kidder displayed such outstanding leadership and courage that all the men were inspired to greater efforts and finally drove the enemy from the fortified positions. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Kidder, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 70th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 23 (March 28, 1945)

Born: March 7, 1919 at Oregon

Home Town: Sederma Park, Maryland

Death: January 20, 2000 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

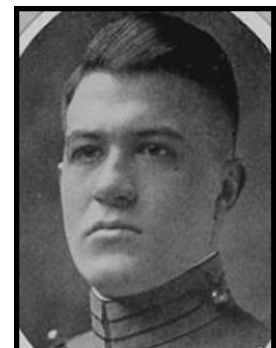
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, 8@ Air Medals



KIEFER, HOMER WATSON

Homer Kiefer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel Homer Watson Kiefer (ASN: 0-12701), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Artillery Officer for the SIXTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Kiefer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: November 20, 1898 at Attica, Ohio

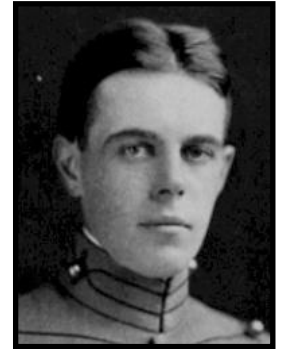
Home Town: Bellefontaine, Ohio

Death: September 22, 1976 – Buried at Arlington National Cemetery – Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 2@ Bronze Stars, 3@ Air Medals

KIELTY, JOSEPH ALOYSIUS

Joseph Kielty graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1946 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Joseph Aloysius Kielty, United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy as Executive Officer, 349th Infantry Regiment, 88th Infantry Division, in Italy, on 19 May 1944. When the 3d Battalion was ordered to seize a city in a night attack, Lieutenant Kielty gallantly led a frontal assault on the enemy positions in the face of murderous fire from four machine guns, three machine pistols and 40 riflemen. With two squads organized on the spur of the moment in a skirmish line, this officer led the assault, ignoring the vicious hostile cross-fire which threatened to cut him down. Calling to the enemy to show themselves, running ahead of the troops and urging them to follow him, this courageous officer so inspired his men that they charged the hostile emplacements, yelling and firing, and scattering the enemy in disorder. After five of the enemy had been killed and six captured, Lieutenant Colonel Kielty led his troops in pursuit of those attempting to escape, only stopping when the enemy, fleeing in several half-tracks, disappeared in the night, blowing bridges to cover their retreat. By assuming the initiative among these troops in their first night assault on enemy positions, Lieutenant Colonel Kielty, by his intrepid leadership, imbued the troops with an indomitable fighting spirit and confidence which assured the success of their courageous assault. The gallant leadership of Lieutenant Colonel Kielty has won the high regard of all who know of his deed and reflects the highest credit upon himself and the military service.

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Born: March 23, 1899 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania

Death: April 30, 1981 - Buried at: Golden Gate National Cemetery - San Bruno, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

KIMBRELL, GORDON TALMAGE

Gordon Kimbrell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Gordon Talmage Kimbrell (ASN: 0-20851), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 306th Infantry Regiment, 77th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and

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dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kimbrell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 77th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 37 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Gordon Talmage Kimbrell (ASN: 0-20851), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 306th Infantry Regiment, 77th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kimbrell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 77th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 494 (1945)

Born: February 13, 1914 at Decatur, Georgia

Home Town: Athens, Georgia

Death: December 10, 1979 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

KING, RICHARD THOMAS, JR. [POW (WWII)]

Richard King graduated from The Citadel, and was appointed to the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He was captured by the Japanese on December 3, 1944, and held as a Prisoner of War until August 29, 1945. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Richard Thomas King, Jr. (ASN: 0-19232), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-29 Very Heavy Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 500th Bombardment Group (Very Heavy), TWENTIETH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Pacific Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel King, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 20th Air Force, General Orders No. 63 (September 14, 1945)

Born: October 10, 1908 at Georgetown, South Carolina

Home Town: Georgetown, South Carolina

Death: December 30, 1995 - Buried at: Elmwood Cemetery and Annex - Georgetown, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

KING, RILEY SMITH

Riley King graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He was Honorably Discharged in 1948 as a U.S. Army Captain.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Riley Smith King (ASN: 0-24026), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving on the Regimental Staff of an Infantry Regiment of the 29th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, in July 1944. Captain King led a 2-man patrol that brought rations and supplies to an Infantry Battalion that had been cut off and lost at St. Lo. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain King, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: August 15, 1915 at Oklahoma

Home Town: Corvallis, Oregon

Death: March 19, 2001 - Buried at: Barrancas National Cemetery - Pensacola, Florida

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



KINNARD, HARRY WILLIAM OSBORN

Harry Kinnard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Harry William Osborn Kinnard (ASN: 0-21990), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 501st Parachute Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kinnard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 33 (1944)

Born: May 7, 1915 at Dallas, Texas

Home Town: Dallas, Texas

Death: January 5, 2009 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

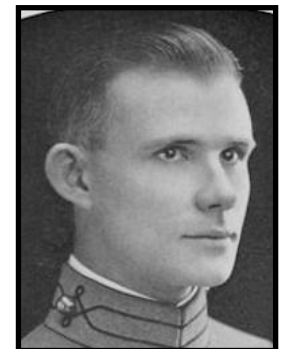
Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, 9@ Air Medals



KIRKPATRICK, GRAHAM

Graham Kirkpatrick graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He resigned from military service in 1926 to go into private business, but returned to service in 1941. He retired with disability in 1945 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Graham Kirkpatrick, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 10th Armored Infantry Battalion, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in France,



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in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kirkpatrick, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 28 (1944)

Born: July 26, 1901 at Selma, Alabama

Home Town: Selma, Alabama

Death: February 13, 1968 - Buried at: Fort Gibson National Cemetery – Fort Gibson, Oklahoma

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

KISSNER, AUGUST WALTER

August Kissner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He retired in 1958 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General August Walter Kissner (ASN: 0-17282), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with Headquarters, EIGHTH Air Force from 6 August to 12 August 1944. General Kissner, as Air Commander, led a Division Task Force on a hazardous shuttle bombing operations against five high priority targets in Europe. The initial attack was successfully carried out in spite of fierce enemy fighter opposition and the formation landed at friendly bases. After organizing and leading his units in a devastating attack against enemy oil installations, General Kissner directed his Combat Wings in a two-pronged attack against airfields in enemy-occupied territory, again landing at friendly bases. On the final leg of the mission, the Division wrought havoc on one of the few remaining airfields of the Germans in *****. The outstanding success of the entire operation is in a large measure attributable to the gallant leadership of General Kissner, whose actions inspired all those who participated with him.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 491 (September 9, 1944)

Born: February 8, 1906 at New Haven, Connecticut

Home Town: New Haven, Connecticut

Death: July 10, 1993 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal



KLEITZ, ANTHONY FRANK [DNB (1958)]

Anthony Kleitz graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He died in an air accident in Germany in 1958, while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Anthony Frank Kleitz, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer, 113th Cavalry Group (Separate), NINETEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in France from 7 July 1944 to 8 July 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Kleitz's leadership and disregard for his own safety contributed immeasurably to the crossing of an



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important river. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kleitz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XIX Corps, General Orders No. 49 (1944)

Born: June 30, 1910 at Philippine Islands

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: DNB: January 31, 1958 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

KLOCKO, RICHARD PHILLIP P. [POW (WWII)]

Richard Klocko graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. In February 1943, while on a special mission over enemy lines, dropping messages to isolated units, he was taken a prisoner of war. For this special mission, General Klocko received the Silver Star from the commanding general of the 1st Armored Division. He remained a prisoner of war in Germany until April 1945. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Richard Philip P. Klocko (ASN: 0-20608), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action as Pilot of a P-39 Airacobra Fighter Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 350th Fighter Group, TWELFTH Air Force, in operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in support of the 1st Armored Division. On 24 February 1943, Lieutenant Colonel Klocko distinguished himself in action against an armed enemy in North Africa. In the face of hostile air attack and heavy ground fire he dropped a message to trapped ground troops directing their escape attempt. This action resulted in the release of approximately 450 men and officers. The courage, bravery and complete disregard for personal welfare displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Klocko are deserving of the highest praise and reflect the finest traditions of the Armed Forces.

- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 15 (March 3, 1943)

Born: February 26, 1915 at Dunkirk, New York

Home Town: Dunkirk, New York

Death: April 19, 2011 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 3@ Air Medals

KNAPP, JAMES BARCLAY

James Knapp graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) James Barclay Knapp (ASN: 0-21890), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber of the 767th Bombardment Squadron, 461st Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force. On 9 August 1944, Lieutenant Colonel Knapp led a wing formation on a bombing mission against vital strategic enemy



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installations in Hungary. Approaching the target, his aircraft was severely damaged by intense and accurate enemy anti-aircraft fire. However, realizing the vital importance of his lead position, Lieutenant Colonel Knapp courageously continued on course. Despite continued heavy enemy fire, displaying outstanding leadership and airmanship, Lieutenant Colonel Knapp brought his entire wing formation through the enemy defenses for a highly successful bombing run. Under his superior direction, the bombs from his wing were concentrated in the immediate target area, inflicting grave damage to vital enemy supplies, equipment and installations. En route to base, he skillfully maneuvered his formation through severe and adverse weather conditions for a safe landing without further damage or loss. By his outstanding courage, professional skill and intense devotion to duty in the face of heavy enemy fire, as evidenced throughout his combat career, Lieutenant Colonel Knapp has reflected great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States of America.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2905 (August 28, 1944)

Born: August 13, 1915 at Macomb, Illinois

Home Town: Blandinsville, Illinois

Death: February 18, 1999 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals

KNIGHT, ARCHIE JOYCE

Archie Knight graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Archie Joyce Knight (ASN: 0-23236), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Fighter Airplane of the 57th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, on 13 May 1943. During a fighter mission, Major Knight's formation was attacked by five ME-109's of which by superior airmanship, he managed to damage at least three. During the attack his aircraft suffered considerable damage while still over enemy lines, forcing him to attempt to return to safety. Upon seeing another aircraft being attacked by an enemy fighter and jeopardizing his own safety, he engaged it and sent it crashing into the sea. As a result of his gallant action he was forced to crash land while still on territory under enemy fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Knight, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 58 (June 28, 1943)

Born: April 18, 1916 at Richmond, Indiana

Home Town: Fountain City, Indiana

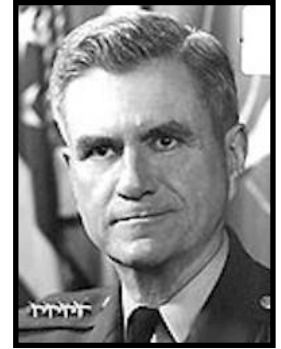
Death: February 18, 1989 - Buried at: Forest Home Cemetery - Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 8@ Air Medals



KNOWLTON, WILLIAM ALLEN

William Knowlton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He returned to the Academy from 1970 to 1974 to serve as Superintendent of the Academy, and retired in 1980 as a U.S. Army General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Cavalry) William Allen Knowlton (ASN: 0-25436), United States Army, for gallantry in action as a member of Troop B, 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 7th Armored Division, in action on 2 May 1945, in the area between ***** and *****, Germany. Lieutenant Knowlton was given the hazardous mission of passing through American lines in the vicinity of ***** and advancing through enemy troops for the purpose of making contact with the Russian forces known to be moving west on *****. Lieutenant Knowlton's force, consisting only of a reconnaissance troop, advanced rapidly through enemy columns retreating westward and upon reaching ***** he assumed command of the city and all troops in the vicinity. This assumption of command was effected despite the hostile attitude of the local German commander and although enemy SS troops in the town numbered many thousands. Acting without hesitation, Lieutenant Knowlton forcefully ordered and brought about the surrender of several German army units complete with personnel and equipment. Notwithstanding a hostile attitude adopted by some German troops in the vicinity of *****, Lieutenant Knowlton achieved complete control within the city and it was possible for him to continue with his mission of making contact with approaching Russian forces. During this entire mission he moved through the enemy lines with but one platoon for security and except for intermittent artillery fire he was enabled to pierce the enemy positions virtually unopposed. Through this entire action Lieutenant Knowlton displayed excellent judgment, vigor and gallantry in accomplishing a difficult mission under conditions fraught with hazard. His conduct reflects great credit upon himself and is worthy of emulation.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 67 (May 11, 1945)

Born: June 19, 1920 at Weston, Massachusetts

Home Town: Boston, Massachusetts

Death: August 10, 2008 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Defense Distinguished Service Medal, Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (Vietnam), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V, 9@ Air Medals

*KOEHLER, ELMER JOHN [KIA (WWII)]

Elmer Koehler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Elmer John Koehler (ASN: 0-19752), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 961st Field Artillery Battalion (Separate) FIFTEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 17 February 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Koehler directed the fire of his artillery battalion in support of a river crossing, under circumstances requiring the highest degree of accuracy and coordination. He voluntarily took post within 70 meters of the fire as an example to the infantry, and remained in observation to coordinate the artillery fire during the crossing. Lieutenant Colonel Koehler's coolness and decisive action under fire

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was an inspiration to the supported Infantry and his actions contributed materially to the success of the operations. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Koehler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XV Corps, General Orders No. 29 (1945)

Born: November 28, 1912 at Buffalo, New York

Home Town: Buffalo, New York

Death: KIA: April 16, 1945 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: *Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts*

KOLB, HERBERT GORDON [DNB (1946)]

Herbert Kolb graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He was killed in an air Accident in Denver, Colorado, on November 28, 1946.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Herbert Gordon Kolb (ASN: 0-25493), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-51 Mustang Fighter Airplane of the 353d Fighter Group, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations during World War II. Major Kolb by his brilliant leadership, led many successful missions, both fighter escort and strafing, into enemy territory. He was personally credited with destroying 18 German planes on the ground in less than a month. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Kolb, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, VIII Fighter Command, General Orders No. 20 (August 14, 1945)

Born: 1918 at Colorado

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: DNB: November 28, 1946 - Buried at: Fairmount Cemetery - Denver, Colorado

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 7@ Air Medals*



KOPCSAK, PETER JAMES

Peter Kopcsak graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired with disability in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Peter James Kopcsak (ASN: 0-19440), United States Army, for gallantry in action as a member of the 602d Tank Destroyer Battalion, in action against an armed enemy 9 November 1944, in France. Task Force "A", 26th Infantry Division, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Kopcsak, launched an attack northeast of *****, France. The advance of the task force was stopped just west of *****, France, by heavy artillery, mortar, small arms fire and anti-tank weapons. Despite the heavy enemy resistance and excellent enemy observation, disregarding his own personal safety, Lieutenant Colonel Kopcsak was on the ground with the reconnaissance elements of the Task Force directing operations and giving encouragement and inspiration to his troops to move forward. Lieutenant Colonel Kopcsak's aggressiveness, courage, utter disregard for his own



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personal safety and tenacity of purpose reflect great credit upon himself and uphold the highest traditions of the Military Service of the United States.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 43 (December 16, 1944)

Born: Pennsylvania

Home Town: Hempfield, Pennsylvania

Death: March 18, 2002

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

KOSTER, SAMUEL WILLIAM

Samuel Koster graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. he served from 1968 to 1970 as Superintendent of the Academy. After that billet, he was slated for promotion to lieutenant general before receiving a reduction in rank to brigadier general and retiring as a result of his efforts to minimize the details of the My Lai Massacre in Vietnam. He retired in 1973 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Samuel William Koster (ASN: 0-24873), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 413th Infantry Regiment, 104th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Koster, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 104th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 169 (1945)

Born: December 29, 1919 at West Liberty, Iowa

Home Town: West Liberty, Iowa

Death: January 23, 2006 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Vietnam), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, 13@ Air Medals

KREBER, LEO MYRON

Leo Kreber graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1918. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Leo Myron Kreber (ASN: 0-171657), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 37th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Kreber, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 37th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 357 (1945)

Born: August 15, 1896 at Akron, Ohio

Home Town: Columbus, Ohio

Death: September 5, 1973 - Buried at: Saint Joseph Cemetery - Lockbourne, Ohio

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit



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KROMER, WILLIAM ANNESLEY [KIA (WWII)]

William Kromer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He was killed in action as a U.S. Army Captain during World War II. He was the son of General Leon Benjamin Kromer.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) William Annesley Kromer (ASN: 0-24004), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Company A, 1st Battalion, 345th Infantry Regiment, 87th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Moircy, Belgium, on 30 December 1944. Captain Kromer was commanding Company A as it advanced to take a town as its objective. The Third Platoon, which was well in advance of the company, became subjected to murderous frontal fire from two enemy tanks partially protected by buildings, while fire from the rear came from machine guns and small arms fire from enemy positions in the field. Captain Kromer immediately ordered his first platoon leader to advance with rocket launcher teams in an effort to knock out the tanks. He himself then took command of the first platoon, assaulted the enemy machine gun positions, and silenced them after killing or capturing all the occupants. Meanwhile the Third Platoon had suffered many casualties from the hostile fire. Realizing the dangerous position of the men, Captain Kromer ordered the second platoon to advance to aid in the attack. During these actions he constantly exposed himself to enemy fire with complete disregard for his own personal safety, risking his life many times in order to personally supervise the action. Finally being fully conscious of the risk he was taking, Captain Kromer moved further forward to better direct his troops and control operations. He moved only a few yards when he was struck down by machine gun fire. He died a few minutes later. His gallantry, courageous leadership and outstanding heroism, contributed greatly toward the success of his mission. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Kromer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 87th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (1945)

Born: October 24, 1917 at Tennessee

Home Town: Northfield, Vermont

Death: KIA: December 30, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

KUNKEL, DAVID ERNEST, JR.

David Kunkel graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) David Ernest Kunkel, Jr. (ASN: 0-23805), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 534th Bombardment Squadron, 381st Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Kunkel, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 155 (September 13, 1943)

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Born: December 24, 1918 at Bay City, Michigan

Home Town: Muskegon, Michigan

Death: March 14, 2005

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 3@ Air Medals

KUNZIG, HENRY BING

Henry Kunzig graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Henry Bing Kunzig, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 28th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kunzig, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 18 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Henry Bing Kunzig, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 28th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Kunzig, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 134 (1945)

Born: October 5, 1908 at Spokane, Washington

Home Town: Minneapolis, Minnesota

Death: October 21, 1960 - Buried at: Fort Benning Post Cemetery - Fort Benning, Georgia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

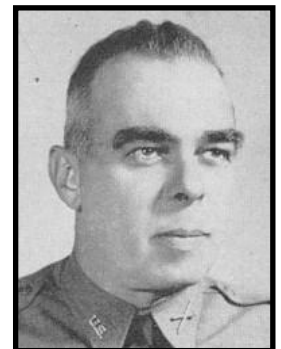


KURTZ, MAURICE KEYES

Maurice Kurtz graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Maurice Keyes Kurtz, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Division Artillery, 14th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Kurtz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 14th Armored Division, General Orders No. 71 (1945)



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Born: April 28, 1897 at Iowa

Home Town: Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Death: October 29, 1965 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

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LABRECHE, GEORGE JOSEPH

George LaBreche graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) George Joseph LaBreche (ASN: 0-23075), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a British Spitfire 9 Fighter Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 307th Fighter Squadron, 31st Fighter Group, TWELFTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the North Africa Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major LaBreche, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, XII Air Support Command, General Orders No. 17 (May 1, 1943)
 - Born: February 22, 1915 at Springfield, Massachusetts
 - Home Town: Springfield, Massachusetts
 - Death: November 1, 2003 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
 - Personal Awards:* Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 14@ Air Medals

LAFLAMME, ERNEST HERTEL

Ernest Laflamme graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Ernest Hertel Laflamme, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy near Manila, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1944. When forward elements of his unit were pinned down by fire from a Japanese 5-inch naval gun and supporting heavy machine gun blocking the southern approaches to Manila in early February, the Lieutenant Colonel Laflamme proceeded to reconnoiter the terrain for a safe route of approach for his paratroopers. Returning after being subjected to heavy fire periodically by Japanese machine guns and artillery, he led his troops in a continuation of the attack. Lieutenant Colonel Laflamme's gallant actions were credited with the successful, swift advance against stubborn enemy resistance. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Laflamme, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 40 (1945)

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Born: December 23 at Manchester, New Hampshire

Home Town: Manchester, New Hampshire

Death: August 6, 1980 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II)*

LAHTI, EDWARD HENRY

Edward Lahti's older brother was killed in action in World War I, and his death gave him the inspiration to follow a military career. He graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. Some of his citations list his middle initial as "M" in error. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Henry Lahti, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in Leyte, Philippine Islands, in 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Lahti located Japanese machine gun emplacements, which had pinned down the leading elements of his battalion. He then directed from an exposed position, counterfire which later destroyed the enemy emplacement. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lahti, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 6 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Henry Lahti, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in Leyte, Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lahti, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: April 28, 1913 at Portland, Oregon

Home Town: Portland, Oregon

Death: September 2, 2001 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ *Silver Stars (World War II)*, *Legion of Merit*, 3@ *Bronze Stars*, *Purple Heart*, *Air Medal*

LAMBERT, ARTHUR LAWRENCE

Arthur Lambert graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Arthur Lawrence Lambert (ASN: 0-24731), United States Army, for gallantry in action as a member of Headquarters, 42d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 2d Cavalry Group (Separate), TWELFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against an armed enemy on 14 April 1945, in Germany. Assuming command of a task force of two troops of the 42d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, reinforced by light



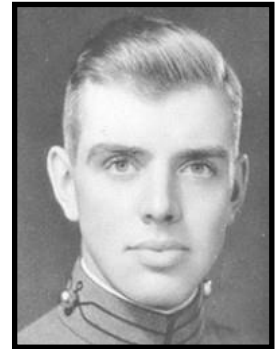
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tanks, Major Lambert accomplished with minimum loss of American lives the complete blocking of all roads on the eastern exits of Bayrouth. To accomplish this he passed through territory heavily defended by the enemy, in strength much greater than his own. Despite receiving enemy attacks from both flanks, he continually pushed his advance remaining always with the most engaged elements of his command and inspiring them by his courage and calmness under fire to rapidly overcome enemy resistance and establish road blocks on the exits of Bayrouth. His daring leadership of a small force resulted in the killing of over one hundred Germans and the capture of over eight hundred prisoners. His courage, leadership, and tactical skill exhibited are in accordance with the highest standards of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the Military Service of the United States.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 55 (June 28, 1945)
Born: February 10, 1919 at Springfield, Massachusetts
Home Town: Lowell, Massachusetts
Death: July 9, 1997 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

LAMPERT, JAMES BENJAMIN

James Lampert was the son of Lieutenant James G. B. Lampert (USMA 1910), who died in January 1919 while serving with the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe. He graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) James Benjamin Lampert (ASN: 0-20147), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the Engineer Section, FOURTEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy during the Luzon Campaign near Manila, Philippine Islands, in February 1945. During the crossing of, and establishment of a bridgehead across the Pasig River in Manila, Lieutenant Colonel Lampert voluntarily remained in an advanced position in the face of one of the heaviest mortar and artillery concentrations laid down by the enemy. Lieutenant Colonel Lampert, by exposing himself far beyond the call of duty, was able to obtain a clear picture of the technical situation and effectively plan and coordinate engineer support which contributed much to the rapid destruction of all Japanese then remaining in the city. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lampert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
Born: April 16, 1914 at Washington, D.C.
Home Town: Sheboygan, Wisconsin
Death: July 10, 1978 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

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LAMPERT, LESTER LELAND, JR.

Lester Lampert graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel. During World War II while he was serving in combat in Europe, his father by the same name and a 1914 USMA graduate was serving as a U.S. Army Colonel in China.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Lester Leland Lampert, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 410th Infantry Regiment, 103d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in January 1945. Major Lampert led his battalion in stemming the German's January attack into Alsace at Schilersdorf. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Lampert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 103d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 52 (1945)
Born: August 10, 1917 at New York
Home Town: El Paso, Texas
Death: December 27, 1996 - Buried at: Calvary Episcopal Church Cemetery - Fletcher, North Carolina
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

LANDON, TRUMAN HEMPEL

Truman Landon graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. As Commander of the 38th Reconnaissance Squadron from 1939 to 1942, he participated in the first mass flight of B-17s from California to Hawaii in May 1937, and was inbound in a flight of B-17s even as the Japanese were attacking Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps), [then Major] Truman Hempel Landon (ASN: 0-17268/93A), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action, conspicuous bravery, coolness and expert handling of his airplane while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber of the 18th Reconnaissance Squadron (Heavy), SEVENTH Air Force, during the Japanese aerial attack on Hickam Field, Territory of Hawaii, on 7 December 1941. Major Landon, Echelon Commander on a flight from Hamilton Field, California, after an all-night flight and with only a small quantity of gasoline remaining which necessitated an early landing, arrived in the vicinity of Hickam Field during the Japanese attack and was subjected to heavy anti-aircraft fire and was attacked by Japanese aircraft. Lieutenant Colonel Landon's flight was unarmed and unprepared for an attack and rather than risk damaging the aircraft under his control by landing in an inadequate, although protected field, brought about the safe landing of his flight through his skill, coolness and daring under fire.

- Headquarters, VII Bomber Command, General Orders No. 18 (March 13, 1942)
Born: 1905 at Maryville, Missouri
Home Town: Carlinville, Illinois
Death: January 27, 1986 - Buried at: U.S. Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado
Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 3@ Air Medals

LANDRUM, JAMES EDWARD, JR.

James Landrum graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Edward Landrum, Jr. (ASN: 0-20216), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 305th Infantry Regiment, 77th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Landrum, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 77th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 37 (1944)

Born: March 8, 1914 at Kosciusko, Mississippi

Home Town: Kosciusko, Mississippi

Death: December 25, 2002 - Buried at: Oahu Cemetery - Honolulu, Hawaii

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ LOM, 2@ Bronze Stars, 3@ Purple Hearts



LANG, CORNELIS DEWITT WILLCOX

Cornelis Lang graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Cornelis deWitt Willcox Lang (ASN: 0-19734), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer, Division Artillery, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Hollandia and the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lang, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 29 (1945)

Born: August 31, 1913 at Buffalo, New York

Home Town: Biltmore Forest, North Carolina

Death: February 12, 1993 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

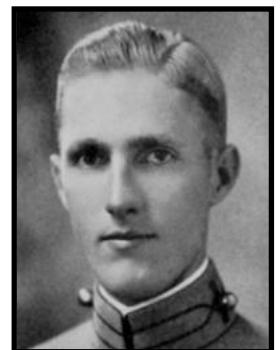
Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



LANGDON, WENDELL HOLMES

Wendell Langdon graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired with disability in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Wendell Holmes Langdon, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 168th Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Langdon, without regard for his own life, were in keeping



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with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 49 (1943)

Born: August 23, 1908 at Colorado

Home Town: Los Angeles, California

Death: November 18, 1984 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

LANGE, OTTO FREDERICK

Otto Lange graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired with disability in 1948 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Otto Frederick Lange, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Lange, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 34 (1944)

Born: March 28, 1891 at St. Paul, Minnesota

Home Town: St. Paul, Minnesota

Death: May 5, 1965 - Buried at: Mountain View Cemetery and Mausoleum - Altadena, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



LANHAM, CHARLES TRUEMAN

Charles Lanham graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Major General.

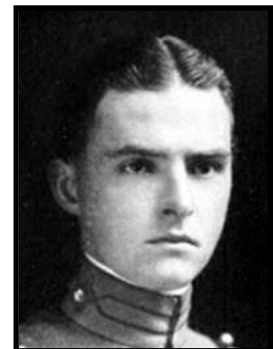
First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Charles Trueman Lanham (ASN: 0-15568), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 22d Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lanham, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 49 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Charles Trueman Lanham (ASN: 0-15568), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 22d Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lanham, without regard for his own life, were in



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keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 77 (1944)

Born: September 14, 1902 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Bolivar, Missouri

Death: July 20, 1978 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

LAPRADE, JAMES LOUIS [KIA (WWII)]

James LaPrade graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He was killed in action during World War II while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel. His brother James LaPrade was killed in action while serving with U.S. Marines at Guadalcanal, and was subsequently awarded the Navy Cross.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Louis LaPrade (ASN: 0-21995), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 506th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel LaPrade, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 36 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Louis LaPrade (ASN: 0-21995), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 506th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Ardennes Forest, France, on or about 12 December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel LaPrade, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 4 (1945)

Born: April 5, 1914 at Portland, Texas

Home Town: Portland, Texas

Death: KIA: December 19, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

LARDIN, HARRY EVANS

Harry Lardin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Harry Evans Lardin, United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer, Combat Command A, 12th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in



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1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lardin, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 23, 1911 at Butler, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania

Death: May 12, 1989 - Buried at: National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific - Honolulu, Hawaii

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

LARSEN, STANLEY ROBERT

Stanley Larson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability in 1972 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Stanley Robert Larsen (ASN: 0-22094), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Larsen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 25th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 16 (1945)

Born: November 11, 1915 at Honolulu, Hawaii

Home Town: Honolulu, Hawaii

Death: November 1, 2000 - Buried at: Oak Hill Cemetery - Talladega, Alabama

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 7@ Air Medals



LARTER, HARRY CLIFTON, JR.

Harry Larter graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He retired with disability in 1950 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Harry Clifton Larter, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 8th Tank Destroyer Group (Separate), THIRD U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Larter, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, III Corps, General Orders No. 6 (1946)

Born: September 23, 1902 at New Jersey

Home Town: Newark, New Jersey

Death: August 16, 1960 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



***LATIMER, WILLIAM JAMES, JR. [POW (WWII) KIA]**

William Latimer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. Captured by the Japanese after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, died aboard a Japanese "Hell Ship" while being transported to Japan in January 1945.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Field Artillery) William James Latimer, Jr. (ASN: 0-17590), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, Visayan Forces, in the Philippine Islands, during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Latimer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 205 (1946)

Born: January 21, 1908 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Anacostia, Virginia

Death: KIA as a POW: January 23, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

***LAUMAN, PHILIP GATCH, JR. [POW (WWII) KIA]**

Philip Lauman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he was held as a Prisoner of War, and died aboard the Japanese "Hell Ship" Oryoku Maru when it was bombed by American planes while transporting American POWs to Japan.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Field Artillery) Philip Gatch Lauman, Jr. (ASN: 0-20674), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, FIRST Corps, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Lauman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: August 1, 1915 at California

Home Town: Pittsylvania County, Virginia

Death: KIA as a POW: December 15, 1944 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

LAWRENCE, THOMAS EDWARD

Thomas Lawrence graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1965 as a U. S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Infantry) Thomas Edward Lawrence, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with an Infantry Company of the 434th Infantry Regiment, 106th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European

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Theater of Operations, in December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Lawrence, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 106th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 56 (1945)

Born: July 24, 1921 at Litchfield, Minnesota

Home Town: Litchfield, Minnesota

Death: April 2, 1995 - Buried at: Saint Colombans Church Cemetery - Greenleaf, Minnesota

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts*

LEAHY, OSMUND ALFRED

Osmund Leahy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1977 as a U.S. Army Major General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Osmund Alfred Leahy (ASN: 0-23106), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 2d Battalion, 325th Glider Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 5 July 1944. While the 325th Glider Infantry was advancing south it encountered an enemy strongpoint that opened a gap between the first and third battalion to delay its advance, and forced the first battalion to delay its advance. This battalion had been greatly weakened by constant combat and had only a 30- man reserve. It was widely extended through a heavily wooded area and fields bordered with hedgerows which limited visibility to 50 yards. Major Leahy made a personal reconnaissance along the enemy front lines on the basis of which he was able to dispose his men and hold off a heavy hostile counterattack until two of our medium tanks arrived. He then organized his men around the two tanks and personally led them in the assault. He led his men skillfully and within almost point-blank range of the strong-point and utilized them to such advantage that he was able to effect the complete annihilation of the enemy at that point and capture their position. Nearly every German defending this point was killed or captured. Its reduction enabled the 325th Glider Infantry to continue its advance to the south. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Leahy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 41 (July 29, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Osmund Alfred Leahy (ASN: 0-23106), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 401st Glider Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action against the enemy on 2 October 1944 about one mile from *****, Holland. Major Leahy was commanding the 2d Battalion, 401st Glider Infantry Regiment, during an attack when the advance of the battalion was halted by heavy machine gun and small arms fire. Major Leahy, with utter disregard for his own personal safety, moved about in an area where several men had just been wounded and personally directed the fire of tanks and coordinated it with the fire of infantrymen so that he was able to maintain the momentum of the advance. Throughout the day and during a continuation of the attack that night, Major Leahy repeatedly moved to critical points, calmly directed the attack and insured its eventual success. He was a constant inspiration to his men and displayed in every way the highest qualities of leadership, tactical skill and

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utter fearlessness. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Leahy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 60 (November 30, 1944)

Third Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Osmund Alfred Leahy (ASN: 0-23106), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 2d Battalion, 401st Glider Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action on 7 January 1945, near *****, Belgium. When a sudden tank attack halted the advance of his battalion and threatened to disorganize it, Lieutenant Colonel Leahy went immediately, under heavy close range fire from supporting artillery, to the most exposed company. Narrowly escaping death when a shell killed five men near him, Lieutenant Colonel Leahy imperturbably continued with the business of getting the exposed elements of his battalion to higher and more sheltered ground. Lieutenant Colonel Leahy himself remained on open ground exposed to the fire of the tanks until all his men had moved to cover. His prompt action and his example of great personal courage minimized the disorganization caused by the armored attack and insured the accomplishment of the battalion mission without delay. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Leahy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 21 (February 24, 1945)

Born: August 31, 1915 at Owego, New York

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: December 9, 1989 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star

LEARMAN, BIRDSEY LEE

Birdsey Learman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Birdsey Lee Learman, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 335th Infantry Regiment, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Learman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 84th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 247 (1945)

Born: March 13, 1913 at Bay City, Michigan

Home Town: Bay City, Michigan

Death: June 27, 1967 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



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LEE, JOHN CLIFFORD HODGES, JR.

John Lee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Corps of Engineers) John Clifford Hodges Lee, Jr. (ASN: 0-23688), United States Army, for gallantry in action while attached to Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. Captain Lee landed on the coast of Normandy, France, on D-Day, and was captured while making a reconnaissance on D+1. He escaped the following day. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Lee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, V Corps, General Orders No. 2A (June 20, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Corps of Engineers) John Clifford Hodges Lee, Jr. (ASN: 0-23688), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 307th Airborne Engineer Battalion, 82d Airborne Division, in action on 23 December 1944, near *****, Belgium. Major Lee, Battalion S-3, volunteered for, planned, led and successfully executed a bridge demolition mission two and one-half miles behind the enemy's front lines. En route to the objective, Major Lee skillfully by-passed enemy sentries and strongpoints and with utter disregard for his own safety made repeated reconnaissance into possible danger areas. During work upon the bridge, enemy vehicles and foot troops moved constantly back and forth. Major Lee accomplished the task efficiently, silently and speedily. His technical skill and foresightedness in preparatory planning, his courageous and inspiring leadership and cool-headedness during tense moments, assured accomplishment of a mission that greatly hindered enemy movement and materially delayed his advance. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 3 (January 6, 1945), Re-Issued under G.O. 9 (January 18, 1945)

Born: July 12, 1918 at Wheeling, West Virginia

Home Town: Portland, Oregon

Death: August 29, 1975 - Buried at: Saint Mary's Cemetery - Hanover, Pennsylvania

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal



LEER, JAMES BILLY

James Leer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired with disability in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Billy Leer, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, during the period from 9 to 24 January 1943. Lieutenant



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Colonel Leer led his battalion in a four-day march across rivers, ridges, and through tangles jungle undergrowth, blocking the movement of the enemy. Each day he walked the entire length of his battalion line which was infested with enemy snipers. He showed a thoroughly aggressive spirit by personally sharing all its dangers and hardships. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Leer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 62 (1943)

Born: June 17, 1913 at Nicholas County, Kentucky

Home Town: Millersburg, Kentucky

Death: March 1, 1985 - Buried at: Millersburg Cemetery - Millersburg, Kentucky

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

LEGERE, LAURENCE JOSEPH, JR.

Laurence Legere graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Laurence Joseph Legere, Jr. (ASN: 0-22937), United States Army, for gallantry in connection with military operations against the enemy as Assistant G-3 (Operations and Training), Parachute Infantry, 101st Airborne Division, in action on the morning of 6 June 1944, in France. Major Legere, a member of a mixed detachment of paratroopers, advanced on the small town of Pouppeville, France. When the advanced guard was held up by enemy resistance on the outskirts of the town, Major Legere worked his way forward and with utter disregard of his own safety under direct small arms fire of the enemy, personally directed the attack on the enemy position. While engaged in this action he was severely wounded. Despite the injuries he continued to direct action until the enemy resistance was knocked out. His action contributed materially to the gaining of the Pouppeville Causeway, assuring the safe passage inland of a large number of Allied troops and the eventual establishment of the Allied beachhead in that area. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Legere, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 9 (1944)

Born: January 2, 1919 at Leominster, Massachusetts

Home Town: Leominster, Massachusetts

Death: August 11, 2001 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



LEGLER, MATTHEW LEON

Matthew Legler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability from his war wounds in 1946 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Matthew Leon Legler, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 393d Infantry Regiment, 99th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and



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dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Legler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 99th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 1 (1945)

Born: March 16, 1916 at Wisconsin

Home Town: Monroe, Wisconsin

Death: June 23, 2012 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts

LEHR, PHILIP HENRY [POW (WWII) KIA]

Philip Lehr graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands, he died aboard a Japanese "Hell Ship" in December 1944, while being transported to Japan.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) Philip Henry Lehr (ASN: 0-21841), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 91st Coast Artillery Regiment, Philippine Scouts, in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Lehr, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Philippine Coast Artillery Command, General Orders No. 28 (1942)

Born: June 6, 1916 at Cleveland, Ohio

Home Town: Cleveland, Ohio

Death: KIA as a POW: December 31, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

LEHRFELD, IRVING

Irving Lehrfeld graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Irving Lehrfeld, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 345th Infantry Regiment, 87th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lehrfeld, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 87th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 9 (1945)

Born: April 20, 1907 at New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: March 12, 1974 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

LEONARD, JOHN WILLIAM

John Leonard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He retired in 1952 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General John William Leonard (ASN: 0-3840), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 9th Armored Division, in action against the enemy at the Remagen Bridgehead in Germany, on 7 March 1945. Major General Leonard reached the bridge within a few hours after the initial crossing. Foot troops passing through the town and over the bridge were under intermittent artillery fire, bombing, and strafing attacks. When shells fell near by, the passing troops froze in their positions, further endangering their lives. At great personal risk, General Leonard walked fearlessly among the men, urging them to proceed across the river when the shelling was less persistent. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Leonard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, III Corps, General Orders No. 75 (1945)

Born: January 25, 1890 at Toledo, Ohio

Home Town: Toledo, Ohio

Death: October 26, 1974 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War I), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

LERETTE, EARLE LIVINGSTONE

Earle Lerette graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Earle Livingstone Lerette (ASN: 0-22133), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 13th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lerette, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Earle Livingstone Lerette (ASN: 0-22133), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 13th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lerette, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: September 28, 1913 at Massachusetts

Home Town: Brookline, Massachusetts

Death: October 6, 1993 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

***LEWIS, EUGENE THOMAS [POW (WWII) KIA]**

Eugene Lewis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, in 1944 he survived the sinking of the Japanese "Hell Ship" Oryoku Maru" and after being transferred to the Enoura Maru, which was bombed by American planes in Formosa. He continued on to Japan aboard the Brazil Maru, and was interned there until he became ill, and died in January 1945 at the Kobe Military Hospital.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Eugene Thomas Lewis (ASN: 0-17296), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 43d Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lewis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 141 (1946)

Born: September 11, 1904 at Warren, Texas

Home Town: Ashland, Mississippi

Death: KIA as a POW: January 31, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

***LEWIS, JOHN LLEWELLYN [POW (WWII) KIA]**

John Lewis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. During World War II, he was severely wounded on May 9, 1942 during a Japanese attack and was captured the next day when U.S. forces on Mindanao surrendered. He was held in POW camps in the Philippines until December 13, 1944 when he was loaded on an unmarked ship, known as the hell ship, for transfer to Japan. This ship was attacked by U.S. aircraft on December 14 and 15, 1944 and sunk in Subic Bay. As the prisoners of war attempted to escape the sinking ship, the Japanese turned machine gun fire on them. Wounded several times, he managed to carry a fellow soldier to shore. They were recaptured and placed on another hell ship which was sunk by us aircraft in Takao harbor, Formosa on January 9, 1945. He survived that sinking and was placed on a third hell ship and on the way to Japan he froze to death on January 25, 1945.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) John Llewellyn Lewis (ASN: 0-16222), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 43d Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lewis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces-Pacific, General Orders No. 256 (1945)

Born: August 1, 1901 at Memphis, Tennessee

Home Town: Lake Village, Arkansas

Death: KIA (as a POW): January 25, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Tablets of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

LEWIS, THOMAS EDWARD

Thomas Lewis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 14, 1922. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Thomas Edward Lewis (ASN: 0-15020), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Artillery Officer, FIFTH Army, in action against the enemy in Italy, in January 1944. Brigadier General Lewis made a daring reconnaissance flight to discover suitable landing fields in the Anzio beachhead area. He flew over a 90-mile strip of enemy territory in a slow, unarmed, and unarmored observation airplane, underwent bombing and strafing by six German planes, and gained valuable information for later landings. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Lewis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 39 (1944)

Born: October 16, 1898 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: June 14, 1976 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts



LEWIS, WILLIAM FIELDING

William Lewis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Fielding Lewis (ASN: 0-23206), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 43d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Solomon Islands, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lewis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 307 (1943)

Born: July 19, 1919 at Virginia

Home Town: Alexandria, Virginia

Death: May 6, 2001 - Buried at: Salem Baptist Church Cemetery - Sparta, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts



LICHIRIE, CORNELIUS ARDALION

Cornelius Lichirie graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Cornelius Ardalion Lichirie, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 90th Cavalry



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Reconnaissance Squadron, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, on 21 - 22 March 1945. When he and his men were subjected to intense enemy automatic weapons fire, Lieutenant Colonel Lichirie daringly leaped from the ground to the top of a nearby tank which was receiving sporadic small arms hits and manned the .50 caliber machine gun mounted thereon. This quick reaction neutralized the enemy position from which the heaviest fire was coming. From the early afternoon of 21 March until the successful completion of the attack on St. Martin on the morning of 22 March 1945, his dauntless courage and outstanding leadership were inspirational to his men and meant the difference between success and failure of the operation. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lichirie, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 99 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Cornelius Ardalion Lichirie, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 90th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lichirie, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 196 (1945) & G.O. No. 201 (1945)
Born: September 26, 1906 at New York
Home Town: Mt. Vernon, New York
Death: November 6, 1996 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Purple Hearts

LIEBEL, WILLARD KOEHLER

Willard Liebel graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1956 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Willard Koehler Liebel, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff, 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Liebel, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 22 (1945)
Born: March 28, 1901 at Kentucky
Home Town: Cincinnati, Ohio
Death: August 1, 1961 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



LINDELL, KEITH G.

Keith Lindell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1943. He was credited with destroying a total of THREE enemy aircraft in air-to-air combat during World War II. He served as a mathematics instructor at the U.S. Naval Academy from 1949 to 1952.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) Keith G. Lindell (ASN: 0-25442), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Pilot of a Fighter Airplane with the 3d Fighter Group, FOURTEENTH Air Force. On 10 August 1944 he was pilot of one of eight fighter type aircraft that strafed an enemy airdrome in China. Heavy ground fire was set up by the enemy and on the second run over the target his plane was struck by a shell. It entered the cockpit and exploded, sending shrapnel fragments into his chest and left leg. Despite loss of blood and pain from his wounds, he made three additional strafing passes, bringing his total of planes destroyed on the ground to four and sharing in the destruction of one hostile aircraft in the air. On the return trip to his home base he strafed two additional airdromes. His aggressive spirit, courage and skill have inspired all members of his squadron and reflect great credit on himself and the Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 14th Air Force, General Orders No. 81 (October 27, 1944)

Born: June 10, 1919 at Opheim, Montana

Home Town: Albuquerque, New Mexico

Death: January 1, 1981 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 2@ Air Medals

LINDQUIST, ROY ERNEST

Roy Lindquist graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired with disability in 1960 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Roy Ernest Lindquist (ASN: 0-18125), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 508th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. Colonel Lindquist and his regiment landed behind the lines at Normandy, France, by parachute and glider, several hours before H-Hour on D-Day. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lindquist, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 34 (July 14, 1944)

Born: February 18, 1907 at West Newton, Massachusetts

Home Town: Steep Falls, Maine

Death: November 19, 1986 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

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LINNELL, FRANK HOLROYD

Frank Linnell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Frank Holroyd Linnell (ASN: 0-24089), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 20th Infantry Regiment, 6th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Hollandia, New Guinea, in April 1944. In the battle for Lone Tree Hill, Major Linnell led his men in capturing a hilltop that had resisted capture by other elements of the regiment for more than a week. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Linnell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (1944)

Born: August 6, 1918 at Princeton, West Virginia

Home Town: Toledo, Ohio

Death: December 21, 1988 - Buried at: Beaufort National Cemetery - Beaufort, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Vietnam), 4@ LOM, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart, 4@ Air Medals



LINTON, WILLIAM MILES

William Linton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Corps of Engineers) William Miles Linton (ASN: 0-23728), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 4th Engineer Combat Battalion, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Linton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 14 (1945)

Born: February 7, 1919 at Takoma Park, Maryland

Home Town: Takoma Park, Maryland

Death: January 27, 1985 - Buried at: Fort Logan National Cemetery - Denver, Colorado

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



LIPSCOMB, ANDY ARCHER

Andy Lipscomb graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Andy Archer Lipscomb (ASN: 0-21333), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 311th Infantry Regiment, 78th Infantry Division, in action against



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the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lipscomb, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 78th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 100 (1945)

Born: July 25, 1916 at Alabama

Home Town: Bessemer, Alabama

Death: December 6, 2000 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Soldier's Medals, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

*LITTLE, AUGUSTINE PATTERSON, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

Augustine Little graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He died of wounds sustained in combat while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Army Air Forces Award) (Posthumously) to Colonel (Infantry) Augustine Patterson Little, Jr. (ASN: 0-20576), United States Army, for gallantry in action in the European Theater of Operations, Colonel Little distinguished himself by outstanding heroism while leading a reconnaissance party under heavy enemy fire on 27 August 1944. When it became necessary to ascertain the condition of the runways at a newly occupied airfield Colonel Little gallantly elected personally to conduct a reconnaissance although the area was still under enemy fire. While proceeding down the runway the party was subjected to enemy machine-gun fire which wounded an enlisted man. Although every movement attracted additional fire Colonel Little bravely administered first aid to the wounded soldier and attempted to drag him to a nearby hangar although in the course of so doing he himself was mortally wounded. The self-sacrificing courage exhibited by Colonel Little is in keeping with the highest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 8 (1944)

Born: November 17, 1914 at Louisville, Georgia

Home Town: Louisville, Georgia

Death: DOW: August 29, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Normandy - Colleville-sur-Mer, France

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Soldier's Medal, Purple Heart

LITTLE, DONALD CUBBISON

Donald Little graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Donald Cubbison Little, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 38th Field Artillery Battalion, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Little, without



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regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 124 (1945)

Born: December 31, 1907 at Kansas City, Kansas

Home Town: Kansas City, Kansas

Death: December 8, 1996 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

LITTON, WILLIAM POWELL [POW (WWII), DNB (1951)]

William Litton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was credited with shooting down an enemy airplane on November 24, 1943 and then again on Christmas Day 1943. He was later shot down in the European Theater of Action and was held as a Prisoner of War until the end of the war. He died in an air accident on November 2, 1951.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) William Powell Litton (ASN: 0-23300), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-38 Lightning Fighter Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 96th Fighter Squadron, 82d Fighter Group, FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the over Romania, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Litton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 262 (April 22, 1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) William Powell Litton (ASN: 0-23300), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Pilot of a P-38 Lightning Fighter Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 96th Fighter Squadron, 82d Fighter Group, FIFTEENTH Air Force, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Litton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2420 (August 8, 1944)

Born: January 6, 1918 at Shaw, Mississippi

Home Town: Shaw, Mississippi

Death: DNB: November 2, 1951

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 10@ Air Medals, Prisoner of War Medal

LOCKE, JOHN LANGFORD

John Locke graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) John Langford Locke (ASN: 0-23747), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action on 8 August 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Locke was leading a squadron of P-47 Thunderbolt Fighter Airplanes of the 406th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, on a mission in cooperation with the ground forces just after the breakthrough at St. Lo. Directing his squadron to circle in the area Lieutenant Colonel Locke descended to extremely low altitude in order to locate four formidable gun positions thwarting advancing ground forces, and in the face of withering anti-aircraft fire he silenced them. Although his aircraft was severely damaged in this mission he rejoined his squadron and led a vigorous attack on artillery positions and bombs were dispatched destroying two guns, disabling two, and permitting the allied armored column to advance unimpeded. Lieutenant Colonel Locke's gallant actions on this occasion brought the highest distinction to himself and his organization.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 114 (June 25, 1945)

Born: April 9, 1917 at El Paso, Texas

Home Town: El Paso, Texas

Death: August 4, 1986 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 24@ Air Medals

LOCKETT, JAMES WILLIAM [POW (WWII) ESCAPEE]

James Lockett graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. Captured in Europe during on November 6, 1944, and interned as a Prisoner of War, he subsequently escaped with three comrades and returned to his own lines on April 2, 1945. He retired in 1958 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James William Lockett (ASN: 0-17305), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 39th Infantry Regiment, 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lockett, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 30th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 224 (1945)

Born: May 16, 1905 at Atlanta, Georgia

Home Town: Springfield, Ohio

Death: December 13, 1990

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

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LOEWUS, JAMES DAVID

James Loewus graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired with disability in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) James David Loewus (ASN: 0-23205), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 188th Glider Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Loewus, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: July 26, 1915 at Duluth, Minnesota

Home Town: Duluth, Minnesota

Death: June 10, 1977 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts



LONG, PAUL JOSEPH

Paul Long graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Paul Joseph Long (ASN: 0-21834), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a Bomber in the 9th Bombardment Group (Heavy), TENTH Air Force, in aerial operations against the enemy in April 1942. First Lieutenant Long flew in a low-altitude bombing raid against Japanese warships at Port Blair, Andaman Islands, in the Indian Ocean. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Long, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 10th Air Force, General Orders No. 4 (April 15, 1942)

Born: December 19, 1914 at Cambria County, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Patton, Pennsylvania

Death: November 17, 2001 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, Air Medal



LONG, PHILIP WILLIAM

Philip Long graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He resigned in 1946 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Philip William Long (ASN: 0-21962), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Shore Battalion of the 542nd Engineer Boat and Shore Regiment of the 2nd Engineer Special Brigade, attached to the 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy



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during the landings at Biak, New Guinea, in May 1944. The landing at the village of Bosnek required the landing force to move immediately to the left and right since cliffs impeded any forward progress. Lieutenant Colonel Long gallantly led his shore party in actions against the enemy. Two days after the landing, the infantry battalion proceeding toward the airfields was cut off by Japanese emerging from caves. A rescue force of amphibious tractors commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Long was dispatched and, under heavy fire, the entire battalion was successfully withdrawn. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Long, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 41st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 30 (1944)
Born: June 26, 1918 at Indianapolis, Indiana
Home Town: Columbus, Indiana
Death: March 18, 1980 - Buried at: Restland Memorial Park - Dallas, Texas
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

LONGINO, MERCER PRESLEY

Mercer Longino graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Mercer Presley Longino (ASN: 0-24024), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 397th Infantry Regiment, 100th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Longino, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
Born: September 22, 1917 at Provencal, Louisiana
Home Town: Provencal, Louisiana
Death: May 16, 2010 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



LOONEY, JACK REESON

Jack Looney graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Jack Reeson Looney, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 341st Infantry Regiment, 86th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Looney, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 86th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (1945)



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Born: January 12, 1917 at Oklahoma

Home Town: Las Vegas, New Mexico

Death: May 9, 2008 - Buried at: Santa Fe National Cemetery - Santa Fe, New Mexico

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

***LOTHROP, ROBERT BLAKE [POW (WWII) KIA]**

Robert Lothrop graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, in October 1945 he was being transported to Japan on the "Hell Ship" Arisan Maru, which was struck by an American submarine. A former West Point gymnast, he requested permission to go to the latrine and wiggled out through a porthole. He was shot and killed by a Japanese guard as he swam away from the sinking ship.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Corps of Engineers) Robert Blake Lothrop (ASN: 0-18033), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, Harbor Defenses of Manila and Subic Bays, as Assistant Engineer for Fortifications, Corregidor, Manila Bay, Philippine Islands, in action against the enemy in 1942. Major Lothrop distinguished himself by courageous defense of vital utilities in the face of heavy enemy fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Lothrop, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- American Battle Monuments Commission

Born: January 14, 1907 at Fort Baker, California

Home Town: Carlisle, Pennsylvania

Death: MIA as a POW: October 15, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

LOWRY, DEXTER

Dexter Lowry graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1950 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Dexter Lowry, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 182d Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lowry, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 1025 (1944)

Born: March 9, 1906 at Florida

Home Town: Tallahassee, Florida

Death: November 16, 1974 - Buried at: Old City Cemetery - Tallahassee, Florida

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Purple Hearts

LUCAS, JOHN PORTER [DNB (1949)]

John Lucas graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1911. In 1944 he presented Silver Stars to three Army nurses for their heroic actions at Anzio, Italy – the first of eight women to receive Silver Stars in World War II. He died in 1949 while serving as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General John Porter Lucas (ASN: 0-3101), United States Army, for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action while serving as Commanding General, SIXTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Anzio, Italy, in 1944. Major General Lucas distinguished himself by extraordinary heroism during a serious air bombardment of the port of Anzio. Under enemy bombardment, he proceeded to the port and despite heavy bombing and severe ammunition explosions, he re-established control and morale in this devastated area. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Lucas, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 45 (1944)

Born: January 14, 1890 at Kearneysville, West Virginia

Home Town: Kearneysville, West Virginia

Death: DNB: December 4, 1949 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Navy Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

LUCAS, WILLIAM CAMPBELL

William Lucas graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) William Campbell Lucas, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 48th Field Artillery Battalion, 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Attu, Kiska, Territory of Alaska, from 11 to 16 May 1943. Colonel Lucas landed with his battalion at Massacre Bay on 11 May 1943, and directed his battalion in covering the entire battle area from their positions on the beach. For Five days he directed artillery fire in support of the landings, despite almost constant small arms fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lucas, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: December 21, 1900 at South Carolina

Home Town: Charleston, South Carolina

Death: November 14, 1989 - Buried at: Christ Church Cemetery - Mount Pleasant, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

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LUCKETT, JAMES SAWYER

James Lockett graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) James Sawyer Lockett (ASN: 0-18209), United States Army, for gallantry in connection with military operations against an opposing armed force while serving as Commanding Officer of the 12th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lockett, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 48 (1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) James Sawyer Lockett (ASN: 0-18209), United States Army, for gallantry in action in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States while Commanding the 318th Infantry Regiment, 80th Infantry Division, on 2 April 1945 in Germany. On that date, during the fluid stages of the fighting near Kassel, Germany, Colonel Lockett was returning to his Command Post over roads not entirely cleared of enemy troops when his vehicle was halted by a ten-man enemy patrol. Jumping from his vehicle, Colonel Lockett rushed the enemy demanding that they surrender. Taking advantage of the enemy's surprise at his action he opened fire with his carbine and effectively engaged them in a fire fight despite the rifle and rocket fire directed at him. After a fierce exchange of fire for approximately five minutes the enemy broke and ran leaving two dead and one wounded behind. The bravery, aggressiveness, and courageous devotion to duty displayed by Colonel Lockett were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 80th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 136 (1945)

Born: April 11, 1907 at Missouri

Home Town: Asheville, North Carolina

Death: May 24, 1974 - Buried at: Family Burial Plot - Owensboro, Kentucky

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart



LUNDBERG, GEORGE BRADLEY

George Lundberg graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) George Bradley Lundberg (ASN: 0-25679), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of a Heavy Weapons Company of the 378th Infantry Regiment, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and



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1945. During the Division's drive from Metz to the Siegfried Line, Captain Lundberg rallied a demoralized rifle company pinned down in an open field by German machine gun and artillery fire. He personally led the assault to take the town, and the battalion was able to capture its objective. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Lundberg, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 17 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) George Bradley Lundberg (ASN: 0-25679), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 378th Infantry Regiment, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Lundberg, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 137 (1945)

Born: August 6, 1919 at Nebraska

Home Town: Olean, New York

Death: May 31, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

LUNDQUIST, CARL ELLIOTT

Carl Lundquist graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Carl Elliott Lundquist, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 14th Infantry Regiment, 71st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lundquist, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 71st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 26 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Carl Elliott Lundquist, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 14th Infantry Regiment, 71st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lundquist, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 71st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 83 (1945)



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Born: January 31, 1904 at Michigan

Home Town: Grand Rapids, Michigan

Death: March 3, 1980 - Buried at: Los Angeles National Cemetery - Los Angeles, California

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

LUPER, JAMES RHEA [POW (WWII), DNB (1953)]

James Luper graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. As a U.S. Air Force Colonel, he died in an Air Accident in 1953.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) James Rhea Luper, United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 457th Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Luper, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 17 (January 27 1945)

Born: February 19, 1914 at Salem, Oregon

Home Town: Portland, Oregon

Death: DNB: February 28, 1953 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 3@ Air Medals, Prisoner of War Medal



LUTHER, JOHN JACOB, JR. [DNB (1943)]

John Luther graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. After attending the Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, in 1950, he was driving home when he was robbed and murdered by an unknown assailant.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry), [then First Lieutenant] John Jacob Luther, Jr. (ASN: 0-25597), United States Army, for gallantry in action near Coulot, France, on 6 July 1944, while in command of Company B, 329th Infantry Regiment, 83d Infantry Division. When the enemy made an unexpected heavy counterattack during his absence at the battalion command post, he returned to his company, seized a Browning Automatic Rifle, and personally launched and led a small group of his men in a daring sortie against the flank of the hostile attack which repelled it. Returning to his lines, Major Luther was painfully wounded by enemy mortar fire. He refused to go to the aid station, but reorganized his company, reorganized the lines, and re-established the positions, despite heavy enemy fire. As a result of Major Luther's aggressiveness, disregard for personal safety, and leadership, the entire battalion position was saved. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Luther, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Department of the Army, General Orders No. 78 (December 6, 1948)



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Born: April 1, 1919 at Indiana

Home Town: Clay City, Indiana

Death: DNB: February 11, 1950 - Buried at: Maple Grove Cemetery - Clay City, Indiana

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), 2@ Bronze Stars, 4@ Purple Hearts

LYMAN, CHARLES BISHOP

Charles Lyman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1913. He retired in 1948 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Charles Bishop Lyman, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 21st Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Dutch New Guinea, in April 1944. Colonel Lyman led his regiment in the capture of the airfield at Hollandia. Disregarding his personal safety, he moved forward with advance elements, personally directing front line units in contact with the enemy while under fire, and accomplished his mission. Colonel Lyman's absolute disregard for personal safety, his voluntary actions and willingness to be of service above and beyond the call of duty, reflect highest credit upon himself and the military forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 9 (1944)

Born: August 20, 1888 at Paauhau, Hawaii

Home Town: Hilo, Hawaii

Death: April 15, 1981 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 3@ Purple Hearts



LYNCH, GEORGE EDWARD

George Lynch graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) George Edward Lynch (ASN: 0-17715), United States Army, for gallantry in action on ** July 1943 in Sicily. Lieutenant Colonel Lynch, Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, in an armored jeep, carried a message to the Commanding Officer of the Italian Forces in the City of ****, demanding the surrender of the city and troops under his command. Lieutenant Colonel Lynch volunteered for this mission and accomplished it with coolness and courage and total disregard for his own personal safety. The performance of this action and the resultant surrender of the city hastened the termination of active enemy resistance in Western Sicily. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lynch, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 37 (October 31, 1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver



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Star to Colonel (Infantry) George Edward Lynch (ASN: 0-17715), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 142d Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Lynch, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 72 (1944)

Born: June 13, 1907 at West Point, New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: April 18, 1987 - Buried at: Fort Benning Post Cemetery - Fort Benning, Georgia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars

LYNCH, JAMES RICHARD

James Lynch graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired with disability from his war wounds in 1946 as a U.S. Army First Lieutenant. He then attended medical school at the University of Melbourne, Australia. Thereafter, he taught family practice at Contra Costa County Hospital for 17 years. He worked at Delta Memorial Emergency Room for 10 years, retiring in 1987.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Infantry) James Richard Lynch, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 506th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in France, in February 1945. Second Lieutenant Lynch made a combat jump against German forces in the Alsace area of France, during which he was severely wounded by a land mine. In spite of these wounds, he led his forces against the enemy and succeeded in capturing a number of German prisoners. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Lynch, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 212 (1945)

Born: January 21, 1922 at San Bernito County, California

Home Town: Tracy, California

Death: April 10, 2016 - Buried at: Dutch Flat Cemetery - Dutch Flat, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

LYNCH, JOHN MATTHEW

John Lynch graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Matthew Lynch (ASN: 0-20377), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 273d Infantry Regiment, 69th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Lynch, without regard for his own life,



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were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 69th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 51 (1945)

Born: June 11, 1913 at Bronx, New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: April 24, 2004 - Buried at: Sterling Cemetery - Sterling, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Silver Stars (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

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MACCLOSKEY, MONRO

Monro MacCloskey graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Monro MacCloskey (ASN: 0-203650), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 885th Bombardment Squadron (Heavy) (Special), 491st bombardment Group FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel MacCloskey, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3192 (September 7, 1944)

Born: May 28, 1902 at Fort Worden, Washington

Home Town: Chicago, Illinois

Death: January 29, 1983 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 8@ Air Medals

MACDONALD, STUART CLARENCE [POW (WWII)]

Stuart MacDonald graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. During World War II he was captured during the fall of the Philippine Islands, survived the Bataan Death March, and was held as a Prisoner of War. He retired in 1951 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Stuart Clarence MacDonald (ASN: 0-3854), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 91st Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), 91st Division (Philippine Army), in action against the enemy in the Defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel MacDonald, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 31, 1891 at New York

Home Town: Seneca Falls, New York

Death: February 28, 1970 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Prisoner of War Medal

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MACLACHLAN, CLIFTON LEE

Clifton MacLachlan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1956 as a U.S. Army Major.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Coast Artillery Corps) Clifton Lee MacLachlan, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel MacLachlan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 84th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 39 (1945)

Born: California

Home Town: San Diego, California

Death: April 8, 1990

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



MAERTENS, GEORGE KAMEIL

George Maertens graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) George Kameil Maertens (ASN: 0-25698), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 393d Infantry Regiment, 99th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Maertens, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 99th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 104 (1945)

Born: March 9, 1921 at Washington

Home Town: Spokane, Washington

Death: January 4, 2007 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, 5@ Air Medals w/V



MAGEE, MERVYN MACKAY

Mervyn Magee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Mervyn Mackay Magee (ASN: 0-18478), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the Division Artillery, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated



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devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Magee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: August 18, 1909 at California

Home Town: Macon, Georgia

Death: June 11, 1978 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

MAGOFFIN, MORTON DAVID [POW (WWII)]

Morton Magoffin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He was stationed at Wheeler Field, Hawaii, on December 7, 1941, when Pearl Harbor was attacked. During World War II he became an ACE, shooting down 5 enemy aircraft during the period from April 24, 1944 to July 31, 1944. After 85 combat missions, he was shot down and captured on August 10, 1944. He was liberated from a hospital in Paris in September 1944, and then returned to the U.S. for treatment of his injuries. He retired in 1958 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Morton David Magoffin (ASN: 0-20847), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-47 Thunderbolt Fighter Airplane of the 362d Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in action against the enemy on 10 August 1944. While he was leading a formation of P-47 type aircraft in an attack upon an important enemy objective in the vicinity of Lemans, Colonel Magoffin's aircraft was severely damaged by anti-aircraft fire and he himself received painful injuries. Demonstrating extraordinary fortitude and perseverance he skillfully retained his leadership of the formation and successfully led it in a brilliantly executed bombing run. By his personal leadership and valorous conduct he was instrumental in the success of the group, and his devotion to duty reflects the highest credit upon himself and the Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 267 (November 13, 1944), Amended by G. O. 9 (January 13, 1945)

Born: February 1, 1916 at Deerwood, Minnesota

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: July 10, 2007

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 17@ Air Medals, POW Medal

*MAGUIRE, WILLIAM HALFORD [POW-KIA (WWII)]

William Maguire graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. After surviving the Bataan Death March and imprisonment as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese, he died of colitis on or about February 9, 1945, at the POW camp at Fukuoka, Japan.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Halford Maguire (ASN: 0-18818), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 45th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated



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devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Maguire, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: May 11, 1911 at Vermont

Home Town: Bennington, Vermont

Death: KIA (As a POW): February 9, 1945 - Buried at: Park Lawn Cemetery - Bennington, Vermont

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

MAHONEY, PAUL HENRY

Paul Mahoney graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 14, 1922. He retired in 1953 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Paul Henry Mahoney, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 20th Infantry Regiment, 6th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Salinas, Luzon, Philippine Islands, on 19 June 1945. When an attack against a strong, determined enemy was stalemated, Colonel Mahoney, realizing the importance of the objective, moved forward to the leading platoon to survey the situation. He then worked his way despite sporadic enemy fire, to the lead scouts and gave suggestions and encouragement. He suggested routes and means of advance to overcome the enemy opposition, and then directed fire of an attached platoon of tanks. After the objective had been seized, Colonel Mahoney personally organized the elements of his command and consolidated the position. His aggressive leadership, excellent tactical planning, and presence with assault troops were materially responsible for the securing of the objective with a minimum of casualties and proved an inspiration to his officers and men. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Mahoney, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: June 4, 1899 at Montana

Home Town: Tooele, Utah

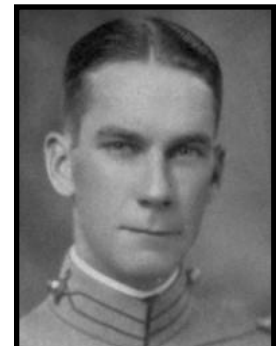
Death: September 7, 1968 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars

MAHONEY, WILLIAM JAMES

William Mahoney graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William James Mahoney, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 164th Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Mahoney, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon



himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Americal Division, General Orders No. 44 (1945)
Born: March 13, 1907 at Connecticut
Home Town: Norwich, Connecticut
Death: January 13, 1979 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

MALLOY, JOHN THOMAS

John Malloy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Thomas Malloy, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 275th Infantry Regiment, 70th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Malloy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 70th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 3 (1945)
Born: August 17, 1907 at Massachusetts
Home Town: North Adams, Massachusetts
Death: September 1, 1994 - Buried at: Sunset View Cemetery - El Cerrito, California
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart



MALONY, HARRY JAMES

Harry Malony graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1912. He retired in 1949 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Harry James Malony (ASN: 0-3385), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 94th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Malony, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, THIRD U.S. Army, General Orders No. 93 (1945)
Born: August 24, 1889 at Lakemont, New York
Home Town: Dundee, New York
Death: March 23, 1971 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



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MANHART, ASHTON HERBERT

Ashton Manhart graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired with disability in 1967 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Ashton Herbert Manhart (ASN: 0-18773), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 15th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy during the invasion of Sicily, on 10 July 1943. Lieutenant Colonel Manhart left the cover of his command post in an effort to press the attack of one of his assault companies. He crawled 300 yards through intense machine gun and small arms fire, and effectively reorganized the company. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Manhart, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 63 (1944)

Born: August 24, 1909 at Colorado

Home Town: Sedalia, Colorado

Death: December 10, 1969 - Buried at: Bear Canon Cemetery - Sedalia, Colorado

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

MANSFIELD, CLAYTON JOHN [KIA (WWII)]

Clayton Mansfield graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He competed in the modern pentathlon in the 1932 Los Angeles Olympics. During World War II General Ernest Harmon decorated him with the Silver Star on the battlefield just twenty minutes before his death by enemy fire on January 9, 1945, just two days after he earned that award.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Clayton John Mansfield (ASN: 0-17140), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 66th Armored Regiment, 2d Armored Division, in Belgium. During the period 6 to 7 January 1945, Colonel Mansfield was commander of a task force of tanks and infantry with the mission of attacking and occupying the town of Devantave. In addition to stubborn enemy resistance from well prepared positions, the task force encountered almost insurmountable terrain difficulties. To the hilly, wooded slopes of the Ardennes region were added the complication of six inches of snow and glass-like roads, below freezing temperatures and falling snow which reduced visibility to a few yards. Colonel Mansfield, throughout the assault remained constantly with his most forward elements inspiring men and officers alike by his obvious comprehension of the situation and ability to issue quick, concise, and coherent orders. His courage and professional skill exemplified a superior leadership which reflected great credit upon himself and was in keeping with the best traditions of the service.

- Headquarters, 2d Armored Division, General Orders No. 5 (1945)

Born: May 21, 1906 at Allentown, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Atlantic City, New Jersey

Death: KIA: January 9, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Henri-Chapelle - Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

MANZO, SALVATORE EDWARD

Salvatore Manzo graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Salvatore Edward Manzo (ASN: 0-22053), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 98th Mediterranean Theater of Operations Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Manzo, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3897 (October 12, 1944)

Born: October 23, 1917 at New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: March 24, 1999 - Buried at: Evergreen Cemetery - El Paso, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Soldier's Medal, Air Medal



MARCH, FRANCIS ANDREW

Francis March graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Francis Andrew March (ASN: 0-12138), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Division Artillery, 82d Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel March, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 36 (July 16, 1944)

Born: November 2, 1895 at Easton, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Easton, Pennsylvania

Death: November 2, 1967 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



MARKS, EDWIN HALL, JR.

Edwin Marks graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Colonel. His father was General Edwin Marks Hall (USMA 1909).

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Edwin Hall Marks, Jr. (ASN: 0-24935), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 351st Infantry Regiment, 88th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. Major Marks



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made a dangerous volunteer trip across yards of fire-swept terrain to call off friendly artillery fire which was falling on our troops by mistake. Forced into a ditch by a German machine gun; he crawled out and again was pinned down, this time by an artillery barrage and fifteen enemy riflemen. He finally reached the friendly artillery observer and got him to change the direction of the fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Marks, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: October 31, 1920 at Washington, D.C.

Death: December 14, 1994 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Vietnam), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, 3@ Purple Hearts, 5@ Air Medals

MARLIN, RAYMOND BRADNER

Raymond Marlin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability in 1971 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Raymond Bradner Marlin (ASN: 0-21899), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 23d Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Marlin, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: May 28, 1915 at Rochester, New York

Home Town: Rochester, New York

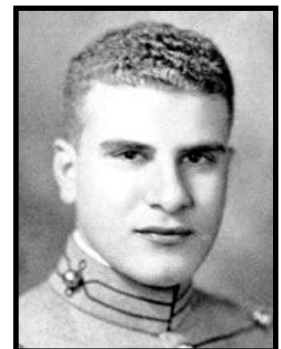
Death: June 13, 1988 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

MAROUN, AUTREY JOSEPH

Autrey Maroun graduated from Gulf Coast Academy in 1929 and attended Tulane University for two years before receiving a congressional appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point. He graduated from West Point in 1935. In 1946, General Maroun was assigned as executive officer to the chief of counsel for War Crimes in Nurnberg, Germany. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Autrey Joseph Maroun (ASN: 0-19865), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 378th Infantry Regiment, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Maroun, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with



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the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 21 (1944)

Born: April 19, 1914 at Shreveport, Louisiana

Home Town: Shreveport, Louisiana

Death: August 8, 2005 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

*MARSHALL, ALFRED COOKMAN, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

Alfred Marshall graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He was killed in action in Italy during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Infantry) Alfred Cookman Marshall, Jr. (ASN: 0-18611), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Regiment, 1st Special Service Force, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Marshall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: November 23, 1905 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Death: KIA: June 4, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

MARTIN, MAURICE LANGHORNE

Maurice Martin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Maurice Langhorne Martin (ASN: 0-26161), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Fighter Airplane of the 390th Fighter Squadron, 366th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Martin, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 106 (June 20, 1945)

Born: February 12, 1920 at West Virginia

Home Town: Bluefield, West Virginia

Death: October 29, 1999 - Buried at: U.S. Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 24@ Legion of Merit

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MARTIN, ORVILLE WELLS

Orville Martin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1950 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Orville Wells Martin (ASN: 0-12253), United States Army, for gallantry in action in connection with military operations against an armed enemy while Commanding the 68th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, North Africa, in 1942. Colonel Martin was commanding a groupment of artillery as part of a large force. While attempting to gain observation of the tactical situation with a view to adjusting artillery fire on anti-tank guns holding up the advance of the force, he was seriously wounded. After receiving only slight first aid treatment he contacted his Executive Officer and, though in great pain, passed on to him all pertinent information regarding the tactical situation. Then in turn he reported to his next two higher headquarters doing likewise. It was approximately three and one-half hours after he was wounded before he reached a medical clearing station. Lieutenant Colonel Martin's gallant leadership and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 25 (1942)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Orville Wells Martin (ASN: 0-12253), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Division Artillery Commander, 7th Armored Division, in action in Holland, on 27 October 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Martin, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 99 (November 25, 1944)

Born: December 16, 1897 at Neenah, Wisconsin

Home Town: Oshkosh, Wisconsin

Death: March 17, 1986 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart



*MARTIN, THOMAS HUTSON, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

Thomas Martin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He was killed in action in France during World War II, only two years after graduation.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Corps of Engineers) Thomas Hutson Martin, Jr. (ASN: 0-25530), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company C, 119th Armored Engineer Battalion, 12th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Martin,



without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 12th Armored Division, General Orders No. 56 (1945)
Born: May 17, 1920 at Charleston, South Carolina
Home Town: Charleston, South Carolina
Death: KIA: February 8, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Epinal - Epinal, France
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

MARTZ, WILLIAM VINCENT [POW (WWII)]

William Martz graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) William Vincent Martz (ASN: 0-19879), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of a Tank Destroyer Battalion, 35th Infantry Division, in action in the ***** Sector, Normandy, France, 13 July 1944. Colonel Martz successfully and personally led a force of M-10 tank destroyers in covering the withdrawal of an infantry patrol, while this platoon was under heavy mortar fire. As a result of Colonel Martz's gallantry, the infantry patrol was able to withdraw to a safe position. Throughout the entire action, Colonel Martz personally directed and accompanied the platoon, exposing himself to enemy fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Martz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 20 (August 15, 1944), Amended by. 27 (1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) William Vincent Martz (ASN: 0-19879), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of a Tank Destroyer Battalion, 35th Infantry Division, in action in the ***** and ***** Sectors, France, during the period 11 July to 8 August 1944. On 22 July 1944 he led a patrol in the successful evacuation of the bodies of two officers from a position exposed to observed enemy fire. Throughout the period 11 July to 8 August 1944, he visited advance tank destroyer positions on occasions when enemy fire was so intense that the destroyer crews could not leave the comparative safety of the destroyers. His sound employment of the tank destroyers, skillful and courageous leadership, and zealous devotion to duty, were an inspiration to his troops, and responsible for the success of numerous battalion missions during the period mentioned. Colonel Martz has been missing in action since 8 August 1944, when he made a personal reconnaissance into enemy-held territory in the vicinity of *****. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Martz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 27 (August 29, 1944)
Born: June 12, 1910 at Pottsville, Pennsylvania
Home Town: Pottsville, Pennsylvania
Death: January 28, 1998 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California
Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Purple Hearts, Prisoner of War Medal

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MASON, LASSITER ALBERT [POW (WWII)]

Lassiter Mason graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He was captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, and survived the war as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. He retired with disability as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Signal Corps) Lassiter Albert Mason (ASN: 0-19060), United States Army, for gallantry in action as a Signal Officer, Far East Air Forces, action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Mason, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 361 (1945)
 - Born: November 10, 1908 at Gainesville, Florida
 - Home Town: Jacksonville, Florida
 - Death: March 3, 1983 - Buried at: Evergreen Cemetery - Gainesville, Florida
 - Personal Awards:* Silver Star (World War II), Prisoner of War Medal

MASSELLO, WILLIAM, JR. [POW (WWII)]

William Massello graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands, he spent three years in captivity as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Coast Artillery Corps) William Massello, Jr. (ASN: 0-18749), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Battery E, 60th Coast Artillery Regiment (Anti-Aircraft), in action against the enemy in defense of Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Massello, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Philippine Coast Artillery Command, General Orders No. 28 (1942)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Coast Artillery Corps) William Massello, Jr. (ASN: 0-18749), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Battery E, 60th Coast Artillery Regiment (Anti-Aircraft), in action against the enemy in defense of Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Massello, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 226 (1945)

SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

Born: February 24, 1907 at Boston, Massachusetts

Home Town: Somerville, Massachusetts

Death: April 4, 1997 - Buried at: Fort Bliss National Cemetery - El Paso, Texas

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 4@ Purple Hearts, Prisoner of War Medal

MATHESON, CHARLES FULLER

Charles Matheson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Charles Fuller Matheson (ASN: 0-24061), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-38 Lightning Fighter Airplane of the 394th Fighter Squadron, 367th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Matheson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 126 (July 6, 1945)

Born: June 1, 1918 at Detroit, Michigan

Home Town: Detroit, Michigan

Death: April 14, 1986

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 16@ Air Medals



MATHESON, DONALD ROY

Donald Matheson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Donald Roy Matheson (ASN: 0-21213), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 254th Infantry Regiment, 63d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations from 25 to 30 January 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Matheson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 95 (March 13, 1945)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Donald Roy Matheson (ASN: 0-21213), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 254th Infantry Regiment, 63d Infantry Division, in action on 7 April 1945, in the vicinity of Krautheim, Germany. The companies of the Third Battalion were to make an amphibious crossing of the Jagst River and attack enemy positions on the high ground beyond it. The attack required moving over open ground for 150 yards, crossing the river in assault boats, and then passing over 250 yards of flat terrain directly in front of the enemy



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positions. The entire area was under enemy observation and was subject to intense machine gun, mortar, and artillery fire. When the assault was made, Colonel Matheson, the battalion commander, accompanied the leading elements and took personal command of the troops. He carried heavy load of ammunition so that the troops would have an extra supply when they had crossed the river. Casualties occurred on all sides of him during the attack. On one occasion he carried a wounded man 50 yards through enemy fire to a defiladed position. During the entire action, Colonel Matheson was with the forward elements, urging them by his leadership and aggressiveness to move forward against the heavy enemy resistance. Colonel Matheson's outstanding courage and devotion to duty under fire reflect credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 63d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 319 (July 3, 1945)

Born: November 9, 1918 at Hawaii

Home Town: Altadena, California

Death: January 3, 1999 - Buried at: St. Joh's Norway Cemetery and Crematorium - The Beaches, Ontario, Canada

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (WW II), 2@ Bronze Stars w/V

MATHEWS, JOHN HUBERT [KIA (WWII)]

John Mathews graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He was killed in action on D-Day during the invasion of Normandy, France.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Hubert Mathews (ASN: 0-18626), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer, 16th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa, on 9 and 10 November 1942. During the Oran offensive, Colonel Mathews personally directed his column toward the enemy lines. The advance was made under heavy enemy fire. Later, Colonel Mathews, under heavy fire and with disregard of his personal safety, secured valuable information which contributed materially to the success of the attack. His courage and heroism were an inspiration to the entire 16th Infantry Regiment. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Matheson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 33 (December 7, 1942)

Born: July 31, 1908 at Cass, West Virginia

Home Town: Fairfield County, Connecticut

Death: KIA: June 6, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Normandy - Colleville-sur-Mer, France

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart



*MATTFELDT, JOHN PRICE [KIA (WWII)]

John Mattfeldt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He was killed in action during World War II, less than two years after graduation.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to First Lieutenant (Infantry) John Price Mattfeldt (ASN: 0-25949), United States Army, for gallantry in action in connection with a military operation against an armed enemy while serving with Company M, 387th Infantry Regiment, 97th Infantry Division. On an assault on the city of Egar, Czechoslovakia on 25 April



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1945, Lieutenant Mattfeldt, commanding a platoon of machine guns attached to the leading elements of the assault forces, came under heavy enemy fire from two nearby strong points. Putting his gun into operation, Lieutenant Mattfeldt forced the withdrawal of the enemy troops and continued the advance across a ravine in the face of enemy machine gun fire for a distance of 75 yards. He entered the city with the first troops and encountered heavy fire which halted the advance. Fearlessly moving ahead of the riflemen, Lieutenant Mattfeldt placed heavy fire on the enemy while moving down a fire swept street. Deploying his guns at an important intersection Lieutenant Mattfeldt was killed by a sudden burst of fire from concealed enemy positions. His gallantry in this action for which he made the supreme sacrifice reflected great credit upon himself and the armed forces.

- Headquarters, 97th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 39 (June 11, 1945)

Born: April 9, 1921 at San Antonio, Texas

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: KIA: April 25, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Lorraine - St. Avold, France

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

MATTINA, JOHN CLEMENT

John Mattina graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Corps of Engineers) John Clement Mattina (ASN: 0-24683), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 209th Engineer Combat Battalion, in action against the enemy in the China-Burma-India Theater, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Mattina, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, India-Burma Theater, General Orders No. No. 9 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Corps of Engineers) John Clement Mattina (ASN: 0-24683), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 209th Engineer Combat Battalion in action against the enemy in the China-Burma-India Theater, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Mattina, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, India-Burma Theater, General Orders No. 311 (1945)

Born: November 23, 1916 at Buffalo, New York

Home Town: Buffalo, New York

Death: September 7, 2011 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit

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MAYBACH, ALFRED ALLEN [KIA (WWII)]

Alfred Maybach graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Alfred Allen Maybach (ASN: 0-20784), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 51st Armored Infantry Battalion, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Maybach, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 20 (1944)

Born: March 20, 1915 at Colon, Panama

Home Town: Stillwater, Rhode Island

Death: KIA: November 12, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Lorraine - St. Avold, France

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

McAFEE, JAMES BYINGTON

James McAfee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He resigned in 1946 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) James Byington McAfee (ASN: 0-23263), United States Army Air Forces, for a singularly meritorious act of extraordinary fidelity or essential service in time of war, in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a Heavy Bomber in the Far East Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1942. First Lieutenant McAfee distinguished himself by gallantry, courage, and devotion to duty, on four bombing attacks on the Philippine Islands, from a base in Australia, after the fall of Bataan in April 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant McAfee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 18 (June 6, 1942)

Born: August 24, 1917 at Morristown, Tennessee

Home Town: Charlotte, North Carolina

Death: November 28, 1977 - Buried at: Evergreen Cemetery - Charlotte, North Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, Air Medal

McAULIFFE, ANTHONY CLEMENT

Anthony McAuliffe was a student at West Virginia University, 1916-17. He then graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. Originally members of that class were the Class of 1921, but because of World War I were graduated early in 1918, and subsequently graduated again in 1919. He advanced through the grades from Second Lieutenant in 1918 to General in 1955, retiring as a 4-star general in 1956.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Anthony Clement McAuliffe (ASN: 0-12263), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of Division Artillery, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in Normandy, France. On 6 June 1944, Brigadier General McAuliffe, without having received formal instruction in parachuting, volunteered to drop with the parachute echelon of the Headquarters Battery of the Division Artillery of the 101st Airborne Division in order to organize his artillery expeditiously. Landing far from the prescribed drop zone, he organized the scattered individuals of his Headquarters and joined with elements of Division Headquarters south of St. Marie du Mont. In conjunction with the latter, he led his artillery against the causeway at Zoupeville and assisted in capturing the town and beach defile against strong enemy resistance. The speedy juncture of airborne and seaborne forces at this point was in large measure due to his leadership. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General McAuliffe, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 7 (June 20, 1944)

Born: July 2, 1898 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Washington, D.C.

Death: August 11, 1975 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V

McBRIDE, HORACE LOGAN

Horace McBride graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Horace Logan McBride (ASN: 0-4430), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 80th Infantry Division, in action against an armed enemy on 15 September 1944, in France. On this date troops of his command, the 80th Infantry Division, were disposed along the east bank of the Moselle River. While advancing through high wooded ground in the Bois de Rumont, they encountered fierce enemy resistance characterized by particularly heavy automatic weapons and artillery fire which halted their attack. Disregarding continuous tree bursts, and with little regard for his own personal safety, Major General McBride went forward to his troops and his commanders, personally directing their movement and deployment. Inspired by his fearless example, his troops stabilized their positions and returned to the attack with such determination that enemy resistance was shattered and the objective seized. The courage and gallant leadership of Major General McBride are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 10 (February 6, 1945)

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Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Horace Logan McBride (ASN: 0-4430), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 80th Infantry Division, in action against an armed enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General McBride, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: June 28, 1894 at Madison, Nebraska

Home Town: Elgin, Nebraska

Death: November 14, 1962 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

MCBRIDE, ROBERT BRUCE, JR.

Robert McBride graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired in 1952 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Robert Bruce McBride, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 32d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General McBride, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 32d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 273 (1945)

Born: July 7, 1882 at Bridgeport, Alabama

Home Town: Highland Falls, New York

Death: September 24, 1981

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit



MCCABE, ROBERT CLAUDE

Robert McCabe graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Robert Claude McCabe, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 419th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McCabe, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 11 (1945)



SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

Born: March 9, 1914 at South Carolina

Home Town: Kingstree, South Carolina

Death: June 9, 1972 - Buried at: Williamsburg Presbyterian Cemetery - Kingstree, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars

McCAFFREY, WILLIAM JOSEPH

William McCaffrey graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1973 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Joseph McCaffrey (ASN: 0-22065), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff, 92d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McCaffrey, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 92d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 45 (1945)

Born: October 9, 1914 at Omaha, Nebraska

Home Town: Omaha, Nebraska

Death: February 13, 2006 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (Korea), 4@ Legion of Merit



McCANNA, ROBERT LOUIS [DNB (1963)]

Robert McCanna graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He died in 1963 while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Robert Louis McCanna (ASN: 0-26047), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 25th Armored Engineer Battalion, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant McCanna, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 167 (1945)

Born: December 21, 1921 at Chicago, Illinois

Home Town: Chicago, Illinois

Death: DNB: March 13, 1963 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



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MCCHRISTIAN, JOSEPH ALEXANDER

Joseph McChristian graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Armor) Joseph Alexander McChristian (ASN: 0-21966), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major McChristian, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 65 (1945)

Born: October 12, 1914 at Chicago, Illinois

Home Town: Miami, Florida

Death: May 13, 2005 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal



MCCLELLAND, CHARLES BLAKE

Charles McClelland graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Charles Blake McClelland, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 101st Cavalry Group (Mechanized) (Separate), in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McClelland, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: February 3, 1907 at Mississippi

Home Town: Covington, Tennessee

Death: May 18, 1997 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



MCCLURE, MARK

Mark McClure graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Mark McClure (ASN: 0-14935), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General McClure, without regard for his own life,



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were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 24 (1944)

Born: February 6, 1898 at Anderson, Indiana

Home Town: Anderson, Indiana

Death: October 2, 1990 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

McCOMSEY, ROBERT MARVIN

Robert McComsey was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. During World War II he was credited with shooting down one enemy airplane in aerial combat. He resigned in 1947 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Robert Marvin McComsey (ASN: 0-430834), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving Pilot of a Fighter Airplane of the 9th Fighter Squadron, 49th Fighter Group, FAR EAST Air Force, in aerial operations over Australia, on 15 June 1942. First Lieutenant McComsey was a member of a flight which intercepted a large Japanese formation near Darwin, Australia. He displayed great courage in a hot engagement in which he outfought and shot down a Japanese Zero fighter. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant McComsey, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 5th Air Force, General Orders No. 11 (September 30, 1942)

Born: July 15, 1914 at Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Death: November 18, 1951 - Buried at: Quarryville Cemetery - Quarryville, Pennsylvania

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Purple Heart, Air Medal

McCONNELL, EDWARD TRAYWICK

Edward McConnell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Traywick McConnell (ASN: 0-21996), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 40th Tank Battalion, 7th Armored Division, in action in France, on 26 August 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McConnell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 70 (October 31, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to

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Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Traywick McConnell (ASN: 0-21996), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 40th Tank Battalion, 7th Armored Division, in action in France, on 20 September 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McConnell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 98 (November 25, 1944)

Born: March 30, at North Carolina

Home Town: Gastonia, North Carolina

Death: November 19, 1970 - Buried at: Salisbury National Cemetery - Salisbury, North Carolina

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Purple Heart

MCCORKLE, CHARLES MILTON

Charles McCorkle graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. During World War II he became a DOUBLE ACE credited with shooting down 11 enemy aircraft. After the war he transferred to the new U.S. Air Force, and retired in 1966 as a Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Charles Milton McCorkle (ASN: 0-20239), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as a Fighter Pilot and Commanding Officer of the 31st Fighter Group, FIFTEENTH Air Force. On 3 January 1944, Colonel McCorkle led a flight of four (4) Spitfires which patrolled the Allied front lines in Italy. While investigating unidentified aircraft near Allied front lines, the Spitfires experienced intense, accurate heavy flak. Colonel McCorkle's aircraft was hit in the right wing and tail assembly, the control surfaces damaged, and the trim tab control cables were shot away. At the same time his radio ceased operating. Since he could not be certain of the full extent of the damage, and his aircraft was extremely difficult to control, he decided to break away from the flight in order to return to base. Before he could break away, he observed twelve (12) enemy fighters diving toward Allied territory. Realizing that to break away at this crucial moment would doubtless confuse his pilots and thereby delay their interception of the enemy fighters, Colonel McCorkle refrained from leaving his flight. Unmindful of the damaged condition and difficulty in maneuvering his aircraft, and disregarding odds of twelve (12) to four (4), he led his flight in an aggressive and superbly executed attack, dispersed the enemy formation and forced them to turn toward base. As the aircraft reached enemy territory, anti-aircraft fire caused both the enemy and the Spitfires to climb. Observing an enemy fighter to his left at six-thousand (6,000) feet, Colonel McCorkle attacked, and despite extreme difficulty in maneuvering his aircraft, he skillfully followed, closed to point blank range and shot it down. The expert flying skill, outstanding gallantry, and selfless devotion to duty displayed by Colonel McCorkle in flying a severely damaged aircraft into combat against numerically superior forces has reflected great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States of America.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 217 (April 15, 1944)

Born: January 29, 1915 at Newton, North Carolina

Home Town: Newton, North Carolina

Death: August 24, 2009

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 23@ Air Medals

McCRARY, THOMAS ANDREW

Thomas McCrary graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Thomas Andrew McCrary, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Combat Command A, 20th Armored Division, in action against the enemy on 29 April 1945, near the Amper River in Southern Germany. With complete disregard for his own safety, Colonel McCrary entered a burning tank and removed a wounded crew member to safety. This was done inspire of intense enemy small arms and anti-tank fire, and exploding ammunition inside the tank. His extraordinary heroism and courage instilled confidence in both his officers and men. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McCrary, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 20th Armored Division, General Orders No. 3 (1946)
 - Born: October 4, 1909 at Carroll, Iowa
 - Home Town: Carroll, Iowa
 - Death: December 22, 1986 - Buried at: Alta Vista Cemetery - Gainesville, Georgia
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

*McCray, James Oren [KIA (WWII)]

James McCray graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Oren McCray (ASN: 0-22168), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 383d Infantry Regiment, 96th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at San Pedro Bay, Leyte, Philippine Islands, on 26 October 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McCray, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XXIV Corps, General Orders No. 85 (1944)
 - Born: December 12, 1911 at Baker, Oregon
 - Home Town: Baker, Oregon
 - Death: KIA: October 26, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

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MCDANIEL, EDWARD HAROLD

Edward McDaniel graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Major General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edward Harold McDaniel (ASN: 0-16497), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 29th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, from 15 June 1944 to 4 October 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McDaniel, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, European Theater of Operations, U.S. Army, General Orders No. 24 (February 26, 1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edward Harold McDaniel (ASN: 0-16497), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 175th Infantry Regiment, 29th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McDaniel, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 4, 1903 at Abbeville, Alabama

Home Town: Abbeville, Alabama

Death: March 17, 1997 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

MCDONALD, WILLIAM EMMETT

William McDonald graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) William Emmett McDonald (ASN: 0-20778), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber in the 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), Far East Air Force, in aerial operations near Mariveles, Philippine Islands, on 30 December 1941. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major McDonald, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 5th Air Force, General Orders No. 11 (September 30, 1942)

Born: January 14, 1912 at Missouri

Home Town: Urich, Missouri

Death: September 7, 1984 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Air Medal

McFERREN, CARL DAVIS

Carl McFerren graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Ordnance) Carl Davis McFerren (ASN: 0-21925), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Chief of Staff of the 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McFerren, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Americal Division, General Orders No. 44 (1945)

Born: December 5, 1914 at Indiana

Home Town: Columbiana, Ohio

Death: December 12, 1997 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



McGARR, LIONEL CHARLES

Lionel McGarr graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He retired with disability in 1962 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Lionel Charles McGarr (ASN: 0-17225), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 30th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, on 25 January 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McGarr, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 63 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Lionel Charles McGarr (ASN: 0-17225), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 30th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, on 23 January 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McGarr, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 59 (1945)

Born: March 5, 1904 at Yuma, Arizona

Home Town: Phoenix, Arizona

Death: November 3, 1988 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 5@ Bronze Stars, 7@ Purple Hearts, Air Medal



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MCGEE, FRANK D. [DNB (1945)]

Frank McGee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He was retired in 1922 due to his war wounds. After the war he became a world traveler. He was travelling with three comrades from the Philippine Islands to the United States in a small boat when it was sunk. He swam to Davao, and liked it there, so he remained. When World War II began, he re-entered active duty service in Command of a battalion of Filipino troops. He fought in defense of Davao until the Philippine Islands were surrendered in May 1942, and then escaped to the jungle where he organized and led the 106th Guerrilla Division. He died in 1945 while serving in the Philippines as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Frank D. McGee, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 106th Philippine Division (Mindanao Guerrillas), operating with the 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McGee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 132 (1945)
Born: September 6, 1889
Home Town: Claremont, South Dakota
Death: DNB: August 7, 1945 - Buried at: Groton Cemetery - Groton, South Dakota
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

MCGEE, GEORGE ALEXANDER, JR.

George McGee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) George Alexander McGee, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 5307th Composite Unit (Merrill's Marauders), in action against the enemy in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McGee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
Born: April 14, 1913 at North Dakota
Home Town: Minot, North Dakota
Death: November 5, 2007 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

McGEE, JOHN HUGH [POW (WWII) ESCAPEE]

John McGee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He was captured at the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942 and held as a Prisoner of War but successfully escaped by jumping from a Japanese ship where he was being held in July 1944. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Hugh McGee (ASN: 0-18600), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 101st Infantry Regiment (Philippine Army), in action against the enemy in the defense of the Philippine Islands in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McGee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: May 10, 1908 at Minot, North Dakota

Home Town: Minot, North Dakota

Death: November 25, 1991 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, Prisoner of War Medal

*McGINITY, JAMES EDWARD [KIA (WWII)]

James McGinity graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was killed in action on D-Day at Normandy, France, during World War II, while serving as a U.S. Army Major.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Infantry) James Edward McGinity (ASN: 0-23257), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action on 6 June 1944, near ****, France. Landing in Normandy by parachute on D-Day, Major McGinity displayed great qualities of initiative and leadership in assembling his battalion and leading them to their initial objective in the face of intense enemy fire. With no regard for his personal safety, Major McGinity moved among his men despite heavy artillery, mortar and small arms fire, and by his example inspired his men to withhold the fierce enemy counter-attacks. In moving forward to where he could better aid his battalion commander, Major McGinity lost his life, but his devotion to duty, gallantry and aggressive spirit are still an inspiration to his men. Major McGinity's conduct was in keeping with the high traditions of the Airborne Forces.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 37 (March 20, 1945)

Born: January 13, 1915 at Detroit, Michigan

Home Town: Detroit, Michigan

Death: KIA: June 6, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Normandy - Colleville-sur-Mer, France

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

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MCGREGOR, GEORGE WOODBURN

George McGregor graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) George Woodburne McGregor (ASN: 0-16748), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 463d Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McGregor, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 1384 (March 13, 1945)

Born: March 7, 1904 at California

Home Town: San Francisco, California

Death: August 19, 1959 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, 4@ Air Medals

McHUGH, HARRY DILLON

Harry McHugh graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Harry Dillon McHugh (ASN: 0-15758), United States Army, for gallantry in action and outstanding display of personal courage while serving as Commanding Officer of the 318th Infantry Regiment, 80th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, on 18 August 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McHugh, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

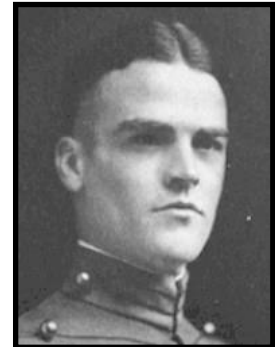
- Headquarters, 80th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 18 (August 19, 1944)

Born: November 22, 1902 at Wisconsin

Home Town: Devil's Lake, North Dakota

Death: September 4, 1991 - Buried at: Sunset Memorial Park - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



McINTYRE, GEORGE WILLIAM

George McIntyre graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) George William McIntyre, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated



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by Lieutenant Colonel McIntyre, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Armored Division, General Orders No. 71 (1945)

Born: August 5, 1918 at Connecticut

Home Town: Binghamton, New York

Death: November 1, 1993 - Buried at: Fort Logan National Cemetery - Denver, Colorado

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars

McKEE, EDGAR STANTON

Edgar McKee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edgar Stanton McKee, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 71st Infantry Regiment, 44th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Rimling, France, from 31 December 1944 through 3 January 1945. Throughout this period, Lieutenant Colonel McKee displayed outstanding leadership and personal bravery in directing the defense of his battalion. Without regard for enemy small arms and artillery fire, he moved among his men, organizing tactical moves. In spite of having had no sleep and little rest for three days and nights, he personally accompanied his troops in an attack on Brandelgingerhoff Farm. Everywhere enemy artillery fire was brought down on the command group, Lieutenant Colonel McKee remained at his post and continued to direct his battalion until wounded and evacuated. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McKee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 44th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (1945)

Born: March 6, 1916 at Darlington, South Carolina

Home Town: Darlington, South Carolina

Death: July 1, 1985 - Buried at: Sumter Cemetery - Sumter, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart



*McKEE, JOHN LLOYD, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

John McKee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He was killed in action in 1945 as a U.S. Army Major. He was the son of Major General John Lloyd McKee.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Field Artillery) John Lloyd McKee, Jr. (ASN: 0-24838), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 901st Field Artillery Battalion, 76th Infantry Division. Major McKee distinguished himself by gallantry in action against the enemy on 12 April 1945 in the vicinity of Trebnitz, Germany. On this date Major McKee accompanied a liaison pilot in an artillery liaison plane over enemy territory in search of information regarding the disposition of friendly and enemy troops, in addition to reconnoitering for battery positions to insure that contemplated areas were cleared of the enemy. Through his efforts enemy pockets of resistance were eliminated by bringing artillery fire to bear upon them. At great personal risk he ventured on this mission. He was shot down and killed by the enemy while flying over one of these enemy pockets of resistance. The gallant actions



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and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major McKee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 76th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 50 (1945)

Born: September 27, 1919 at San Francisco, California

Home Town: San Francisco, California

Death: KIA: April 12, 1945 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

McKEE, RICHARD GRAY

Richard McKee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1918. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Richard Gray McKee (ASN: 0-11217), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 8th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 17 November 1944. The 2d Battalion of Colonel McKee's regiment was ordered to continue an attack through the Hurtgen Forest against strong, well defended enemy positions near Schevenhutee and encountered heavy artillery and mortar fire, which halted forward progress. Colonel McKee then ordered the 1st Battalion to move around the right flank of the 2d Battalion and continue the attack. When this thrust met heavy opposition he went forward through thickly-mined areas under heavy mortar and artillery fire and across several hundred yards of terrain swept by small arms and automatic weapons fire to take personal command of the operation. He directed the forward movement of Company A, the leading assault unit, and achieved penetration of the German lines at a very critical period. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McKee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 22 (1945)

Born: August 2, 1896 at Carrick, Pennsylvania

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: September 16, 1986 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



McKEE, RICHARD LEE

Richard McKee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Richard Lee McKee (ASN: 0-19453), United States Army, for gallantry in action as G-4 (Chief of Staff) for the 5th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McKee, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 5th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 30 (1945)



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Born: Pennsylvania

Home Town: Williamsport, Pennsylvania

Death: July 29, 1982

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

McKINLEY, WILLIAM DAWES [DNB (1957)]

William McKinley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He died while on duty as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel in 1957. He was a nephew of President William McKinley.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Daves McKinley, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 9th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in early phase of the invasion of Normandy, France, in June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McKinley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 23 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Daves McKinley, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 9th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McKinley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 18, 1916 at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: DNB: June 22, 1957 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts

***McNAIR, DOUGLAS CREVIER [KIA (WWII)]**

Douglas McNair graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel in the Pacific, during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Infantry) Douglas Crevier McNair (ASN: 0-17217), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 77th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Guam on 6 August 1944. While making a reconnaissance for a new division command post, accompanied by an officer and an enlisted man, Colonel McNair encountered three Japanese soldiers in a native

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hut about three hundred yards from the main road. Cautiously approaching the entrance to the hut. Colonel McNair fired several times and directed the movements and fire of his companion. The Japanese in the hut returned the fire and during the exchange Colonel McNair was struck and killed. Colonel McNair's gallantry, courage and aggressive and unhesitating leadership was an inspiration to his companions and to the entire Division.

- Headquarters, 77th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 22 (1944)

Born: April 17, 1907 at Boston, Massachusetts

Home Town: Lafayette, Indiana

Death: KIA: August 6, 1944 - Buried at: National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific - Honolulu, Hawaii

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

McNULTY, WILLIAM ANDERSON

William McNulty graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Anderson McNulty (ASN: 0-18871), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with Headquarters, 301st Infantry Regiment, 94th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 23 February 1945. Colonel McNulty, after making a personal reconnaissance of the crossing site, fearlessly led the assault elements of his command across the Saar River near Serrig, Germany. Inspiring his men by his gallant leadership, he pressed forward in the face of withering enemy fire and directed the capture of the town of Serrig and the establishment of a vital bridgehead. Colonel McNulty's utter disregard for his own safety and courageous, aggressive actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

- Headquarters, THIRD U.S. Army, General Orders No. 158 (July 2, 1945)

Born: September 29, 1910 at Roanoke, Virginia

Home Town: Roanoke, Virginia

Death: January 25, 2005 - Buried at: Evergreen Burial Park - Roanoke, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



MCQUADE, BERNARD WILLIAM [KIA (WWII)]

Bernard McQuade graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Bernard William McQuade (ASN: 0-18771), United States Army, for gallantry in action against an armed enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 58th Field Artillery Battalion (Armored) (Separate), attached to the 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, North Africa, in 1943. Lieutenant Colonel McQuade's battalion was subjected to heavy and accurate enemy artillery fire. He went about the area seeing that his men had the maximum protection and safety. He continuously disregarded his own welfare by personally encouraging and leading his men during this fire, and his actions served as an example for his command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel McQuade, without regard



for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 35 (1943)

Born: August 30, 1910 at Brooklyn, New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: KIA: June 6, 1944 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

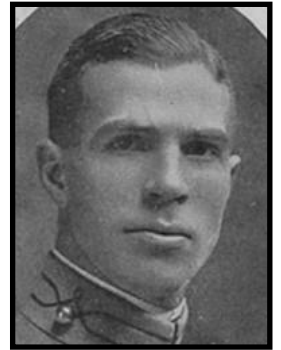
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

MCQUARRIE, CLAUDE MONROE

Claude McQuarrie graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Claude Monroe McQuarrie, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 132d Infantry Regiment 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel McQuarrie, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, Americal Division, General Orders No. 44 (1945)

Born: June 6, 1896 at Missoula, Montana

Home Town: Missoula, Montana

Death: May 16, 1991 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: SS (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

MEAD, ARMISTEAD DAVIS

Armistead Mead graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired with disability in 1961 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Armistead Davis Mead (ASN: 0-15767), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Chief of Staff (G-3), NINTH Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Mead, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 16, 1901 at Charleston, West Virginia

Home Town: Huntington, West Virginia

Death: February 20, 1980 - Buried at: Williamsburg Memorial Park - Williamsburg West, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

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MEADE, EVERARD KIDDER, JR.

Everard Meade graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Everard Kidder Meade, Jr. (ASN: 0-25808), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company G, 2d Battalion, 398th Infantry Regiment, 100th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Meade, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 3, 1919 at Tappahannock, Virginia

Home Town: Boyce, Virginia

Death: September 17, 2007 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts

MEARNS, FILLMORE KENNADY

Fillmore Mearns graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1973 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Fillmore Kennady Mearns, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 135th Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, on 16 January 1944. Working alone in a mine field, Colonel Mearns probed a safe path to seven wounded men caught in the field, gave them first aid and brought about their removal after other rescuers had been injured by mine blasts. He worked in an area being shelled at the time. When he found the men in the mine field, he was advancing with his unit. Grasping a long pole, he moved cautiously into the area, prodding the ground ahead to find a safe lane or set off mines in the way to the wounded men. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mearns, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 31 (April 29, 1944)

Born: September 20, 1915 at Salt Lake City, Utah

Home Town: Berkeley, Kentucky

Death: November 17, 1997

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Vietnam), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, 3@ Purple Hearts, 27@ Air Medals

***MEIGS, MONTGOMERY CUNNINGHAM [KIA (WWII)]**

Montgomery Meigs graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Montgomery Cunningham Meigs (ASN: 0-22930), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 23d Tank Battalion, 12th Armored Division, in action during the period of 9 to 11 December 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Meigs' actions during the three days' operations under artillery, mortar and small arms fire set an example for all officers and men of his battalion, inspiring them to continue the attack on the Division objective, which was taken on 12 December 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Meigs' courage and utter disregard for his own life in leading his battalion, exemplifies the finest traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 12th Armored Division, General Orders No. 50 (1944)

Born: April 10, 1919 at Massachusetts

Home Town: Annapolis, Maryland

Death: KIA: December 11, 1944 - Buried at: Rock Creek Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Washington, D. C.

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

MELNIK, STEPHEN MICHAEL [POW (WWII) ESCAPEE]

Stephen Mellnik graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. Captured in the Philippine Islands following the surrender, he was held briefly as a Prisoner of War. He was one of ten men including two Naval Officers, three Air Corps Officers, and two Marine Corps Officers who escaped after nearly a year in captivity after the fall of Bataan and Corregidor. The ten men evaded their captors for days until connecting with Filipino Guerillas under Wendell Fertig. The officers remained with the guerillas for weeks, obtaining vital information which they carried with them when they were subsequently evacuated by American submarines. Their escape was the only mass escape from a Japanese prison camp during the war. He retired with disability in 1954 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Coast Artillery Corps) Stephen Michael Mellnik (ASN: 0-18754), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Mellnik, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Philippine Coast Artillery Command, General Orders No. 50 (1942)

Born: 1907 at Ukraine

Home Town: Dunmore, Pennsylvania

Death: January 1, 1994 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Prisoner of War Medal

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MENARD, NOEL AMBROSE

Noel Menard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Noel Ambrose Menard, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 328th Infantry Regiment, 26th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Menard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 26th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 148 (1945)

Born: December 11, 1912 at Illinois

Home Town: Kankakee, Illinois

Death: January 15, 2000 - Buried at: Saint Joseph's Catholic Cemetery - Bellevue, Iowa

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

MENOHER, PEARSON

Pearson Menoher graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He retired with disability in 1952 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Pearson Menoher (ASN: 0-3805), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff, SEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Menoher, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, SEVENTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 443 (1945)

Born: November 14, 1892 at Virginia

Home Town: Fort Meyer, Virginia

Death: February 13, 1958 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

*MERRILL, JOHN WENTWORTH [KIA (WWII)]

John Merrill graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Wentworth Merrill (ASN: 0-19500), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 12th Infantry Regiment, 45th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, in June 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Merrill's battalion



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command post group was attacked from the flank by a force of approximately thirty Germans. He courageously led his smaller group against the German force, killing approximately fourteen of them and capturing the rest. The gallant combat leadership displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Merrill was an inspiration to the officers and men under him. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Merrill, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 45th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 42 (1944)

Born: March 1, 1944 at Brooklyn, New York

Home Town: Boonville, New York

Death: KIA: June 24, 1944 - Buried at: Boonville Cemetery - Boonville, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

MERRILL, PHILIP WILLIAM

Philip Merrill graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired with disability in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Philip William Merrill, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer, 11th Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Merrill, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 5th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 14 (1945)

Born: September 22, 1906 at Wisconsin

Home Town: Green Bay, Wisconsin

Death: November 11, 1960 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars



MESEREAU, THOMAS ARTHUR

Thomas Mesereau graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He resigned in 1953 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Thomas Arthur Mesereau (ASN: 0-25822), United States Army, for (ASN: 0-25822), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Leyte, Philippine Islands, on 27 November 1944. Captain Mesereau was given the mission of cutting across the Leyte mountains to clear the enemy from a supply trail leading into the hills from the west coast. Food was scarce and during a 5-day period his men had only one meal. On 27 November 1944, in the face of heavy enemy machine gun and sniper fire he successfully led them up a fire-covered slope which had been cleared of trees and underbrush, affording the enemy a perfect field of fire, to wipe out a fortified enemy position in the face of great odds. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain



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Mesereau, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 22, 1921 at Connecticut

Home Town: Bergenfield, New Jersey

Death: March 16, 1986 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

MESSINGER, EDWIN JOHN [DNB (1965)]

Edwin Messinger graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He earned his first Distinguished Service Cross in Korea on February 22 - March 11, 1951. Four months later on May 17 - 24, 1951, he earned a SECOND Distinguished Service Cross, along with multiple other awards. He died of cancer in 1965 while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edwin John Messinger (ASN: 0-18503), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as G-3 (Operations Officer) of the 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Messinger, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 63 (1945)

Born: March 1, 1907 at Kingston, New York

Home Town: Ulster, New York

Death: DNB: January 28, 1965 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Distinguished Service Crosses (Korea), Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), Army Distinguished Service Medal, 5@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

MEWSHAW, HARRY CLAY

Harry Mewshaw graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1918. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Harry Clay Mewshaw, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the THIRD U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Mewshaw, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, III Corps, General Orders No. 71 (1945)

Born: July 1, 1894 at Maryland

Home Town: Baltimore, Maryland

Death: April 6, 1984 - Buried at: Edgefield Village Cemetery - Edgefield, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

MEYER, ARTHUR LLOYD

Arthur Meyer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired with disability in 1971 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Coast Artillery Corps) Arthur Lloyd Meyer (ASN: 0-23871), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 397th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion (Provisional), in action against the enemy during the amphibious landings at Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Meyer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Air Defense Artillery Bulletin

Born: 1989 at Bonn, Germany

Home Town: Reading, Pennsylvania

Death: June 27, 1989 - Buried at: Alsace Lutheran Church Cemetery - Reading, Pennsylvania

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit



MEYER, CHARLES ROBERT

Charles Meyer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Charles Robert Meyer (ASN: 0-20762), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 127th Infantry Regiment, 32d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on the Villa Verde Trail, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Meyer was in a forward observation post as mortars and artillery cleared a way for the advance. He and his radio operator came under enemy fire and the radio operator was wounded. Lieutenant Colonel Meyer went to the inert radio operator and carried him through exposed ground to an aid station. Then he went back and operated the radio himself until the barrage ended and the troops moved in. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Meyer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 32d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 47 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Charles Robert Meyer (ASN: 0-20762), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 127th Infantry Regiment, 32d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Leyte, Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Meyer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 32d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 78 (1945)



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Born: May 1, 1913 at West Point, New York

Home Town: Fort Scraven, Georgia

Death: August 11, 2001 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts, Air Medal

MEYER, HENRY JOHN DICK

Henry Meyer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Henry John Dick Meyer (ASN: 0-12290), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 45th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Meyer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

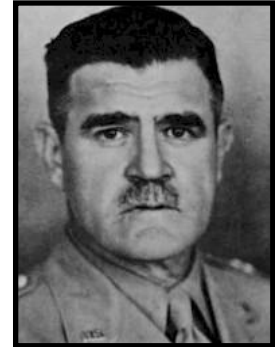
- Headquarters, 45th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 326 (1945)

Born: September 20, 1899 at New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: March 4, 1972 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Silver Stars (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, Purple Heart



MEYER, JOHN HENRY

John Meyer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Henry Meyer, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Meyer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 43 (1944)

Born: November 2, 1914 at Louisiana

Home Town: Gainesville, Florida

Death: December 3, 2001 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Purple Hearts, Purple Heart



MICHAELIS, JOHN HERSEY

John Michaelis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Hersey Michaelis (ASN: 0-20328), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 502d Parachute Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Michaelis distinguished himself in a bitter struggle to secure a bridge near Carentan, France. During this action against German troops, two battalions of American parachute troops became isolated on the south bank of the Douve River. Lieutenant Colonel Michaelis repeatedly exposed himself to enemy gun fire to pass back and forth across the causeway to carry orders to his battalion commander. His courage and the ferocious barrage laid down by his me finally led to a disorganized retreat of enemy troops. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Michaelis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 6 (1944)

Born: August 20, 1912 at San Francisco, California

Home Town: Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Death: October 31, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (Korea), 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 4@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts, Air Medal

MICKLE, GERALD ST. CLAIRE

Gerald Mickle graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Gerald St. Claire Mickle, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 75th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Mickle, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 75th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 173 (June 14, 1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General Gerald St. Claire Mickle, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 75th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Mickle, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with

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the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: July 21, 1899 at Mobile, Alabama

Home Town: Mobile, Alabama

Death: September 16, 1972 - Buried at: Magnolia Cemetery - Mobile, Alabama

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

MIKKELSEN, WILLIAM HENRY

William Mikkelsen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired with disability in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Henry Mikkelsen, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 338th Infantry Regiment, 85th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mikkelsen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 85th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 18 (1944)

Born: June 9, 1909 at Lumberton, Mississippi

Home Town: Chicago, Illinois

Death: August 11, 1967 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



MILBURN, FRANK WILLIAM

Frank Milburn graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1914. He retired in 1952 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Frank William Milburn (ASN: 0-3738), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 83d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Milburn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, SEVENTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 474 (1945)

Born: January 11, 1892 at Jasper, Indiana

Home Town: Jasper, Indiana

Death: October 25, 1962 - Buried at: Fort Missoula Cemetery - Missoula, Montana

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



MILDREN, FRANK THOMAS

Frank Mildren graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1973 as a U.S. Army General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Frank Thomas Mildren (ASN: 0-21992), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 38th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mildren, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 86 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Frank Thomas Mildren (ASN: 0-21992), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 38th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mildren, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: July 8, 1913 at Pima, Arizona

Home Town: Las Vegas, Nevada

Death: September 14, 1990 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Silver Stars (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal

MILEY, WILLIAM MAYNADIER

William Miley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1918. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General William Maynadier Miley (ASN: 0-11232), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Miley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: December 26, 1897 at Fort Mason, California

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: September 24, 1997 - Buried at: Odd Fellows Cemetery - Starkville, Mississippi

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars

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MILLER, ALLEN CLINTON, II

Allen Miller graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1958 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Allen Clinton Miller, II, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion on the 513th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in Belgium, in December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Miller, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 15 (1945)
Born: February 15, 1912 at Quincy, California
Home Town: Quincy, California
Death: July 11, 1994 - Buried at: Quincy Cemetery - Quincy, California
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



MILLER, AUSTIN ANDREW

Austin Miller graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired with disability in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Quartermaster Corps) Austin Andrew Miller (ASN: 0-19228), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Quartermaster with Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Samaree, Belgium, on 20 December 1944. When elements of a German Panzer Division threatened the supply dump at Samaree, Lieutenant Colonel Miller braved death to organize the small forces at his command into an effective fighting unit and quickly move them into a defensive position advancing to the most forward roadblocks and outposts, despite heavy artillery, tank and small arms fire. He then supervised the operations of his men as they fought against overwhelming odds. Although his troops were actively engaged with the enemy, he still managed to continue issuance of vitally needed fuel and rations. Lieutenant Colonel Miller's courageous devotion to duty under the most hazardous conditions, which saved important supplies from seizure or destruction, is in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 26 (January 30, 1945)
Born: July 14, 1907, Indiana
Home Town: Huntingburg, Indiana
Death: July 17, 1969 - Buried at: Fort Bliss National Cemetery - El Paso, Texas
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



MILLER, CLIFFORD LORE, II

Clifford Miller graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Clifford Lore Miller, II (ASN: 0-22149), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of Combat Command B, 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Miller, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Armored Division, General Orders No. 35 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Clifford Lore Miller, II (ASN: 0-22149), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of Combat Command B, 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Miller, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Armored Division, General Orders No. 45 (1945)

Born: April 20, 1916 at Ancon, Panama

Home Town: El Paso, Texas

Death: February 11, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star w/V, Purple Heart

MILLER, ROBERT BENJAMIN

Robert Miller graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Robert Benjamin Miller (ASN: 0-21787), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 389th Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, while leading a group of B-24 airplanes on a bomb mission over Germany on 6 March 1944. Colonel Miller directed his unit from his position as command and lead pilot. The aircraft leading the combat wing developed mechanical difficulties over the target and was unable to release its bombs. As a result, the bombardier in Colonel Miller's aircraft has insufficient time to get properly lined up on the target. In spite of heavy enemy opposition he maneuvered the group in a complete turn, chose a new initial point and led it on a second run over the assigned objective, bombing it with devastating results. The gallantry and indomitable will to carry on in the face of great odds and superb leadership displayed by Colonel Miller were directly responsible for the successful completion of this important mission. His devotion to

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duty and courage under all conditions serve as an inspiration to his fellow flyers. His actions on all these occasions reflect the highest credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 291 (April 20, 1944)

Born: October 14, 1914 at Clinton, Illinois

Home Town: Clinton, Illinois

Death: September 16, 2010 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals

MILLER, VIRGIL RASMUS

Virgil Miller graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry), [then Lieutenant Colonel] Virgil Rasmuss Miller (ASN: 0-15487), United States Army, for gallantry in action while Commanding the 442d Regimental Combat Team, attached to the 92d Infantry Division, on 29 October and 7 November, 1944, in France, and on 10 April 1945, in Italy. When his troops were halted by a large enemy force defending well dug in positions on a strategic hill in the combat team's four-day battle to rescue the "Lost Battalion," Colonel Miller exposed himself to the hazards of intense artillery, mortar, and small arms fire to personally direct the assault of his companies. On 7 November 1944 in the vicinity of La Croisette, France, when the enemy infiltrated in strength and threatened the entire flank of a battalion, he proceeded to one of the company areas and directed a skillful maneuver which prevented the encirclement of a friendly battalion. Again on 10 April 1945 in the vicinity of Massa, Italy, Colonel Miller proceeded to a company operating on the rearward slope of Cle Tecchione, under concentrated shelling from hostile coastal guns and mortars. Disdaining sporadic shellfire, he inspected the condition of the company, encouraged the troops, and gave the company commander specific instructions on the plan of attack. Colonel Miller's complete disregard for personal safety in repeatedly exposing himself to the hazards of hostile fire in his desire to obtain maximum coordination between the different elements of his command was a constant source of inspiration to the officers and men of his organization and reflects high credit on the traditions of the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 92d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 94 (October 4, 1945)

Born: November 11, 1900 at Georgia

Home Town: Winneconne, Wisconsin

Death: August 5, 1968 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



MILLETT, GEORGE VAN, JR. [POW (WWII) ESCAPEE DNB (1955)]

George Millett graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He died while on duty as a U.S. Army Colonel in 1955.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) George Van Millett, Jr. (ASN: 0-17787), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 507th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 6 - 8 June 1944. Having landed by parachute before dawn on D-Day and finding the force badly scattered in the jump, Colonel Millett



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personally led 4 officers 20 men in effort to accomplish Regiment's primary mission, the capture of Amferville. After capturing 25 of enemy, neutralizing several machine guns, and capturing two ammunition trucks, being vastly outnumbered his troops disengaged and established defensive positions on the main highway to town. There he finally assembled almost 400 men and held out three days against constant enemy attacks in great strength and under artillery fire, thus denying the enemy the use of this important road to reinforce their attacks on the Merderet River Bridges. His courageous leadership and inspiring fortitude setting enviable example for his men. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Millett, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 127 (1945)

Born: April 10, 1904 at Missouri

Home Town: Kansas City, Missouri

Death: DNB: November 8, 1955 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

MILLICAN, RAYMOND WEIR

Raymond Millican graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Raymond Weir Millican (ASN: 0-23000), United States Army, for gallantry in action as S-3 (Operations Officer) of the 118th Field Artillery Battalion, 30th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at the Siegfried Line in Germany, in 1944. Major Millican's field artillery battalion was engaged in giving supporting fire to an Infantry attacking force. A vehicle ran over an enemy mine in a road near Major Millican's command post, and the occupant were wounded. Although hostile, observed fire was falling in the immediate vicinity, Major Millican left the safety of a pillbox in which the command post was located and made four trips under fire, through the mine-infested area, to bring in the wounded. As a result of his courageous action he made a valuable contribution in the saving of the lives of three of his comrades by enabling them to receive immediate medical evacuation. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Millican, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 30th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 93 (1944)

Born: January 7, 1918 at Daviess County, Kentucky

Home Town: Owensboro, Kentucky

Death: August 18, 1980 - Buried at: Rosehill Elmwood Cemetery - Owensboro, Kentucky

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars



MILLIKIN, JOHN

John Millikin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1910. He retired as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General John Millikin, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 13th Armored Division, in action against



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the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Millikin, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, THIRD U.S. Army, General Orders No. 297 (1945)

Born: January 7, 1888 at Danville, Indiana

Home Town: Danville, Indiana

Death: November 6, 1970 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Soldier's Medal, Bronze Star

*MILLS, BENJAMIN WILLIS, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

Benjamin Mills graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He was killed in action as a First Lieutenant in World War II, little more than a year after graduation.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Benjamin Willis Mills, Jr. (ASN: 0-25836), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Company KI, 8th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Pierres, France, on 15 July 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Mills, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 91 (1945)

Born: August 19, 1920 at Panama

Home Town: Marion, South Carolina

Death: KIA: September 7, 1944 - Buried at: Rose Hill Cemetery - Marion, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts

MILLS, JOHN STEWART

John Mills graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) John Stewart Mills (AFSN: 357A/-17106), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 450th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations over Rumania, on 15 April 1944. Colonel Mills was wing leader of a formation of five heavy bombardment groups on a vital mission to bomb an enemy oil production and rail center in Rumania. An intense fog delayed the take-off for two hours, but in spite of this initial set-back, realizing the importance of the target, Colonel Mills was determined to carry out the assigned mission. Approaching the target area the formation was intercepted by approximately 90 enemy fighters which made coordinated attacks from all sides of the formation. Despite the persistence of these fighter attacks, the intense barrage of enemy flak, and the partial concealment of the target by a smoke screen, Colonel Mills remained on course, bringing his formation through for an extremely successful bombing run, which resulted in the destruction of one distillation unit, four storage tanks, a car loading station, and

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covered the target with forty-seven direct hits. In addition to the bombing damage caused by his superior and gallant leadership of the formation, the lead group alone destroyed 27 enemy aircraft in the air with our losses held to a minimum. By his extraordinary professional skill and superior leadership, in carrying out a mission of the highest strategic importance despite opposition and adverse conditions, Colonel Mills has reflected great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 262 (April 22, 1944)

Born: July 17, 1906 at Appleton, Wisconsin

Home Town: Appleton, Wisconsin

Death: July 4, 1996 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 3@ Air Medals

MILNER, JAMES WILBOURNE

James Milner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1989 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) James Wilbourne Milner (ASN: 0-23124), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 489th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 7th Armored Division, in action in France, on 28 August 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Milner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 39 (September 5, 1944)

Born: February 11, 1915 at Axtell, Texas

Home Town: Waco, Texas

Death: February 4, 1999 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



MILTON, THEODORE ROSS, SR.

Theodore Milton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Theodore Ross Milton, Sr. (ASN: 0-23307), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 91st Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, while leading a Combat Wing of B-17 airplanes on a bombing mission over Germany on 12 August 1943. Colonel Milton directed the unit from his position as Pilot of the leading aircraft. In spite of fierce enemy opposition and a heavy overcast, a target of vital importance to the enemy's air effort was virtually destroyed. The excellent results obtained can be attributed to the gallantry and superb leadership displayed by Colonel Milton. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Milton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the



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highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 210 (November 18, 1943)

Born: December 29, 1915 at Scofield Barracks, Hawaii

Home Town: Washington, D.C.

Death: August 24, 2010 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, 5@ Air Medals

MINAHAN, DANIEL JOSEPH, JR.

Daniel Minahan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Daniel Joseph Minahan, Jr. (ASN: 0-21799), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 314th Field Artillery Battalion, 80th Infantry Division in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 12 - 13 September 1944 in France, while successfully ordering several fire missions upon the enemy and later in organizing and commanding his unit in repelling an enemy attack by destroying three enemy tanks and killing an un-estimated number of enemy troops. His personal bravery, superb leadership, and zealous devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 80th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 70 (November 3, 1944)

Born: January 27, 1915 at Lawrence, Massachusetts

Home Town: Lawrence, Massachusetts

Death: September 9, 2010 - Buried at: Llano Cemetery - Amarillo, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

MINER, RUSSELL MELROY

Russell Miner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Russell Melroy Miner, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 376th Infantry Regiment, 94th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Miner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 94th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 136 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver



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Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Russell Melroy Miner, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 376th Infantry Regiment, 94th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Miner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 94th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 160 (1945)
Born: April 28, 1911 at Binghamton, New York
Home Town: Binghamton, New York
Death: October 5, 1997
Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars

MITCHELL, CLAIR BEVERLY

Clair Mitchell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired with disability in 1955 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Clair Beverly Mitchell, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 313th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Cherbourg, France, in June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mitchell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
Born: April 8, 1913 at Alabama
Home Town: Huntsville, Alabama
Death: June 4, 1977 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts



*MITCHELL, FLOYD ALLEN [POW (WWII) KIA-KK]

Floyd Mitchell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. Captured at the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he was being transported to Japan as a Prisoner of War aboard the "Hell Ship" Oryoku Maru in 1944 when it was bombed by American aircraft that did not know that the enemy ship was carrying POWs, and was subsequently lost at sea.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Coast Artillery Corps) Floyd Allen Mitchell (ASN: 0-15535), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 91st Coast Artillery Regiment, Philippine Scouts, in action on Corregidor, Philippine Islands, on 15 and 25 April 1942. During extremely heavy enemy artillery fire, he courageously assisted in repairing the regimental telephone lines and on an occasion when two Filipino Scouts lay wounded in an area under heavy artillery concentrations, heroically made his way to where they lay and assisted them to safety. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel



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Mitchell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 63 (1946)

Born: November 16, 1901 at Vermont

Home Town: Barre, Vermont

Death: KIA (As a POW): December 15, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

MITCHELL, HERBERT VOIVENELLE

Herbert Mitchell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Herbert Voivenelle Mitchell, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 27th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, on 12 and 13 January 1943. Lieutenant Colonel Mitchell went forward on the preceding day to an exposed position to gain a commanding position from which to direct the advance of his troops, held by an isolated platoon within 20 yards of the enemy troops. His presence bolstered the morale of the troops, and on the following day from this position of vantage he was able to direct the maneuvers of his troops skillfully against stubborn enemy resistance. As the forces moved beyond his position, he followed closely behind his assault companies and in the final drive exposed himself fully to all hazards encountered by his men. His brilliant leadership greatly facilitated the occupation of the battalion's objective. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mitchell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 89 (1943)

Born: January 18, 1906 at Illinois

Home Town: Moscow, Idaho

Death: July 10, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart



MONROE, THOMAS HUNTINGTON

Thomas Monroe graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Thomas Huntington Monroe (ASN: 0-23017), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 309th Infantry Regiment, 78th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Monroe, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 78th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 479 (1945)



Born: July 13, 1917 at Humboldt County, California

Home Town: Eureka, California

Death: January 30, 2014 - Buried at: Ocean View Cemetery - Eureka, California

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star*

MONSON, NELSON PAUL [POW (WWII) ESCAPEE]

Nelson Monson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. During World War II he was captured in Belgium in December 1944 and interned at Offlag 64 in Poland, but he escaped captivity early in 1945. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Major.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Nelson Paul Monson (ASN: 0-23996), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 507th Parachute Infantry Regiment (Separate), in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Monson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: Minden, Nebraska

Home Town: Minden, Nebraska

Death: August 14, 2002

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Prisoner of War Medal*

MONTGOMERY, HAMPDEN EUGENE [POW (WWII) KIA]

Hampden Montgomery graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. Captured in the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he was held as a Prisoner of War and subsequently transported to Japan for internment, and died in a POW camp there in 1945.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Hampden Eugene Montgomery (ASN: 0-17271), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 45th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Montgomery, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: September 12, 1902 at South Carolina

Home Town: Kingstree, South Carolina

Death: KIA as a POW: February 5, 1945 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal*

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MOORE, BIDWELL

Bidwell Moore graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Field Artillery) Bidwell Moore (ASN: 0-23248), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Service Battery, 5th Field Artillery Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Normandy, France, on 14 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 55 (August 1, 1944)

Born: Tennessee

Home Town: Baltimore, Maryland

Death: August 27, 2011 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars



MOORE, BRYANT EDWARD [DNB (KOREA)]

Bryant Moore graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of August 1917. From 1949 to 1951 he served as Superintendent of the Academy, before serving in Korea. As a Major General he was killed on February 24, 1951, when his helicopter crashed in Korea while he was visiting front-line troops.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General [then Colonel (Infantry)] Bryant Edward Moore (ASN: 0-8633), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 164th Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, on 23 November 1942. Brigadier General Moore's regiment was the target of exceptionally heavy mortar fire by the Japanese on Guadalcanal. The commanding officer of a battalion was killed, as were other officers, and Brigadier General Moore took over, directing American artillery fire so effectively that the enemy mortars were silenced. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Bryant Edward Moore (ASN: 0-8633), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 104th Infantry Division, and subsequently as Commanding General of the 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations from in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: June 6, 1894 at Ellsworth, Maine

Home Town: Ellsworth, Maine

Death: DNB: February 24, 1951 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

MOORE, DENNIS MILTON [POW (WWII)]

Dennis Moore graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Dennis Milton Moore (ASN: 0-15836), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Intelligence Officer, II Corps, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: October 20, 1900 at Texas

Home Town: Ada, Oklahoma

Death: August 17, 1966 - Buried at: Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery - Fort Benning, Georgia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

MOORE, JOHN GILBERT

John Moore graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Air Forces Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) John Gilbert Moore (ASN: 0-15675), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 94th Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 74 (June 12, 1943)

Born: September 13, 1902 at Las Animas, Colorado

Home Town: Las Animas, Colorado

Death: September 27, 1975 - Buried at: Memorial Gardens Cemetery and Mausoleum - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Air Medal

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MOORE, NED DALTON

Ned Moore graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930, He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Ned Dalton Moore (ASN: 0-18212), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Zon, Holland, on 19 September 1944. With two enlisted men, Colonel Moore was sent on a reconnaissance mission to locate tanks reported to be near the Division Command Post and determine whether or not the tanks were friendly or enemy. Advancing along a canal over flat, open terrain, the party reached a position approximately 100 yards from a tank when it fired one round hitting and setting fire to a gasoline storage tank in the rear of the reconnaissance party. Colonel Moore sent information of the enemy tank back to the command post and, with complete disregard for his personal safety, elected to remain in his exposed position armed only with a pistol, to further observe the actions of the enemy tank. By doing so, he was caught between a cross fire of the friendly machine gun fire directed at the friendly troops in the rear of Colonel Moore. Successful accomplishment of this mission, which enable the command post to prepare for an attack, was realized largely because of the courage and devotion to duty displayed by Colonel Moore. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 101st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 7 (1945)

Born: December 23, 1906 at Guthrie Center, Iowa

Home Town: Guthrie Center, Iowa

Death: October 8, 1992 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: *Distinguished Service Cross (Korea), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart*

MOORE, ROY EDWIN

Roy Moore graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Roy Edwin Moore, United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer, 7th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, on 13 October 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: December 11, 1910 at Hennepin, Minnesota

Home Town: Fargo, North Dakota

Death: April 2, 1999 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart*

MOORE, THOMAS EDWARD, JR.

Thomas Moore graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Field Artillery) Thomas Edward Moore, Jr. (ASN: 0-26615), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Battery B, 402d Field Artillery Battalion, 42d Infantry Division, in action on 18 March 1945, near Ludwigsinkel, Germany. Lieutenant Moore was forward observer adjusting artillery fire when the Infantry unit supported by his Battalion was held up by an intense crossfire from enemy machine guns. Disregarding his own safety, Lieutenant Moore exposed himself to the hostile fire to adjust on the machine guns and deliberately placed the fire of his own batteries within fifty yards of his position, destroying the German guns. He then exposed himself again to adjust fire on a hostile pillbox and a third time braved heavy fire to accomplish the destruction of additional machine gun positions. By his outstanding courage and devotion to duty, Lieutenant Moore prevented heavy casualties and enabled the Infantry to continue its advance. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Moore, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 42d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 135 (1945)

Born: December 2, 1919 at Las Animas, Colorado

Home Town: Las Animas, Colorado

Death: March 20, 1995

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)

MORIN, MARTIN JOSEPH

Martin Morin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Martin Joseph Morin (ASN: 0-17911), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 41st Armored Infantry Regiment, 2d Armored Division, in action against the enemy during the breakout from St. Lo, France, in June and July 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Morin, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Armored Division, General Orders No. 27 (1944)

Born: April 9, 1906 at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Death: February 18, 1993 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

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MORONEY, WILLIAM JOSEPH

William Moroney graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Joseph Moroney, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 163d Infantry Regiment, 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on Insoemear Island of the Wake Island Group, from 18 to 21 May 1944. Colonel Moroney came ashore with the initial wave to reach the beach, when the fighting was at its pitch. He immediately established a command post well forward in a foxhole to better direct and control the operation. Despite intense enemy resistance, he led the forward element in driving a wedge between the eastern and western halves of the island which broke organized resistance. Subsequent to that date, Air Corps and service troops which had landed on the beaches were attacked by small groups of the enemy. Despite the fact that these troops were untrained in ground combat, Colonel Moroney organized them in a defensive position and the area was successfully defended. His outstanding tactical ability and cool leadership were responsible for the sound defeat administered the enemy. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Moroney, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 41st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 55 (1944) & General Orders No. 62 (1944)

Born: August 24, 1897 at Toledo, Ohio

Home Town: Okmulgee, Oklahoma

Death: May 5, 1967 - Buried at: Fort Gibson National Cemetery - Fort Gibson, Oklahoma

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



MORRIS, WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, JR.

William Morris graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1911. He retired in 1952 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General William Henry Harrison Morris, Jr. (ASN: 0-3102), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Morris, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 36 (1945)

Born: March 22, 1890 at Ocean Grove, New Jersey

Home Town: Ocean Grove, New Jersey

Death: March 30, 1971 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War I), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart



***MOSELEY, EUGENE LOUIS [KIA (WWII)]**

Eugene Moseley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He was killed while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Eugene Louis Moseley (ASN: 0-17664), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 133d Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Moseley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 61 (1943)

Born: 1907 at Manila, Philippine Islands

Home Town: Rogersville, Missouri

Death: KIA: January 26, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Sicily-Rome - Nettuno, Italy

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

MUCCI, HENRY ANDREW

Henry Mucci graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. The account of the liberation of American POWs at Cabanatuan Prison was featured in the motion picture "The Great Raid" where he was portrayed by actor Benjamin Bratt. Mucci retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel and died in 1997, never living to see the 2005 re-creation of his heroic mission.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Henry Andrew Mucci (ASN: 0-20374), United States Army, for gallantry as Commanding Officer of the 6th Ranger Infantry Battalion (Separate), in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mucci, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: April 3, 1911 at Bridgeport, Connecticut

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: April 20, 1997 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Soldier's Medal, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

MUDGE, VERNE DONALD

Verne Mudge graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired with disability from war wounds in 1946 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Verne Donald Mudge (ASN: 0-12679), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 1st Cavalry Division, in action against the enemy in the West Leyte Mountain Campaign, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1944. Major General Mudge coolly directed front line troops in the face of enemy fire after a five-mile hike into the mountains with only a small patrol. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Mudge, without regard



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for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, X Corps, General Orders No. 43 (1944)

Born: September 5, 1898 at Walworth County, South Dakota

Home Town: Fellsmere, Florida

Death: January 29, 1957 - Buried at: Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery - San Diego, California

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

MUELLER, PAUL JOHN

Paul Mueller graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He retired with disability in 1954 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Paul John Mueller (ASN: 0-3808), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 81st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the South Pacific area, on 21 September and 13 November 1944. During a fiercely contested attack by the 1st Battalion, 322d Infantry Regiment, against a strongly fortified enemy position in Angaur Island, Palau Group, General Mueller went into the front lines in order to observe closely and direct the action. His courage under fire inspired the troops and spurred them on to vigorous assault as hostile resistance was readily overcome. Following the successful annihilation of resistance in Angaur and the deployment of division elements to Peleliu Island, he visited frontline positions of the 23d Infantry Regiment in its advance into the Big Valley, a powerful enemy stronghold. He undertook careful observations of Japanese terrain and maintained his forward position while the men of the regiment, heartened by his presence, pressed forward relentlessly against the enemy. Through his courageous actions and gallantry under fire, Major General Mueller made an inspiring contribution to the success of the 81st Infantry Division in operations against the enemy in the Palau Group. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Mueller, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 248 & 257 (1946)

Born: November 16, 1892 at Union, Missouri

Home Town: Union, Missouri

Death: September 25, 1964 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Navy Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War I), Silver Star (World War II)

MULLEN, WILLIAM JOSEPH, JR.

William Mullen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Joseph Mullen, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, in January 1943. Lieutenant Colonel Mullen was an



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inspiration to his men under the most difficult, tactical, climatic, and terrain conditions, frequently with insufficient food and water. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Mullen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 70 (1943)
Born: June 21, 1908 at New York
Home Town: Brooklyn, New York
Death: February 19, 1978 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

MULLINS, CHARLES LOVE, JR.

Charles Mullins graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of April 1917. Upon graduation from the Command and General Staff School in 1939, President Roosevelt assigned him to Nicaragua, at the request of President Anastasio Somoza, to establish a military academy patterned after West Point. During his nearly three years in that country, he successfully developed the military academy into a first class institution, acting as its first director. For this outstanding achievement President Somoza appointed him a brigadier general in the Nicaraguan Army and he was awarded that country's high medal of achievement, the Mcdalla Militar de la Primera Class. His close friendship with the Somoza family endured throughout his life. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Charles Love Mullins, Jr. (ASN: 0-5306), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 25th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Mullins, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, I Corps, General Orders No. 31 (1945)
Born: September 7, 1892 at Nebraska
Home Town: Broken Bow, Nebraska
Death: March 1, 1976 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Air Medal

MUNDY, GEORGE WARREN

George Mundy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) George Warren Mundy (ASN: 0-17112), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-29 Very Heavy Bomber of the 39th Bombardment Group (Very Heavy), TWENTIETH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Pacific Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Mundy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 20th Air Force, General Orders No. 12 (July 27, 1945)

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Born: August 7, 1905 at Cedartown, Georgia

Home Town: Cedartown, Georgia

Death: March 3, 2000 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, 3@ Air Medals

MUNFORD, THOMAS WILLIAM

Thomas Munford graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Coast Artillery Corps) Thomas William Munford, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 18th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Group (Separate), attached to the FIRST U.S. Army, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Munford, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIRST U.S. Army, General Orders No. 39 (1944)

Born: June 8, 1897 at Gonzalez, Texas

Home Town: Gonzalez, Texas

Death: October 21, 1965 - Buried at: Roselawn Memorial Gardens - Christiansburg, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



MURDOCH, FRANCIS JOHNSTONE, JR.

Francis Murdoch graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was a member of the 1940 Olympic Equestrian Team, but the Olympics were cancelled due to the war in Europe so he did not have the opportunity to compete. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Francis Johnstone Murdoch, Jr. (ASN: 0-19853), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Etreham, Normandy, France, on 8 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Murdoch, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (July 5, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Francis Johnstone Murdoch, Jr. (ASN: 0-19853), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in in Normandy, France, on 1 August 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Murdoch, without



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regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 60 (March 21, 1945)

Born: July 22, 1912 at Tarboro, North Carolina

Home Town: Tarboro, North Carolina

Death: February 21, 2010 – Buried at Arlington National Cemetery – Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

MURPHY, JOHN BARTLETT

John Murphy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired with disability in 1958 as a U.S. Army Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General John Bartlett Murphy (ASN: 0-12338), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 100th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Murphy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 100th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 221 (1945)

Born: June 16, 1898 at Macedonia, Iowa

Home Town: Amarillo, Texas

Death: September 5, 1984 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

MURPHY, JOHN RICHARD

John Murphy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1975 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) John Richard Murphy (ASN: 0-24928), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Pilot of a Fighter Airplane with the 365th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in action on 21 October 1944. On this date Lieutenant Colonel Murphy led three squadrons on a highly successful fighter sweep in the Bonn-Dusseldorf area. Under his skillful direction the squadrons engaged two formations of more than thirty enemy aircraft each; and in the course of each engagement Lieutenant Colonel Murphy destroyed one enemy aircraft. During the course of the two engagements under his brilliant leadership the group destroyed twenty-one enemy aircraft, probably destroyed one, and damaged an additional eleven. The extraordinary success of this mission reflects the highest credit upon Lieutenant Colonel Murphy, his organization and the Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 48 (March 27, 1945)

Born: September 19, 1918 at Minot, North Dakota

Home Town: Fargo, North Dakota

Death: January 13, 2000 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 5@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 39@ Air Medals

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MURRAH, CHARLES ROBERT

Charles Murrah graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He resigned in 1946 as a U.S. Army Major.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Charles Robert Murrah (ASN: 0-23977), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 334th Infantry Regiment, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Murrah, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 84th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 149 (1945)

Born: December 7, 1917 at Shiloh, Georgia

Home Town: Chipley, Georgia

Death: August 27, 1994

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



MURRAY, CHARLES RATCLIFFE

Charles Murray graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Charles Ratcliffe Murray, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 217th Field Artillery Battalion, 44th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Murray, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 44th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 13 (1945)

Born: August 27, 1907 at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Coraopolis, Pennsylvania

Death: October 6, 1980 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars



MURRAY, JOHN TROTT

John Murray graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of April 1917. He retired in 1948 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General John Trott Murray (ASN: 0-5240), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff, FIRST U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Murray, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military



service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, I Corps, General Orders No. 242 (1945)

Born: November 14, 1892 at Meridian, Mississippi

Home Town: Meridian, Mississippi

Death: November 27, 1960 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

MURRAY, WILLIAM STEPHEN

William Murray graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1918. He retired in 1946 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Stephen Murray (ASN: 0-12227), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 137th Infantry Regiment, 35th Infantry Division, in action in the vicinity of **** and ****, France, on 8 November 1944. Colonel Murray had been in command of the 137th Infantry Regiment only a few days when this regiment attacked from the **** Woods to dislodge the enemy from a defensive position which the enemy had been holding and preparing for some five weeks. Colonel Murray on this, his first day of combat command of the regiment, conspicuously placed himself throughout the attack among the forward elements of his troops. He moved among his men and exhibited great coolness under fire, encouraging them forward with such speed as to take his objective with a minimum of casualties. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Murray, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 53 (November 23, 1944)

Born: March 1, 1896 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Home Town: Roswell, New Mexico

Death: January 11, 1949 - Buried at: Los Angeles National Cemetery - Los Angeles, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

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NAZZARO, JOSEPH JAMES

Joseph Nazzaro graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. After serving in the Army Air Forces in World War II, in which he earned a Silver Star and Distinguished Flying Cross, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Joseph James Nazzaro (ASN: 0-20364), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 381st Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Nazzaro, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 197 (October 30, 1943)

Born: March 21, 1913 at New York, New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: February 5, 1990 - Buried at: U.S. Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: 3@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 2@ Air Medals

NECRASON, CONRAD FRANCIS

Conrad Necrason graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Conrad Francis Necrason (ASN: 0-203384), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 7th Bombardment Group (Heavy), TENTH Air Force, in aerial operations over Burma, in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Necrason, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 10th Air Force, General Orders No. 33 (May 5, 1943)

Born: December 16, 1911 at Cooperstown, New York

Home Town: Cooperstown, New York

Death: January 15, 1997 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Purple Heart, 6@ Air Medals

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*NEIGER, JOHN [POW (WWII) KIA]

John Neiger graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, and died while being transported on a Japanese "Hell Ship" that was bombed by American Aircraft in December 1944.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Infantry) John Neiger (ASN: 0-19926), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, II Philippine Corps, in defense of the Philippine Islands in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Neiger, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: June 25, 1911 at Chicago, Illinois

Home Town: Springfield, Illinois

Death: KIA as a POW: December 15, 1944 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

NEILSON, ALEXANDER MURRAY

Alexander Neilson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1918. He retired in 1949 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Alexander Murray Neilson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Commanding Officer of the 2d Engineer Brigade (Special), SIXTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy at Mindoro Island, Philippine Islands, on 18 December 1944. Colonel Neilson was a passenger on a picket boat en route from Mangarin Bay to San Augustin when they passed through a squadron of PT boats which were engaged in a fight with enemy planes. One Japanese plane crash-dived into a PT boat, destroying it and leaving flaming pools of gasoline and burning wreckage on the water. Colonel Neilson immediately ordered his boat to the scene and, together with other personnel aboard, rescued six of the injured survivors. This action took place in the center of three burning gasoline pools with flames licking the stern of the boat. Colonel Neilson's boat was the only one able to enter the blazing area. Despite the imminent danger from other enemy planes, the burning gasoline, and the explosion of ammunition and torpedoes, Colonel Neilson, with complete disregard for his own personal safety and by his prompt, courageous action, was instrumental in saving the lives of six men. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Neilson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, SIXTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 121 (1945)

Born: November 23, 1896 at Minneapolis, Minnesota

Home Town: Minneapolis, Minnesota

Death: June 29, 1982 - Buried at: Sunland Memorial Park - Sun City, Arizona

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit

NEILSON, HENRY

Henry Neilson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired with disability in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Henry Neilson (ASN: 0-19588), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 331st Infantry Regiment, 83d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Neilson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Henry Neilson (ASN: 0-19588), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 331st Infantry Regiment, 83d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on 7 April 1945, in Germany. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Neilson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 83d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 188 (August 1, 1945)
 - Born: August 19, 1909 at Norway
 - Home Town: Chilcoot Barracks, Alaska
 - Death: April 25, 1993 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas
 - Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit*

NELSON, GUSTIN MACALLISTER

Gustin Nelson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1921. He retired in 1948 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Gustin MacAllister Nelson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 112th Infantry Regiment, 28th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Hurtgen Forest in Belgium, in 1944. Colonel Nelson was ordered to take command of the Regiment when it was cut off behind German lines. He took a four-man patrol of volunteers, went into the forest by night, fought off a German patrol, located his command, and brought it safely back to the American lines. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Nelson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 28th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 3 (1945)

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Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Gustin MacAllister Nelson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 112th Infantry Regiment, 28th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Nelson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 28th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 36 (1945)
Born: August 29, 1899 at Paris, Illinois
Home Town: Paris, Illinois
Death: April 9, 1983 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Star

*NEWCOMER, DAVID ALBERT [POW (WWII) KIA]

David Newcomer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He was killed in action during World War II while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) David Albert Newcomer (ASN: 0-12240), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Engineer Observer with Allied Force Headquarters, and with the G-3 (Operations) section of the SEVENTH U.S. Army, in Southern France, on 25 August 1944. While engaged on a special mission during the invasion of Southern France, Colonel Newcomer found himself in the thick of a surprise action at Bonlieu Cemetery, in which a small group of American soldiers were surrounded by an overpowering force of Germans. Outnumbered and without support, the American group was unable to withdraw. Colonel Newcomer assisted his comrades in making maximum use of shelter when an enemy shell seriously wounded him. He was shortly thereafter taken prisoner and although given first aid treatment by an American officer, he succumbed a few hours after his capture. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Newcomer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

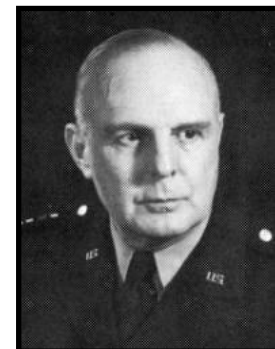
- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 411 (1944)
Born: March 29, 1899 at Tennessee
Home Town: Ogle County, Illinois
Death: KIA: August 25, 1944 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal



NEWMAN, AUBREY STRODE

Aubrey Newman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Major General and continued a career as a popular author of numerous articles and books, including writing a column for "Army Magazine" for 21 years.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Aubrey Strode Newman (ASN: 0-16099), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Commanding Officer of the 34th



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Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Newman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 68 (1945)

Born: January 30, 1903 at Clemson College, South Carolina

Home Town: Sarasota, Florida

Death: January 19, 1994 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

NEWMAN, OLIVER PERRY

Oliver Newman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 14, 1922. He retired with disability in 1958 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Oliver Perry Newman, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 186th Infantry Regiment, 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in New Guinea, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Newman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 41st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 24 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Oliver Perry Newman, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 186th Infantry Regiment, 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Newman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 41st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 48 (1944)

Born: November 22, 1899 at Fayetteville, Tennessee

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: October 8, 1976 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



NICKERSON, JOHN CHARLES, JR. [DNB (1964)]

John Nickerson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He was killed in a car accident in 1964 while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel at Fort Bliss, Texas.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) John Charles Nickerson, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 56th Field Artillery Battalion, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the



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European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Nickerson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 146 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) John Charles Nickerson, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 56th Field Artillery Battalion, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Nickerson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 105 (1945)

Born: November 18, 1915 at Paris, Kentucky

Home Town: Paris, Kentucky

Death: DNB: March 1, 1964 - Buried at: Fort Bliss National Cemetery - El Paso, Texas

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star, Air Medal

NILES, JOHN SOUTHWORTH

John Niles graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) John Southworth Niles, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1139th Engineer Combat Group (Separate), in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Niles, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: June 27, 1896 at Pueblo, Colorado

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: September 3, 1961 - Buried at: Forest Meadows Memorial Park East - Gainesville, Florida

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



NOBLE, ARTHUR KNIGHT [POW (WWII) KIA]

Arthur Noble graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He was a guerrilla leader in the resistance forces in the Philippine Islands after the fall of Corregidor, suffered as a Prisoner of War and then was executed while in captivity.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Arthur Knight Noble (ASN: 0-17780), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 45th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), 11th Division, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy



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during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Noble, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Volume 4: FED11, General Orders No. 6 (1942)

Born: October 2, 1904 at Pittsburg, Kansas

Home Town: Texarkana, Arkansas

Death: KIA (as a POW): November 1, 1943 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

NOLAN, DANIEL ANDREW, JR.

Daniel Nolan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Daniel Andrew Nolan, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 381st Infantry Regiment, 96th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Okinawa, Ryukyu Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Nolan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 96th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 251 (1945)

Born: December 3, 1916 at New York

Home Town: Plattsburg, New York

Death: August 9, 1987 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars



NORRIS, JACK KUMMER

Jack Norris graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Jack Kummer Norris, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 38th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Cerisy Forrest, in France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Norris, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 67 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver



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Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Jack Kummer Norris, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 38th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Norris, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 120 (1945)

Born: November 30, 1915 at Idaho

Home Town: Payette, Idaho

Death: May 29, 2005 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

NORRIS, JOHN ALEXANDER, JR. [DNB (1955)]

John Norris graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He died of a malignant brain tumor in 1955 while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Alexander Norris, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 2d Battalion, 330th Infantry Regiment, 83d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Norris, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: September 25, 1914 at Texas

Home Town: Austin, Texas

Death: DNB: August 15, 1955 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



NORRIS, NED TAYLOR

Ned Norris graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Ned Taylor Norris, United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer, Combat Command A, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Norris, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 55 (1945)



Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Ned Taylor Norris, United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer, Combat Command A, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Norris, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 133 (1945)

Born: July 12, 1912 at Cleveland, Ohio

Home Town: Grosse Point, Michigan

Death: August 22, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

NORSTAD, LAURIS

Lauris Norstad graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. After serving in the Army Air Forces in World War II, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Lauris Norstad (ASN: 0-18158/25A), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as A-3 with Headquarters, TWELFTH Air Force, in aerial operations North Africa, in 1942. At great personal risk, at an airdrome near Oran, Algeria, that was under constant hostile artillery fire and enemy bombardment, Colonel Norstad directed an initial tactical operation. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Norstad, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 12th Air Force, General Orders No. 9 (December 15, 1942)

Born: March 24, 1907 at Minneapolis, Minnesota

Home Town: Minneapolis, Minnesota

Death: September 12, 1988 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Air Medal

NORTHAM, WILLIAM FREDERICK

William Northam graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Frederick Northam (ASN: 0-19547), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 320th Infantry Regiment, 35th Infantry Division, in action in the vicinity of ****, France, on 11 and 12 August 1944. Colonel Northam, Executive Officer, 320th Infantry Regiment, assumed command of the Third Battalion, 320th Infantry

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Regiment, on 11 August 1944, led his troops forward and made contact with a battalion that had been cut off by the enemy some hours earlier. He continued forward to the battalion objective, heavily wooded high ground near *****, occupied by strong enemy forces in prepared positions. In the face of heavy enemy fire of all types and numerous enemy tanks, he led his battalion in a successful assault on the objective. Throughout the action, the superb leadership of Colonel Northam, his fearlessness, coolness, tenacity of purpose, and utter disregard for personal safety, served as an inspiration to the officers and men of his battalion. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Northam, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (September 2, 1944)
Born: December 14, 1911 at Columbia City, Indiana
Home Town: Columbia City, Indiana
Death: April 7, 2003 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

NORVELL, JOHN WILLIAM

John Norvell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) John William Norvell (ASN: 0-23223), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber in the 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), Far East Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Norvell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, Far East Air Forces, General Orders No. 16 (February 12, 1942)
Born: February 19, 1919 at Texas
Home Town: Springfield, Missouri
Death: August 30, 1995 - Buried at: Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery - San Diego, California
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 3@ Air Medals

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O'BRIEN, ROBERT EMMETT, JR.

Robert O'Brien graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Robert Emmett O'Brien, Jr. (ASN: 0-20313), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 38th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, in action in the Hergarten area of Germany in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel O'Brien, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XXII Corps, General Orders No. 36 (1945)

Born: Illinois

Home Town: Columbus, Ohio

Death: August 24, 1998

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



O'CONNOR, GEORGE GRAY [DNB (1971)]

George Gray graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He died of a heart attack in 1971 while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) George Gray O'Connor (ASN: 0-21088), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 53d Field Artillery Battalion, 6th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Munoz, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. During heavy fighting, Lieutenant Colonel O'Connor deployed and personally directed the fire of his howitzers to repel a Japanese tank attack. Under heavy fire, he rallied and reorganized the survivors of a crew whose piece had received a direct hit. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel O'Connor, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: August 25, 1914 at Pasadena, California

Home Town: Pasadena, California

Death: DNB: March 24, 1971 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

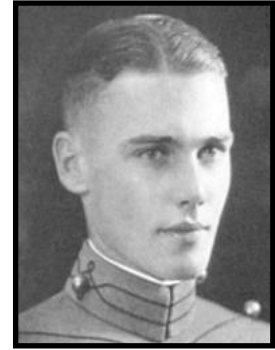
Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (Vietnam), 2@ Legion of Merit, Air Medal



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*O'CONNOR, RICHARD EDWARD [KIA (WWII)]

Edward O'Connor graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel in Sicily, during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Coast Artillery Corps) Richard Edward O'Connor (ASN: 0-16485), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with as Executive Officer of the 16th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Sicily, on 18 July 1943. After our forces had captured strategic ground preparatory to an attack on an important enemy town, Colonel O'Connor voluntarily supervised mechanized reconnaissance patrols into enemy territory. Although forewarned of the strength of enemy defenses, he boldly advanced upon them, and was killed by enemy machine gun fire. His determination to accomplish this mission and thereby assist in furthering the division's advance inspired all who saw him. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel) O'Connor, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 51 (September 25, 1943)

Born: November 11, 1911 at Iowa

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: KIA: July 18, 1943 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

ODEN, DELK MCCORKLE

Delk Oden graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Major General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Delk McCorkle Oden (ASN: 0-20805), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 35th Tank Battalion, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Oden, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 39 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Delk McCorkle Oden (ASN: 0-20805), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 35th Tank Battalion, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Oden, without regard

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for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 16 (1945)

Born: July 13, 1911 at Texas

Home Town: Elgin, Texas

Death: June 13, 1997 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 4@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Soldier's Medal, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts, 6@ Air Medals

O'DONNELL, EMMETT, JR.

Emmett "Rosie" O'Donnell graduated from West Point with the Class of 1928. During WWII he flew in the Pacific on numerous missions immediately after Pearl Harbor. Attaining the rank of Brigadier General, on November 24, 1944 he led 111 B-29s against industrial targets in Tokyo, the first such heavy bomber attack on the Japanese Capitol of the war. During the Korean War he commanded the FEAF Bomber Command, and subsequently retired from the service July 31, 1963, as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Emmett O'Donnell, Jr. (ASN: 0-17299/A), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Command Pilot of a B-29 Very Heavy Bomber of the XXI Bomber Command, TWENTIETH Air Force, in aerial operations on 24 November 1944. General O'Donnell led the first maximum effort mission of B-29's from the Marianas to strike the heart of the Japanese Empire: Tokyo. His courageous leadership and calculated preparation made possible this historical flight over 3,000 miles of ocean, to bomb primary targets in spite of adverse weather conditions, Flak and fighter opposition, and to lead home 109 aircraft of 111 participating. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General O'Donnell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, XXI Bomber Command, General Orders No. 2 (December 24, 1944)

Born: September 15, 1906 at Brooklyn, New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: December 26, 1971 - Buried at: U.S. Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (Korea), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 4@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 2@ Air Medals

OGLESBY, CHARLES EUGENE

Charles Oglesby graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Charles Eugene Oglesby (ASN: 0-23244), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 34th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Zig Zag Pass, Luzon, Philippine Islands, on 3 February 1945. On this day a regimental combat team launched an offensive directed at exceedingly strong enemy positions in Zig Zag Pass. The enemy had command of the entire area and could place mortar and artillery fire upon the advancing troops. Lieutenant Colonel Oglesby,

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battalion commander, was assigned the mission of securing a hill upon which the enemy was strongly entrenched. The hill had to be taken at any cost. Realizing how this situation would affect the morale of his troops, Lieutenant Colonel Oglesby personally led the attack in an endeavor to turn the left flank of the enemy. He constantly remained at the focal point of the attack and by his courageous leadership so inspired his men that they continued time after time to assault the enemy and beat back a strong counterattack. On the following morning he again personally led the attack and remained constantly in the vanguard, so skillfully directing and coordinating the advance that the objective was achieved. In accomplishing this mission Colonel Oglesby was seriously wounded and was evacuated, but the undaunted courage and brilliant leadership of this commander carried his troops through to a decisive victory. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Oglesby, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 56 (1945)

Born: October 24, 1914 at Aurora, Missouri

Home Town: Aurora, Missouri

Death: December 24, 1982 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

O'HARA, JAMES

James O'Hara graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James O'Hara, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 54th Armored Infantry Battalion, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Bastogne, Belgium, in December 1944. By his gallant action, determination, and maintenance of moral, he contributed to the defeat of two enemy attacks in the Bastogne area. Lieutenant Colonel O'Hara was in command of Team O'Hara, his battalion being augmented by tank and engineer units, with the mission to hold Marvie, a locality southeast of and vital to the Bastogne junction. Team O'Hara blocked the road east from Bastogne through Wiltz and repulsed the German attack on Wardin, and three days later destroyed several tanks of the Panzer-Lehr Division before Marvie; and held Marvie. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel O'Hara, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 3 (1945)

Born: August 9, 1912 at West Point, New York

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: March 1, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

OHMAN, NILS OLOF

Nils Ohman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Nils Olof Ohman (ASN: 0-20586), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Plot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 97th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Ohman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 1384 (March 13, 1945)

Born: October 11, 1914 at Sweden

Home Town: East Dedham, Massachusetts

Death: July 17, 1993 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 8@ Air Medals

*OHME, HERMAN WILLIAM [KIA (WWII)]

Herman Ohme graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Herman William Ohme, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 351st Infantry Regiment, 88th Infantry Division in action against the enemy in Italy, during World War II. Although entirely unfamiliar with his officers and men, Colonel Ohme immediately began to display his aggressive leadership, ability, and tenacity of purpose that will seldom be equaled. Finding his battalion held up by heavy machine gun fire and snipers, and a relentless artillery and mortar barrage, Colonel Ohme at once took steps to move the battalion to its objective. So thorough was his planning, so aggressive his tactics and so inspiring his leadership that a short time later the battalion seized its objective. Again on October 11, 1944, the outstanding and heroic leadership of Colonel Ohme was exhibited. Ordered to take a certain town, the Third Battalion was fighting bitterly against fanatical enemy resistance. Colonel Ohme, from an exposed observation post, directed artillery and tank fire. Inspired by the example of their gallant commander, the battalion succeeded in crushing this resistance and taking the town and high ground beyond. Colonel Ohme immediately set up his command post on high ground where he had excellent observation of the enemy and could direct tank and artillery fire. Although continually under artillery fire, self-propelled gun and mortar fire in this position. Colonel Ohme realized the importance of the fire he was directing. At great risk, he remained in the position until four of his men had been killed at his side. Only then did he move to a new location and once again began directing fire from the edge of his fox hole. Devotedly engaged in this action, an enemy artillery shell made a direct hit and killed Colonel Ohme instantly. The gallantry and devotion to duty that Colonel Ohme displayed injected new life into his battle-weary officers and men and quickly won their admiration and esteem. Although his combat

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activities were short-lived, his bold and gallant determination to annihilate the enemy reflects honor on our armed forces, and is a credit to his memory.

- Headquarters, 88th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 114 (1944)
Born: March 31, 1907 at Alexander City, Alabama
Home Town: Alexander City, Alabama
Death: KIA: October 14, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Florence - Florence, Italy
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

OLDS, ROBIN

Robin Olds graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point in June 1943. During World War II he became a Double ACE credited with destroying 13 enemy aircraft in the air and nearly an equal number on the ground during 170 combat missions. During the Vietnam War he flew 152 combat missions, shooting down FOUR enemy aircraft to finish his career as a TRIPLE ACE with a two-war total of 17 enemy aircraft destroyed in aerial combat. In all, FIVE Air Force Crosses were awarded for heroism on the date Robin Olds received the Air Force Cross, to: Lieutenant Colonel James McInerney, Colonel Robin Olds, Lieutenant Colonel Harry Schurr, Captain Fred Shannon, and Colonel Robert White. Robin Olds achieved the rank of Brigadier General before retiring from the Air Force on June 1, 1973.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain Robin Olds (AFSN: 0-26046), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving Pilot of a P-38 Lightning Fighter Airplane of the 434 Fighter Squadron, 479th Fighter Group, EIGHTH Air Force, in action in the European Theater of Operations, on 25 August 1944. On that date, Captain Olds was leading a flight of P-38 fighters furnishing support for a formation of heavy bombers. Sighting two enemy aircraft crossing well out in front of the bombers, Captain Olds took his flight of four planes forward to investigate. Discovering a group of approximately forty ME-109's, he unhesitatingly made a bold attack, completely ignoring the tremendous odds against him. Observing a fellow pilot being hard-pressed, he started to his assistance when he discovered an ME-109 was on his tail. Performing an exceptionally skillful maneuver, he reversed positions with the enemy and shot him down. Captain Olds' devotion to duty and aggressive combat tactics on this occasion enabled him to destroy three enemy planes and contributed materially to the success of the bombing mission. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Olds, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 526 (November 26, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps), [then First Lieutenant and Captain] Robin Olds (AFSN: 0-26046), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving Pilot of both P-38 twin-engine and P-51 single-engine Fighter Airplanes of the 434 Fighter Squadron, 479th Fighter Group, EIGHTH Air Force, in action in the European Theater of Operations from 26 May 1944 to 25 April 1945. During this period, Major Olds completed a large number of hazardous missions over continental Europe. Outstanding among these were three escort missions flown on 9 and 14 February and 19 March 1945. During each of these operations, he intercepted vastly superior forces of enemy planes, and with utter disregard for personal danger, thwarted the attacks before the enemy could reach the bomber formation. Six hostile fighters were destroyed by Major Olds while the units under his command shot down nine others. Throughout this entire period, Major Olds consistently displayed courage, tenacity of purpose, and resourcefulness to

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a degree that proved inspirational to all participating in aerial combat with him. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Olds, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, VIII Fighter Command, General Orders No. 16 (August 6, 1945)
Born: July 14, 1922 at Honolulu, Hawaii
Home Town: Hampton, Virginia
Death: June 15, 2007 - Buried at: United States Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado
Personal Awards: Air Force Cross (Vietnam), 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (Vietnam), Legion of Merit, 6@ Distinguished Flying Crosses w/V, 40@ Air Medals

*OLIVER, FRANCIS McDONALD [KIA (WWII)]

Francis Oliver graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



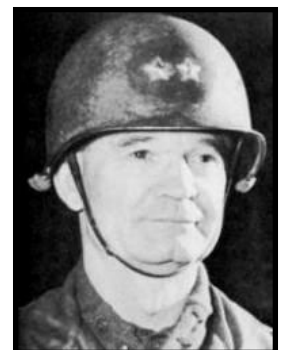
The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Francis McDonald Oliver (ASN: 0-20268), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 106th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 106th Infantry Division, in action on 9 August 1944 in the vicinity of Sille Le Guillaume, France. Lieutenant Colonel Oliver, understanding the situation and realizing that his troops must find a bypass in order to get around the road blocks and mine fields if they were to reach the objective, went forward in a one-fourth ton truck to make a personal reconnaissance. After making his reconnaissance he decided to attempt to reach the troop of the adjacent squadron on the south and penetrate the enemy ring from that direction. He again went forward, this time to contact the leading elements of the adjacent squadron, and in so doing, ran into an enemy road block and mine fields south of the town. Lieutenant Colonel Oliver then retraced his route until he contacted some of his attached engineers, which he personally led forward to the road block and mine fields, for the purpose of removing them. While leading the engineers forward, Lieutenant Colonel Oliver was mortally wounded. Lieutenant Colonel Oliver's courage, inspiring leadership and great devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and exemplify the highest traditions of the military service.

- Headquarters, XV Corps, General Orders No. 58 (1944)
Born: February 14, 1914 at Savannah, Georgia
Home Town: Savannah, Georgia
Death: KIA: August 9, 1944 - Buried at: Bonaventure Cemetery - Savannah, Georgia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

OLIVER, LUNSFORD ERRETT

Lunsford Oliver graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1913. He retired in 1948 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Lunsford Errett Oliver (ASN: 0-3536), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 5th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major



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General Oliver, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, V Corps, General Orders No. 48 (1944)

Born: March 17, 1889 at Nemaha, Nebraska

Home Town: Falls City, Nebraska

Death: October 13, 1978 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

OLSON, HARDIN LEONARD, SR.

Hardin Olson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired with disability in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Hardin Leonard Olson, Sr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 345th Infantry Regiment, 87th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Olson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army

- Headquarters, 87th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 115 (1945)

Born: November 22, 1907 at Lengby, Minnesota

Home Town: Homestead, Montana

Death: September 5, 1983 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



OLSON, JOHN ERIC [POW (WWII)]

John Olson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He was captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, and spent three years in captivity as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry), [then Captain] John Eric Olson (ASN: 0-22125), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 57th Infantry Division, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands on 19 January 1942. When the command post of the 57th Infantry Division was struck by enemy artillery fire, Major Olson displayed gallantry in action at Abucay, Bataan, Philippine Islands. Without regard for his own safety, through the falling enemy shells, he quickly went to the emplacement and assisted in establishing order and removing the wounded. Major Olson's prompt and courageous action, under heavy enemy fire, enabled the command post to speedily resume its proper functions. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Olson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 66 (July 8, 1946)

Born: November 27, 1917 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Home Town: Holly Springs, Mississippi

Death: October 2, 2010 - Buried at: Hill Crest Cemetery - Holly Springs, Mississippi

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal



ONDRICK, JOHN GEORGE

John Ondrick graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) John George Ondrick (ASN: 0-18804), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 309th Infantry Regiment, 78th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Ardennes Forest, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Ondrick, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 78th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 450 (1945)

Born: September 5, 1906 at Holyoke, Massachusetts

Home Town: New Britain, Connecticut

Death: February 16, 1974 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



O'REILLY, JOHN DANIEL

John O'Reilly graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired with disability in 1950 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Daniel O'Reilly, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 4th Infantry Regiment, attached to the 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Attu, Territory of Alaska, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel O'Reilly, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: April 4, 1908 at New York

Home Town: Pelham Manor, New York

Death: March 8, 1957 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart



ORTH, EUGENE CHARLES, JR.

Eugene Orth graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Armor) Eugene Charles Orth, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action as S-4 of the 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Orth, without



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regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Armored Division, General Orders No. 56 (1945)

Born: July 23, 1910 at New York

Home Town: White Plains, New York

Death: April 24, 1984 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ LOM, 2@ Bronze Stars

OSWALD, PAUL FRANCIS

Paul Oswald graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Paul Francis Oswald, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 680th Glider Field Artillery Battalion, 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy near Wesel, Germany, on 24 March 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Oswald directed and assisted in unloading gliders under heavy enemy small arms, machine gun, and artillery fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Oswald, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 30 (1945)

Born: November 11, 1913 at Delaware City, Delaware

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

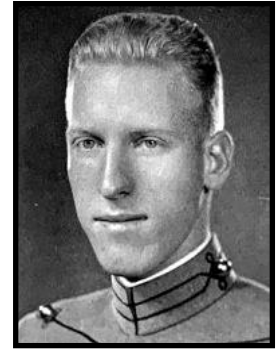
Death: December 17, 2002 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Air Medals

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***PACE, HERBERT EDWARD, JR. [KIA (WWII)]**

Herbert Pace graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, New York, Class of 1940. He was killed in action during the defense of the Philippine Islands, while serving as a First Lieutenant, less than two years after graduation.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to First Lieutenant (Coast Artillery Corps) Herbert Edward Pace, Jr. (ASN: 0-22914), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Battery C, 60th Coast Artillery Regiment (Anti-Aircraft), in action against the enemy on Corregidor, Philippine Islands, on 12 April 1942. When a battery position was subjected to heavy Japanese artillery and aerial bombardment, several men were wounded and buildings and ammunition set afire. With no thought of his personal safety, First Lieutenant Pace voluntarily left his place of cover and calmly supervised the treatment and evacuation of casualties although enemy artillery shells continued to fall in the area. He then extinguished fires throughout the area and saved valuable supplies and equipment from destruction. Later, when the battery was again shelled and bombed, causing many casualties and further damage, he repeated his heroic actions, aiding the wounded and extinguishing ammunition fires. By his unhesitating courage, inspiring leadership, and devotion to duty, First Lieutenant Pace rendered invaluable aid to the gallant defenses of Corregidor. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Authority: A.B.M.C.

Born: March 19, 1918 at Panama Canal Zone

Home Town: Bexar County, Texas

Death: KIA: April 28, 1942 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

PACHLER, FRANCIS THOMAS

Francis Pachler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired with disability in 1967 as a U.S. Army Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Francis Thomas Pachler (ASN: 0-18488), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 17th Infantry Regiment, 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Leyte, Philippine Islands, in 1945. Colonel Pachler set up an observation post in the foremost front lines and directed operations in spite of heavy enemy fire. About 150 rounds of enemy artillery landed in the vicinity of the post, covering it with dirt and debris.

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The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Pachler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 25 (1945)

Born: November 27, 1909 at New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: August 30, 1990 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ LOM, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V

PACKARD, HARRY BROWN [POW (WWII) KIA]

Harry Packard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he endured the Bataan Death March, and subsequently died of starvation while en route to a Prisoner of War camp in Japan, in 1945.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Harry Brown Packard (ASN: 0-18091), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Headquarters Battery, 24th Field Artillery Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Packard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Field Artillery) Harry Brown Packard (ASN: 0-18091), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Headquarters Battery, 24th Field Artillery Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy at Bataan, Philippine Islands, on 25 January 1942. During a rapid movement the 1st Battalion was halted because of traffic congestion near Balanga, coming under enemy shell fire which caused numerous casualties and considerable destruction. Major Packard went forward to the shelled area where he pulled many of the wounded from burning and wrecked vehicles and, despite continued hostile fire, succeeded in organizing rescue parties and in leading men who had taken shelter back to their trucks. Then, although wounded, he skillfully unsnarled the traffic jam which enabled the column to move on. By his resourceful conduct, complete disregard for his own safety, and unfailing devotion to duty, Major Packard made a heroic contribution to the defense of Bataan. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Packard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 68 (July 30, 1947)

Born: August 28, 1906 at Lynn, Massachusetts

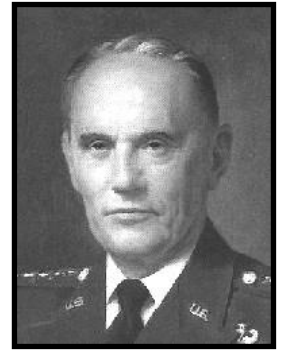
Home Town: Auburn, Maine

Death: KIA as a POW: January 27, 1945 - Buried at: Evergreen Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Kennebunk, Maine

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

PALMER, BRUCE, JR.

Bruce Palmer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. From 1968 - 1973 he served as the 12th Vice Chief of Staff of the Army, and subsequently from July 1, 1972 to October 11, 1972, he served as Acting Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Army 4-Star General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Bruce Palmer, Jr. (ASN: 0-20117), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 6th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Kiangnan-Bbanaue area, Luzon, Philippine Islands, on 3 July 1945. In order to familiarize himself more thoroughly with the terrain over which our troops were fighting, Colonel Palmer frequently went forward to visit front line troops. The routes over which he traveled and the combat areas which he visited were subjected to enemy sniper fire, ambushes, and enemy mortar concentrations. Despite the numerous personal hazards, Colonel Palmer made complete inspection of our front lines, lending support and encouragement to the fighting man. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Palmer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Infantry Division, General Orders No 173 (August 22, 1945)

Born: April 13, 1913 at Austin, Texas

Home Town: Austin, Texas

Death: October 10, 2000 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 5@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 7@ Air Medals

PALMER, CHARLES DAY

Charles Palmer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army 4-Star General. His brother, Williston B. Palmer, was also a four-star general, and his grandfather, William Edward Birkhimer, was a general and Medal of Honor recipient.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Charles Day Palmer (ASN: 0-15519), United States Army, for (ASN: 0-15519), United States Army, for gallantry and intrepidity in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 2d Armored Division, in action in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Palmer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Armored Division, General Orders No. 30 (1944)

Born: February 20, 1902 at Chicago, Illinois

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: June 7, 1999 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, 12@ Air Medals

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PALMER, ROBERT STANLEY [POW (WWII)]

Robert Palmer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

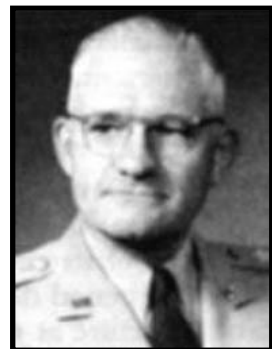


The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Robert Stanley Palmer (ASN: 0-20611), United States Army, for gallantry in action from ** to ** July, 1943, during operations of the 82d Airborne Division in Western Sicily. Lieutenant Colonel Palmer, Commanding the 307th Airborne Engineer Battalion, personally led his men on aggressive reconnaissance, seeking and destroying mine fields and road traps under hostile artillery fire, scouting in advance of friendly forward units to locate destroyed bridges and prepare detours and safe lanes for infantry and artillery around or through every obstacle. Lieutenant Colonel Palmer's utter disregard for his own personal safety while directing and executing these operations, inspired and encouraged his men to surmount every difficulty and facilitate the rapid advance of the Division from *** to *** with a minimum of casualties. His effort was an outstanding contribution to the successful subjugation of Western Sicily. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Palmer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 36 (October 15, 1943)
Born: November 27, 1913 at Nevada
Home Town: Reno, Nevada
Death: November 25, 1997 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

PALMER, WILLISTON BIRKHIMER

Williston Palmer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. From 1955 to 1957 he served as the 5th Vice Chief of Staff of the Army. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army 4-Star General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Williston Birkhimer Palmer (ASN: 0-12246), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Corps Artillery, SEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Palmer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, VII Corps, General Orders No. 56 (1944)
Born: November 11, 1899 at Chicago, Illinois
Home Town: Chicago, Illinois
Death: November 10, 1973 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: 4@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

PARKS, SAMUEL WILSON

Samuel Parks graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Samuel Wilson Parks (ASN: 0-23964), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber of the 456th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Parks, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2112 (April 6, 1945)

Born: November 2, 1915 at Tennessee

Home Town: College Grove, Tennessee

Death: May 15, 1981 - Buried at: Triune Cemetery - Triune, Tennessee

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 4@ Air Medals



PATCH, ALEXANDER MCCARRELL, III [KIA (WWII)]

Alexander Patch graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Captain during World War II. He was the only son of the famed World War II General Alexander Patch, who had graduated with the Class of 1913.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Alexander McCarrell Patch, III (ASN: 0-24723), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 315th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Patch, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 55 (1944)

Born: November 23, 1889 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Staunton, Virginia

Death: KIA: October 22, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 3@ Purple Hearts



PATRICK, FRANCIS HENRY

Francis Patrick graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Francis Henry Patrick, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 898th Field Artillery Battalion, 75th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and



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dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Patrick, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 75th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 159 (1945)

Born: December 22, 1913 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Brownsville, Pennsylvania

Death: October 17, 1997 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

PAULEY, JOHN LIVINGOOD, JR.

John Pauley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Livingood Pauley, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as G-3 and subsequently as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 26th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pauley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: February 5, 1908 at Chippewa County, Michigan

Home Town: Chippewa Falls, Michigan

Death: July 1, 1988 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

PAULICK, MICHAEL

Michael Paulick graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. During World War II he commanded the Infantry Regiment in which Audie Murphy served. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Field Artillery) Michael Paulick (ASN: 0-23060), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Reconnaissance Company, 601st Tank Destroyer Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa, during the period from January to April 1943. While under direct enemy fire during a heavy engagement, Captain Paulick, by the strategic use of his company in sorties against enemy positions, was able to determine the strength and composition of enemy forces and to materially assist in their defeat. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Paulick, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 17 (April 14, 1943)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Captain

SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

(Field Artillery) Michael Paulick (ASN: 0-23060), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Reconnaissance Company, 601st Tank Destroyer Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Sicily, during July and August 1943. During a bitterly fought engagement with the enemy, Captain Paulick left the comparative safety of an observation post and proceeded through terrain under intense enemy artillery fire to the aid of a wounded soldier. His dauntless courage won him the admiration and respect of the men he led. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Paulick, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 58 (October 10, 1943)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Captain (Field Artillery) Michael Paulick (ASN: 0-23060), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy on 2 February 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Paulick, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 73 (1944) & General Orders No. 76 (1944)

Born: September 21, 1915 at Tide Dale, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Death: July 15, 1987 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

PEALE, JAMES NIXON, JR.

James Peale represented four generations of West Point graduates: his father by the same name, his grandfather Colonel Robert N. Getty, and his great-grandfather General George Washington Getty; two famous portrait painters-Charles Wilson Peale and Rembrandt Peale; and the first Presbyterian minister of Washington, Rev. James Laurie. He graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937, and retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Nixon Peale, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 101st Infantry Regiment, 26th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Peale, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 26th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 138 (1945)

Born: September 22, 1915 at Fort Logan, Colorado

Home Town: Schenectady, New York

Death: January 26, 2006 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

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PEARSALL, JAMES FERRIS, JR.

James Pearsall graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Ferris Pearsall, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as a Battalion Commander and Executive Officer of the 34th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in at Biak Island, in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, from May to August 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Pearsall personally led a mortar section through intense enemy fire and directed a barrage which effected the rescue of many wounded soldiers. His coolness and fearlessness under fire was an inspiration to every man of his command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pearsall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 25 (1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Ferris Pearsall, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as a Battalion Commander and Executive Officer of the 34th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Leyte, Philippine Islands, during the period from 20 October 1944 to 24 December 1944. In action against the enemy for nine weeks of bitter fighting, Lieutenant Colonel Pearsall led his battalion against determined fanatical enemy forces, successfully accomplishing all missions assigned to his unit. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pearsall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

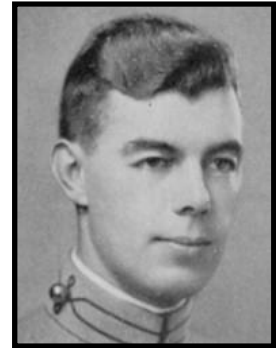
- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 49 (1945)

Born: April 17, 1913 at Jacksonville, Florida

Home Town: Plainfield, New Jersey

Death: March 26, 1992 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars



PEARSON, JAMES PUGH, JR.

James Pearson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) James Pugh Pearson, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 605th Field Artillery Battalion, 10th Mountain Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pearson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Mountain Division, General Orders No. 130 (1945)



Born: July 7, 1910 at Alabama

Home Town: Birmingham, Alabama

Death: May 19, 1989 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars

PECK, ALLEN LEEDS [POW (WWII)]

Allen Peck graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He was captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands, and spent more than three years as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Allen Leeds Peck (ASN: 0-20327), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 43d Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Peck, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 11, 1910 at Indiana

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: June 25, 1997 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Purple Hearts

PECK, WALTER RAYMOND

Walter Peck was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired in 1948 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Walter Raymond Peck (ASN: 0-10768), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding General of the 96th Combat Bombardment Wing, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations in 1944. Brigadier General Peck, as Wing Commander, on three occasions led an entire B-24 Liberator Bomber Division on bombing assaults over targets at Berlin, Halberstadt, and Aschersleben, Germany. The gallant leadership and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Peck, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 406 (May 23, 1944)

Born: January 15, 1896 at Lima, Ohio

Home Town: Lima, Ohio

Death: December 24, 1965 - Buried at: Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery - San Diego, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, 2@ Air Medals

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PENDERGRAST, JAMES RICHARD

James Pendergrast graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He resigned in 1953 as a U.S. Army Major.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) James Richard Pendergrast (ASN: 0-24905), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 2d Battalion, 378th Infantry Regiment, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944. Captain Pendergrast distinguished himself by courageous leadership in directing his company to execute a very difficult and critical assault in the crossing of the Moselle River, near Thionville, France, during the battle for Metz. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Pendergrast, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 29 (1944)

Born: San Antonio, Texas

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: September 17, 1997 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Air Medal

PENNEL, ROBERT [POW (WWII), DNB (1961)]

Robert Pennell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired as a U.S. Army Colonel. He died in 1961 while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Field Artillery) Robert Pennell (ASN: 0-22139), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 3d Battalion, 21st Infantry Regiment, Philippine Scouts, in action at Bataan, Philippine Islands, on 19 January 1942. On his own initiative on that date, Captain Pennell organized and led a patrol to investigate the reported presence of an enemy force in the Abo-Abo River valley. By his courageous conduct in action and with total disregard for his own safety, Captain Pennell made a material contribution to the Bataan defense. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Pennell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- War Department, General Orders No. 60 (June 26, 1946)

Born: December 17, 1914 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Entered Service From Texas

Death: DNB: December 19, 1961 - Buried at: Fort Sill Post Cemetery - Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart Prisoner of War Medal

***PETER, HOWARD LEWIS [MIA (WWII) KIA]**

Howard Peter graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Captain in North Africa in 1943.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Infantry) Howard Lewis Peter (ASN: 0-23239), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa on 28 January 1943. Captain Peter heroically exposed himself to heavy enemy machine gun fire and personally assisted in capturing twenty-nine of the enemy. He was killed by a heavy burst of enemy fire while marching these prisoners to a place of safety. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 11 (March 28, 1943)

Born: September 17, 1917 at Allentown, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Allentown, Pennsylvania

Death: MIA: January 28, 1943 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. North Africa (Tablets of the Missing) - Carthage, Tunisia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart



PETERMAN, SIDNEY CONRAD

Sidney Peterman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1972 as a New Hampshire Army National Guard Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Sidney Conrad Peterman (ASN: 0-25791), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 87th Mountain Infantry Regiment, 10th Mountain Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Peterman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Mountain Division, General Orders No. 82 (1945)

Born: February 25, 1920 at Portsmouth, New Hampshire

Home Town: Durham, New Hampshire

Death: June 3, 2011 - Buried at: Pine Hill Cemetery - Dover, New Hampshire

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



PETERS, ERNEST CLYDE

Ernest Peters graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired with disability in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Ernest Clyde Peters, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 99th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Belgium, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Peters, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest



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traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 99th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 1 (1945)

Born: December 21, 1908 at Dunkirk, New York

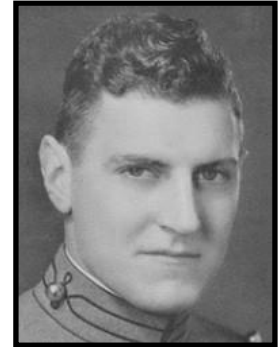
Home Town: Altadena, California

Death: March 1, 1976 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

PHELAN, JOHN JAMES [KIA (WWII)]

John Phelan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John James Phelan (ASN: 0-20193), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 135th Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Camporata, Italy, in May 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Phelan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 76 (August 12, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John James Phelan (ASN: 0-20193), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 370th Infantry Regiment, 92d Infantry Division, at Anzio, Italy, on 27 December 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Phelan received word at the C.P. that the entire regimental right sector was in imminent danger of collapse under repeated and deadly determined hostile attacks. He immediately proceeded to the sector and under a continuous barrage of all enemy arms, he regrouped the troops in a new defensive line, establishing a defense which held. During this activity he was at all times under direct or partial observation of the enemy and in constant threat from enemy artillery, mortars and small arms. The bold leadership, and decisive action exhibited by Lieutenant Colonel Phelan inspired both the officers and men with the offensive spirit necessary to successfully check the enemy. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Phelan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 92d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 6 (1945)

Third Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John James Phelan (ASN: 0-20193), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 370th Infantry Regiment, 92d Infantry Division, on 15 April 1945. Assuming command of an infantry battalion which had already been committed to action, Lieutenant Colonel Phelan, although with the unit only a short period of time, by personal example, initiative, and unflagging energy maintained a high state of morale and fighting spirit in his organization. Moving from company to company in the face of

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heavy enemy artillery and mortar fire, and often under direct enemy observation, he personally directed the movement and reorganization of positions when it was necessary to clear a hill of a bitterly defended strong point, which threw a hail of fire on the advancing troops. Lieutenant Colonel Phelan immediately organized and dispatched two patrols. The entire operation was under direct enemy observation. Before the assault was completed, Lieutenant Colonel Phelan was killed by an enemy artillery shell. By his sound judgment, keen foresight and devotion to duty, Lieutenant Colonel Phelan contributed immeasurably to the successful accomplishment of the mission. His personal courage, practical skill and calm resolution served as an inspiration to the officers and men of his command and was in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 92d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 61 (1945)
Born: July 15, 1914 at New York, New York
Home Town: New York, New York
Death: KIA: April 15, 1945 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: 3@ Silver Stars (WW II), 2@ Purple Hearts

PHELPS, JOSEPH VINCIL

Joseph Phelps graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1949 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Joseph Vincil Phelps, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Phelps, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 38 (1945)
Born: August 27, 1898 at Salisbury, Missouri
Home Town: Salisbury, Missouri
Death: July 17, 1981 - Buried at: Christ Church Episcopal Cemetery - St. Michaels, Maryland
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



PHILLIPS, JAMES HOLDEN

James Phillips graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. Originally members of that class were the Class of 1921, but because of World War I were graduated early in 1918, and subsequently graduated again in 1919. He retired with disability in 1958 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) James Holden Phillips (ASN: 0-12331), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, THIRD U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Phillips, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, III Corps, General Orders No. 6 (1946)



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Born: August 14, 1898 at Eastonville, Colorado

Home Town: Colorado Springs, Colorado

Death: October 9, 1983 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

PHILLIPS, PAUL DAVID [POW (WWII)]

Paul Phillips graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Paul David Phillips (ASN: 0-22939), United States Army, for gallantry in action as G-3 (Operations Officer) of the Field Artillery Section, Mindanao Force, in action against the enemy in the defense of the Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Phillips, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: Denver, Colorado

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts, Prisoner of War Medal



PICKERING, JAMES ARTHUR

James Pickering graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General James Arthur Pickering, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Pickering, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 106 (1945)

Born: December 26, 1891 at Mississippi

Home Town: Mount Olive, Mississippi

Death: November 6, 1983 - Buried at: Somerset City Cemetery - Somerset, Kentucky

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



PICKETT, GEORGE BIBB, JR.

George Pickett graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired with disability in 1973 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Armor) George Bibb Pickett, Jr. (ASN: 0-23932), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 42d Tank Battalion, 11th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Pickett, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Armored Division, General Orders No. 67 (1945)

Born: March 20, 1918 at Montgomery, Alabama

Home Town: Montgomery, Alabama

Death: January 4, 2003 - Buried at: Greenwood Cemetery - Montgomery, Alabama

Personal Awards: 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts



PICKETT, GEORGE EDWARD

George Pickett graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Signal Corps) George Edward Pickett (ASN: 0-21940), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Signal Officer with the 1st Signal Company, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Normandy, France, on 23 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pickett, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 1 (January 1, 1945)

Born: May 26, 1918 at Palestine, Texas

Home Town: Palestine, Texas

Death: May 18, 2008 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



PICKHARDT, PAUL ALBERT

Paul Pickhardt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Paul Albert Pickhardt, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 347th Infantry Regiment, 87th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pickhardt, without regard



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for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 87th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 84 (1945)

Born: May 12, 1901 at Pelham, New York

Home Town: Pelham, New York

Death: June 2, 1997 - Buried at: Crestlawn Memorial Park - Conway, Arkansas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

PIERCE, JAMES ROBINSON

James Pierce graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He retired with disability in 1959 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) James Robinson Pierce, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 194th Glider Infantry, 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Pierce, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 11 (1945)

Born: August 23, 1899 at Troy, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Troy, Pennsylvania

Death: October 3, 1969 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



PITMAN, JAMES HAROLD [KIA (WWII)]

James Pitman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Major during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) James Harold Pitman (ASN: 0-23100), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 45th Reconnaissance Troop, 45th Infantry Division, in action on 18 September 1944 in France. Major Pitman in command of the 42nd Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron (Mechanized) had disposed his unit through the Foret de Mondon and the villages of Gerberviller and Cheneviers, to protect the city of Luneville and the left flank of the XII Corps. Attacked at 0730, 18th September by the 11th Panzer Division, in overwhelming strength, Major Pitman skillfully and courageously directed the defense of his positions until about 1300 when elements of the 4th Armored Division arrived for his assistance. Constantly with his forward elements he personally directed the placement of his units and directed fire of his light tanks and assault guns against the heavier enemy tanks until he was killed by enemy tank gun fire while reporting the situation to his group commander. Major Pitman's courageous attitude, his coolness and skillful handling of his troops under heavy fire was an Inspiration to his men and guided them in the defense of the pivotal city of Luneville until assistance arrived. His heroic efforts to keep the enemy from the outer



defense of the town were successful and above and beyond the call of duty. They are in accord with the highest standards of the Military Service.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 55 (June 28, 1945)
Born: February 18, 1914 at Camden County, New Jersey
Home Town: Atco, New Jersey
Death: KIA: September 18, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Lorraine - St. Avold, France
Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

PITTS, YOUNGER ARNOLD, JR.

Younger Pitts graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Younger Arnold Pitts, Jr. (ASN: 0-25633), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with the 1st Air Commando Group, U.S. Army Air Forces, India-Burma Sector, in aerial operations in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Pitts, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Army Air Forces, India-Burma Sector, General Orders No. 99 (April 26, 1945)
Born: October 1, 1918 at March Field, California
Home Town: San Diego, California
Death: March 31, 1980 - Buried at: Cypress View Mausoleum and Crematory - San Diego, California
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 4@ Air Medals



PLOGER, ROBERT RIIS

Robert Ploger graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 19073 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Robert Riis Ploger (ASN: 0-21760), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 29th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Normandy, France, on 18 June 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Ploger led an assault on a French strong-point and exposed himself to hostile fire with utter disregard of his own safety, in order to observe enemy positions. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Ploger, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
Born: August 12, 1915 at Mackay, Idaho
Home Town: Owosso, Michigan
Death: September 7, 2002 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Vietnam), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



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POINIER, ARTHUR DEAN

Arthur Poinier graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Armor) Arthur Dean Poinier (ASN: 0-21999), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 7th Armored Infantry Battalion, 8th Armored Division, in Germany on 26 January 1945. Colonel Poinier's battalion, in combat for the first time, was directed to capture the heavily fortified and strongly defended town of Berg. With total disregard for his own safety, Colonel Poinier personally directed the action. His aggressive leadership so inspired his men that Berg was taken ahead of schedule. While preparing for enemy counter-attack Colonel Poinier was seriously wounded. His personal bravery under fire and his inspiring leadership were largely instrumental in accomplishing his mission and reflect greatest credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States.



- Headquarters, 8th Armored Division, General Orders No. 1 (February 8, 1945)

Born: July 29, 1915 at Huntington, Indiana

Home Town: Huntington, Indiana

Death: June 21, 1977

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart

POINIER, NORMAN EDWIN

Norman Poinier graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Norman Edwin Poinier, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 205th Field Artillery Battalion, 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Poinier, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 41st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 19 (1944)

Born: October 17, 1907 at Andrews, Indiana

Home Town: Indianapolis, Indiana

Death: January 19, 1975 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)

POLK, JAMES HILLIARD

James Polk graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) James Hilliard Polk (ASN: 0-19028), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Cavalry Group (Mechanized) (Separate), attached to the THIRD U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Polk, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, THIRD U.S. Army, General Orders No. 119 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) James Hilliard Polk (ASN: 0-19028), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Cavalry Group (Mechanized) (Separate), attached to the THIRD U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Polk, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: December 13, 1911 at Batangas, Philippine Islands

Home Town: El Paso, Texas

Death: February 18, 1992 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

POLK, JOHN FLEMING

John Polk graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Fleming Polk, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer and later as Commanding Officer of a Squadron of the 8th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Polk, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Cavalry Division, General Orders No. 215 (1945)

Born: August 11, 1914 at Iowa

Home Town: Fort Bliss, Texas

Death: December 22, 1995 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

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POLLA, HECTOR JOHN [POW (WWII) MIA]

Hector Polla graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died in December 1944 when the Japanese "Hell Ship" that was transporting him to a Prisoner of War camp in Japan was sunk.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Hector John Polla (ASN: 0-24016), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 57th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts) in action against the enemy in the defense of the Philippine Islands. On 9 February 1942 during a coordinated attack in which his organization had reached the objective but was forced to partially abandon same due to loss of contact and failure of an adjacent unit to close up. Lieutenant Polla did, on his own initiative, personally move through the gap under heavy fire, contact and bring the adjacent unit up into position. This courageous act, in addition to saving the lives of many men, allowed his battalion to hold a position which could not have been held otherwise. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: September 30, 1916 at Lafayette County, Missouri

Home Town: Higginsville, Missouri

Death: MIA as a POW: December 15, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

POPE, PHILLIP HENSHAW

Phillip Pope graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Phillip Henshaw Pope, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 212th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pope, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 64 (1945)

Born: December 28, 1909 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: March 17, 1990 - Buried at: West Dennis Cemetery - West Dennis, Massachusetts

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

PORTE, WILLIAM LYON

William Porte graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) William Lyon Porte (ASN: 0-23323), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 182d Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Porte, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Americal Division, General Orders No. 52 (1945)

Born: July 19, 1918 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: May 22, 2001 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



PORTER, GEORGE WILLIAM

George Porter graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. During World War II he was credited with destroying FOUR enemy aircraft in aerial combat. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) George William Porter (ASN: 0-25592), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Fighter Airplane of the 365th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Porter, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 289 (December 10, 1944)

Born: February 4, 1921 at Kansas City, Missouri

Home Town: Kansas City, Missouri

Death: April 18, 1985 - Buried at: East Lawn Palms Cemetery and Mortuary - Tucson, Arizona

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, 24@ Air Medals



PORTER, HARRY CECIL

Harry Porter graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Harry Cecil Porter (ASN: 0-18746), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Ordnance Officer with the V Interceptor Command, Far East Air Force, in aerial operations at Bataan, Philippine Islands, on 21 December 1941. During an inspection of aviation ordnance activities, enemy dive bombers succeeded in setting fire to a number of



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train cars loaded with ammunition and gasoline. With complete disregard for his own safety, Major Porter supervised and assisted in saving a large quantity of these supplies, although exploding artillery shells and rifle ammunition presented a constant hazard. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Porter, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, V Interceptor Command, General Orders No. 5 (March 15, 1942)

Born: September 18, 1910 at Langton, Ontario, Canada

Entered Service From Pennsylvania

Death: November 18, 2001 - Buried at: Burt Mullett Cemetery - Topinabee, Michigan

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

PORTS, ROBERT ALLEN

Robert Ports graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Robert Allen Ports, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 126th Field Artillery Battalion, 32d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in at Luzon, Philippine Islands, on 28 April 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Ports battalion was engaged in the assault in very mountainous terrain that resulted in opening the vital Villa Verde Trail. Lieutenant Colonel Ports exposed himself to intense sniper fire in order to direct a liaison airplane into position to adjust fire on a concealed enemy strong point. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Ports, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 32d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 281 (1945)

Born: January 28, 1905 at Columbus, Ohio

Home Town: Columbus, Ohio

Death: April 7, 1967 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Air Medal

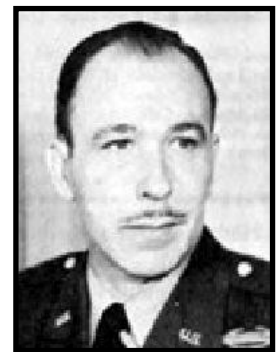


POSTLETHWAIT, EDWARD MARION

Edward Postlethwait graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Marion Postlethwait (ASN: 0-20718), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 34th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Postlethwait, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 40 (1945)



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Born: October 12, 1911 at Kansas City, Missouri

Home Town: Warren, Minnesota

Death: April 10, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

POWELL, BEVERLEY EVANS

Beverly Powell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Beverley Evans Powell (ASN: 0-20237), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 93d Field Artillery Battalion, FIFTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the Italy, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Powell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, II Corps, General Orders No. 6 (1944)

Born: February 11, 1912 at Kentucky

Home Town: Russellville, Kentucky

Death: July 5, 2011 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

POWELL, EDWIN LLOYD, JR.

Edwin Powell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: Captain (Corps of Engineers) Edwin Lloyd Powell, Jr. (ASN: 0-23689), United States Army, was awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Engineer Company of the 16th Engineer Combat Battalion, attached to the 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, in the North Africa Theater of Operations, on 17 February 1943. Captain Powell carried out a dangerous mission, under heavy enemy fire, on the Thelepte Airfield. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Powell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 53 (September 13, 1946)

Born: January 11, 1920 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: June 10, 2006 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star w/V, 17@ Air Medals w/V

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POWER, GEORGE WILSON

George Power graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired with disability in 1967 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) George Wilson Power (ASN: 0-18691), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 247th Field Artillery Battalion, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy at Cebu, Philippine Islands, in 1945. On several occasions Lieutenant Colonel Power subjected himself to intense enemy fire in order to gain firsthand knowledge of the terrain and thus select better positions for his weapons. While personally conducting a fire mission from a front line observation post, his accurate sensings aided materially in leveling a strong Japanese fortification. The effective support given the Infantry by his battalion was instrumental in the final success of the operation. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Power, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, Americal Division, General Orders No. 98 (1945)

Born: January 24, 1910 at Iowa

Home Town: Bloomfield, Iowa

Death: March 17, 1979 - Buried at: Fort Bliss National Cemetery - El Paso, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

POWER, JOHN OWEN, JR.

John Power was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Armor) John Owen Power, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 701st Tank Battalion, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Power, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 130 (1945)

Born: October 5, 1918

Death: June 7, 2011 - Buried at: Heritage Gardens Cemetery - Niceville, Florida

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart

POWERS, JOHN LAWRENCE

John Powers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Lawrence Powers, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 168th Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, on 29 January 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Powers owed his



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command group under intense artillery fire through an enemy mine field to a position within his battalion's objective. From there he was able to capture the entire objective and accomplish his mission. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Powers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (1944)

Born: May 13, 1915 at Springfield, Massachusetts

Home Town: Worcester, Massachusetts

Death: October 1, 1986 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Air Medal

PRATT, JAMES MARTIN

James Pratt was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Major.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) James Martin Pratt, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 115th Infantry Regiment, 29th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Pratt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: August 14, 1919 at Hawaii

Death: May 22, 2016 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Air Medal

*PRATT, WOODROW WILSON [KIA (WWII)]

Woodrow Pratt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Captain in 1944.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Corps of Engineers) Woodrow Wilson Pratt (ASN: 0-25485), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Company A, 309th Engineer Combat Battalion, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Holland, on 19 November 1944. During the Division's drive from Heerlen, Holland, to the Roer River, Captain Pratt led two platoons in action against the enemy. He removed mines by hand in front of tanks during the attack, and removed the demolitions from an important bridge under fire, and together with another officer and two enlisted men, captured forty-seven Germans. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Pratt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 84th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 8 (1945)

Born: December 4, 1918 at Frontier, Wyoming

Home Town: Frontier, Wyoming

Death: KIA: November 20, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart



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PRESTON, MAURICE ARTHUR

Maurice Preston graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. After serving in the Army Air Forces in World War II and earning two Silver Stars, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Maurice Arthur Preston (ASN: 0-20673), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 379th Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, on 17 August 1943. Colonel Preston led a combat wing of B-17 Flying Fortress Bombers on a mission over Schweinfurt, Germany. Flying the lead ship of the formation, Colonel Preston led his command through intense anti-aircraft fire and repeated and determined attacks by enemy fighters. In spite of fierce opposition, a most successful attack was made on a target of vital importance. The courage, skill, and superb leadership displayed by Colonel Preston on this occasion reflect the highest credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 174 (October 1, 1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Maurice Arthur Preston (ASN: 0-20673), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving Command Pilot of a Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 379th Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Preston, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 406 (May 23, 1944)

Born: November 25, 1912 at Weed, California

Home Town: Tulare, California

Death: January 25, 1983 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, 8@ Air Medals

*PRICHARD, LAWRENCE FREDERICK [POW (WWII) KIA]

Lawrence Prichard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died on or about 9 January 1945, while being transported on a Japanese "Hell Ship."

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Infantry) Lawrence Frederick Prichard (ASN: 0-20292), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 43d Infantry Regiment, Philippine Scouts, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major



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Prichard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: June 19, 1911 at Ottawa, Illinois

Home Town: Ottawa, Illinois

Death: KIA as a POW: January 9, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

PRINCE, ALTUS EMORY [POW (WWII)]

Altus Prince graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. During World War II he was captured by German forces in January 1945 and held as a Prisoner of War until the end of hostilities in May 1945. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Altus Emory Prince (ASN: 0-25714), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company B, 1st Battalion, 399th Infantry Regiment, 100th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Prince, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 100th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 56 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in Lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Altus Emory Prince (ASN: 0-25714), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company B, 1st Battalion, 399th Infantry Regiment, 100th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Prince, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 100th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 242 (1945)

Born: October 12, 1919 at Washington, D. C.

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: August 20, 1971 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Prisoner of War Medal

PRINCE, WILLIAM RAYMOND

William Prince graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) William Raymond Prince, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 52d Armored Infantry Battalion, 9th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty



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demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Prince, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Armored Division, General Orders No. 67 (1945)

Born: October 12, 1911 at Santa Fe, New Mexico

Home Town: Santa Fe, New Mexico

Death: May 20, 2008

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

PRITCHARD, JAMES RHODEN

James Pritchard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) James Rhoden Pritchard, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 68th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Pritchard directed an attack on Rome, despite a steady hail of enemy artillery fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pritchard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 2 (1945)

Born: March 22, 1912 at Georgia

Home Town: Sandersville, Georgia

Death: November 17, 2001 - Buried at: Elizabethtown City Cemetery - Elizabethtown, Kentucky

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal



PRITCHETT, HARRY HALL, JR.

Harry Pritchett graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Harry Hall Pritchett, Jr. (ASN: 0-25705), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 509th Parachute Infantry Regiment (Separate), in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Pritchett, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: March 10, 1922 at Panama

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

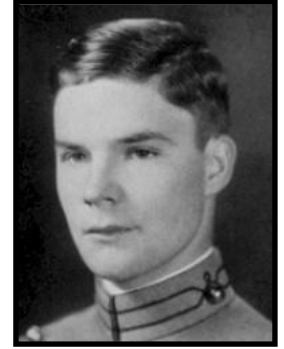
Death: August 23, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



PUGH, JOHN RAMSEY [POW (WWII)]

John Pugh graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Ramsey Pugh (ASN: 0-18790), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as G-2 for I Corps, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy in defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pugh, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Volume 4: PC1, General Orders No. 14 (1942)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Ramsey Pugh (ASN: 0-18790), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as G-2 for I Corps, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy in defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pugh, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Third Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Ramsey Pugh (ASN: 0-18790), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Aide-de-Camp to the Commanding General, United States Army Forces in the Philippines, in action against the enemy at and near Fort Mills, Corregidor, on 6 May 1942. On his own initiative and despite the personal risk involved, Lieutenant Colonel Pugh went through an extensive concentration of enemy fire to assure that the Commanding General's motor launch was moved from the south to the north dock at Fort Mills, where it was needed for an important mission. Boarding the craft, and subject to heavy aerial bombardment, Lieutenant Colonel Pugh courageously moved it to the north side of the island of Corregidor and then to Bataan. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Pugh, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 17 (February 6, 1947)

Born: July 27, 1909 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Norristown, Pennsylvania

Death: March 2, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

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PUMPELLY, JAMES WILLARD

James Pumpelly graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) James Willard Pumpelly, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of a Task Force of the SIXTH Army Group, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Pumpelly, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, SEVENTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 605 (1945)

Born: December 3, 1907 at Candor, New York

Home Town: Candor, New York

Death: June 25, 1990 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

PURDUE, BRANNER PACE [DNB (1952)]

Branner Purdue graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He died in 1952 while serving as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Branner Pace Purdue, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 120th Infantry Regiment, 30th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Purdue, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 30th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 115 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Branner Pace Purdue, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 120th Infantry Regiment, 30th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Purdue, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 30th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 166 (1945)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Branner Pace Purdue, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 120th Infantry Regiment, 30th Infantry Division, in action

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against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Purdue, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 30th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 178 (1945)

Born: March 1, 1900 at Fayetteville, Arkansas

Home Town: Los Angeles, California

Death: DNB: November 27, 1952 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars



QUANDT, DOUGLASS PHILLIP

Douglass Quandt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Douglass Phillip Quandt, United States Army, for gallantry in action while as Chief of Staff of the 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Quandt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 26 (1945)
Born: April 9, 1914 at Benicia, California
Home Town: Benicia, California
Death: March 30, 1973 - Buried at: Benicia City Cemetery - Benicia, California
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit



QUESENBERRY, MARSHALL HENRY [POW (WWII)]

Marshall Quesenberry graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. During World War II he was captured during the fall of Bataan in the Philippine Islands, survived the Bataan Death March, and spent the remainder of the war as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. He retired in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

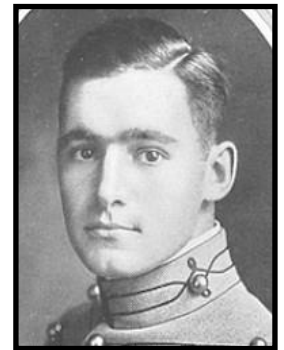
Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Marshall Henry Quesenberry (ASN: 0-3904), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the Philippine Division, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Quesenberry, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Marshall Henry Quesenberry (ASN: 0-3904), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the Philippine Division, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Quesenberry, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: June 27, 1892 at West Virginia

Home Town: Montgomery, West Virginia

Death: February 11, 1960 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars, Legion of Merit, Prisoner of War Medal

***QUILLIAN, AMZI RUDOLPH [KIA (WWII)]**

Amzi Quillian graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Amzi Rudolph Quillian (ASN: 0-20640), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of a Battalion of the 66th Armored Regiment, 2d Armored Division. At about 1500B on 14 July 1943 near the town of Canicatti, Sicily, Lieutenant Colonel Quillian, unable to move by vehicle, went forward dismounted, between friendly and enemy machine gun fire, to coordinate the action of two columns, and drove the enemy out of the high ground they occupied. Again at about 1700B, Lieutenant Colonel Quillian, unable to move by vehicle from his position, dismounted and went forward in the face of heavy enemy rifle and machine gun fire. While on foot under this enemy fire, he rallied stray Tanks together and personally led them in a successful attack on the enemy-occupied ridge northeast of Canicatti which was holding up the advance of the command. By his heroic actions, Lieutenant Colonel Quillian set an example of brilliant leadership, calm courage and devotion to duty. Such coolness and disregard for personal safety over and above the call of duty in the face of the enemy reflect great credit upon himself and were in accordance with the highest traditions of the Armed Forces.

- Headquarters, 2d Armored Division, General Orders No. 49 (1943)

Born: September 12, 1911 at Clermont, Georgia

Home Town: Gainesville, Georgia

Death: KIA: August 4, 1944 - Buried at: Trinity Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Clermont, Georgia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



QUINN, DANIEL WILLIAM, III

Daniel Quinn graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Daniel William Quinn, III, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 119th Infantry Regiment, 30th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Quinn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 30th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 113 (1944)

Born: September 23, 1906 at New York

Home Town: Huntington, West Virginia

Death: April 3, 1989

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), BSM



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RAAEN, JOHN CARPENTER, JR.

John Raaen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1979 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Corps of Engineers) John Carpenter Raaen, Jr. (ASN: 0-25486), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 5th Ranger Infantry Battalion (Separate), FIFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy on the coast of Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Raaen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, V Corps, General Orders No. 2A (June 20, 1944)

Born: Georgia

Entered Service From Arkansas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V



RAFF, EDSON DUNCAN

Edson Raff graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1958 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star (Army Air Forces Award) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edson Duncan Raff (ASN: 0-19261), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 503d Parachute Infantry Regiment (Separate), in the North Africa Theater of Operations, on 7 November 1942. On that evening, thirty-nine C-47 Transport Aircraft carrying 556 paratroopers led by Colonel Raff, left Cornwall, England, for the first American parachute jump as the vanguard of Operation TORCH, the Allied invasion of North Africa. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Raff, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

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Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edson Duncan Raff (ASN: 0-19261), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 507th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Wesel, Germany, on 24 March 1945. Colonel Raff led the



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first stick of parachutists in the lead element of the airborne attack on German soil. Upon landing, Colonel Raff immediately assembled the troops of one battalion and led them on the regimental objective. His disregard for personal safety and his gallant leadership inspired his men to high achievement which resulted in the winning of the regimental objective. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Raff, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 19 (April 15, 1945)

Born: November 5, 1907 at New York, New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: March 11, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

RAGER, EDWARD ELLIOT

Edward Rager graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Elliot Rager, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 414th Infantry Regiment, 104th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rager, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 104th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 157 (1945)

Born: July 3, 1915 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Seward, Pennsylvania

Death: January 29, 2010 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

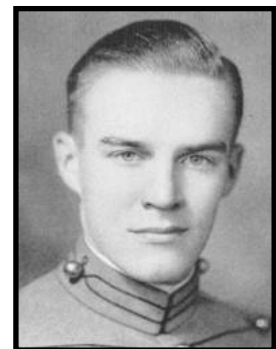
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



RAMEE, ERIC PER

Eric Ramee graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1956 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Eric Per Ramee (ASN: 0-19961), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Executive Officer of the 21st Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Pinamopoan, Leyte, Philippine Islands, on 5 and 6 November 1944. On the afternoon of 5 November 1944 Colonel Ramee had gone on reconnaissance preparatory to the committing of his battalion into combat. At this time a nearby artillery forward observer party was assaulted by Japanese infantry. Colonel Ramee immediately ordered a rifle platoon to the rescue. When the enemy assault proved to be an attack in force, he committed another reinforced rifle company and took personal command of the forces involved. As the attack progressed, the enemy employed machine guns, mortars, and field artillery with telling effect. However, Colonel Ramee, with great skill and cool-headed bravery, conducted the defense in such a



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manner as to inflict the maximum casualties on the enemy while suffering minimum losses to his own forces. Due almost entirely to his efforts, the enemy attack was repulsed and when it became necessary to withdraw on the morning of 6 November 1944, Colonel Ramee although practically cut off, and harassed by pursuing enemy, executed a masterful withdrawal by a circuitous route, thereby succeeding in evacuating all wounded men without sustaining further losses. Colonel Ramee's exemplary conduct throughout this entire engagement was an inspiration to his fellow officers and men, and is in accord with the highest traditions of the military service.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 29 (December 5, 1944)
Born: March 27, 1913 at Oregon
Home Town: Northampton, Massachusetts
Death: January 25, 1962 - Buried at: Long Island National Cemetery - East Farmingdale, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

RAU, CHARLES GUTHRIE

Charles Rau graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He was coach of the U.S. International Olympic Shooting Teams in 1952 to 1954. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

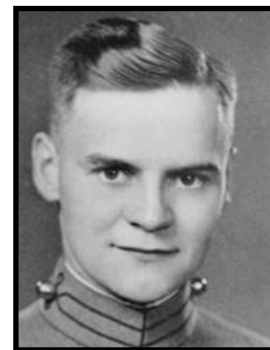


Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Armor) Charles Guthrie Rau, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of a Battalion of the 2d Armored Division, in action against the enemy during the invasion of Sicily, in July 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rau, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Armored Division, General Orders No. 48 (1943)
Born: September 26, 1905 at Seattle, Washington
Home Town: Seattle, Washington
Death: May 22, 1992 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Soldier's Medal, 4@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

RAY, WILLIAM JOHNSON

William Ray graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) William Johnson Ray (ASN: 0-26139), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company K, 3d Battalion, 9th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Rhemick, Germany, in 1945. Wounded twice, Captain Ray refused evacuation and then halted his withdrawing company, outlining actions and directing them in an advance that resulted in a forward push and capture of Rhemick on the Rhine River. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Ray, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 2 (1946)

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Born: April 2, 1920 at Brookline, Massachusetts

Home Town: Brookline, Massachusetts

Death: September 3, 1986 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

REARDON, JAMES VINCENT

James Reardon graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) James Vincent Reardon (ASN: 0-221111), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 815th Bombardment Squadron, 483d Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Reardon, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3572 (September 23, 1944)

Born: April 13, 1916 at Massachusetts

Home Town: Boston, Massachusetts

Death: October 10, 2001 - Buried at: Saint Mary's Cemetery - Lee, Massachusetts

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals



REAVES, KELSIE LOOMIS

Kelsie Reaves graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Kelsie Loomis Reaves (ASN: 0-20777), United States Army, for gallantry in action as G-3 (Operations Officer) of the 66th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Reaves, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: November 24, 1911 at Warren, Arkansas

Home Town: Bartow, Florida

Death: July 13, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit



REED, CHARLES HANCOCK

Charles Reed graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He retired in 1949 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Charles Hancock Reed, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Cavalry Group (Mechanized) (Separate) THIRD U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Reed, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 130 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Charles Hancock Reed, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Cavalry Group (Mechanized) (Separate) THIRD U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Reed, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: December 25, 1900 at Richmond, Virginia

Home Town: Stanford Hill, Virginia

Death: April 7, 1980 - Buried at: Hollywood Cemetery - Richmond, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

REEDER, RUSSELL POTTER, JR.

Russell Reeder graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. He prepared a staff study proposing a "ground medal" comparable to the "Air Medal" already being given for "meritorious service while in 'aerial flight.'" The report presented to Lieutenant General Lesley McNair, then in charge of the Army Ground Forces, was forwarded to General Marshall and resulted in the creation of the Bronze Star Medal by President Franklin D. Roosevelt in February 1944. He retired with disability for war wounds in 1945 as a U.S. Army Colonel. He retired with disability for war wounds in 1945 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Russell Potter Reeder, Jr. (ASN: 0-16494), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as an Observer with the Operations Division of the War Department, in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Reeder, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, General Orders No. 1 (1944)

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Born: March 4, 1902 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Home Town: Fort Monroe, Virginia

Death: February 22, 1998 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

REEVES, JAMES HAYNES, JR.

James Reeves graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Haynes Reeves, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 406th Infantry Regiment, 102d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Reeves, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 102d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (1944)

Born: September 22, 1915 at San Antonio, Texas

Home Town: Atlanta, Georgia

Death: March 21, 2008 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart



REGNIER, AUGUSTUS JEROME

Augustus Regnier graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

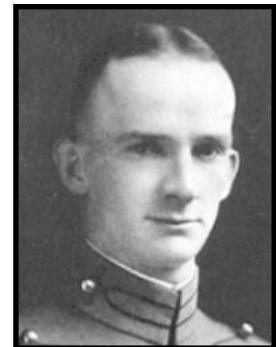
Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Augustus Jerome Regnier, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 66th Infantry Regiment, 71st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Regnier, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 71st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 25 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Augustus Jerome Regnier, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 66th Infantry Regiment, 71st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Regnier, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 71st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 172 (1945)



Born: April 22, 1899 at Providence, Rhode Island

Home Town: Cranston, Rhode Island

Death: July 27, 1981 - Buried at: Conejos Mountain Memorial Park - Camarillo, California

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star

REHKOPF, GEORGE DOAN

George Rehkopf graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) George Doan Rehkopf (ASN: 0-25004), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 119th Infantry Regiment, 30th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Rehkopf, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: October 19, 1919 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: January 28, 2006 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Purple Hearts



REHM, GEORGE ANDREW

George Rehm graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) George Andrew Rehm (ASN: 0-12772), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy G-3 (Operations) with U.S. Army Forces in the Southwest Pacific, in action during the landings at Mindanao, Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Rehm, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: May 1, 1899 at Illinois

Home Town: Oak Park, Illinois

Death: April 19, 1993 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit



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REINHART, STANLEY ERIC

Stanley Reinhart graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Stanley Eric Reinhart (ASN: 0-4421), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 65th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations from 1942 to 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Reinhart, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: September 15, 1893 at Polk, Ohio

Home Town: Polk, Ohio

Death: June 4, 1975 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



RENFRO, CURTIS D.

Curtis Renfro graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Curtis D. Renfro, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 401st Glider Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Bastogne, Belgium, in December 1944. When his Division was defending a vitally strategic city during one of the most critical phases of the war, and was completely surrounded by a numerically superior enemy force, Colonel Renfro was detailed to coordinate the miscellaneous small units charged with the defense of the command post, and to coordinate civilian and military activities in the interior of the city. He displayed superior leadership, exemplary courage, and outstanding devotion to duty in exposing himself continually to heavy enemy bombing, strafing, and artillery fire in order to contact his units personally, place them in positions, and reassure them under conditions of severe stress. His calm and intelligent demeanor under heavy bombing and shelling of the city reassured the civilian populace, and prevented many casualties. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Renfro, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 11 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Curtis D. Renfro, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 401st Glider Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by



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Colonel Renfro, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 87th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 66 (1945)

Born: February 4, 1899 at Comanche, Texas

Home Town: Comanche, Texas

Death: February 4, 1990 - Buried at: Golden Gate National Cemetery - San Bruno, California

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

RENWANZ, ROWLAND HERMAN

Rowland Renwanz graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Rowland Herman Renwanz (ASN: 0-23123), United States Army, for gallantry in action in connection with combat operations against the enemy while serving with 1st Squadron, 12th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division in the Pacific Theater of Operations on 24 October 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Renwanz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Cavalry Division, General Orders No. 36 (1945)

Born: June 18, 1914 at Grand Rapids, Michigan

Home Town: Enterprise, Kansas

Death: May 6, 1976 - Buried at: Camp Lewis Cemetery - Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Air Medal



REVIE, CHARLES REA

Charles Revie graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Charles Rea Revie, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 27th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, from 1943 to 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Revie, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, General Orders No. 170 (1946)

Born: May 21, 1911 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Death: April 8, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart



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RHOADES, JOHN FOSTER

John Rhoades graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Foster Rhoades, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 4th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron (Mechanized) (Separate), attached to the SEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rhoades, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, VII Corps, General Orders No. 52 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Foster Rhoades, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 4th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron (Mechanized) (Separate), attached to the SEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rhoades, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: July 2, 1914 at Ohio

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: September 22, 2005 - Buried at: Santa Fe National Cemetery - Santa Fe, New Mexico

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star

RHOADS, EDWIN MILTON

Edwin Rhoads graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Cavalry) Edwin Milton Rhoads (ASN: 0-25956), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 124th Cavalry Regiment (Special), attached to the 5307th Composite Group (Merrill's Marauders), in action against the enemy in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Rhoads, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, China Theater, General Orders No. 39 (1946)

Born: August 18, 1919 at Arizona

Entered Service From Colorado

Death: December 9, 2000 - Buried at: Fort Logan National Cemetery - Denver, Colorado

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

RICH, CHARLES WYTHE GLEAVES

Charles Rich graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Charles Wythe Gleaves Rich (ASN: 0-19910), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Deputy Chief of Staff, TWENTY-FIRST U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Rich, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XXI Corps, General Orders No. 58 (1945)

Born: Bandy, Virginia

Home Town: Princeton, West Virginia

Death: August 24, 1993 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



RICHARDSON, EDWIN WALTER

Edwin Richardson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edwin Walter Richardson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 141st Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at the Rapido River in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Richardson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: July 14, 1978 at Westbrook, Maine

Home Town: Westbrook, Maine

Death: January 13, 1978 - Buried at: Fort Sheridan Cemetery - Fort Sheridan, Illinois

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Purple Heart



***RICHARDSON, JACK JONES [KIA (WWII)]**

Jack Richardson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Jack Jones Richardson (ASN: 0-19902), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 20th Armored Infantry Battalion, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The



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gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Richardson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 44 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Jack Jones Richardson (ASN: 0-19902), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 20th Armored Infantry Battalion, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Richardson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 66 (1945)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Jack Jones Richardson (ASN: 0-19902), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 20th Armored Infantry Battalion, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Richardson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 274 (1945)

Born: January 9, 1912 at Athens, Texas

Home Town: Athens, Texas

Death: KIA: April 22, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Lorraine - St. Avold, France

Personal Awards: 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts

RIDGWAY, MATTHEW BUNKER

Matthew Ridgway's first attempt to enter West Point was unsuccessful because he failed geometry on his entrance examination. But he succeeded on second try and in 1913 he entered the academy, where he became undergraduate manager of the football team. He graduated with the Class of April 1917. From August 15, 1953 to June 29, 1955, he served as the 19th Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army, and retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army 4-Star General. In 1986, he was awarded Presidential Medal of Freedom. The citation said: "Heroes come when they are needed. Great men step forward when courage seems in short supply. WWII was such a time, and there was Ridgway."



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Matthew Bunker Ridgway (ASN: 0-5264), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 82d Airborne Division, in the vicinity of Eindhoven, Holland, during the period 17 - 19 September 1944. On 17 September, Major General Ridgway flew with the assault echelon of the airborne invasion of Holland. On 18 - 19 September he proceeded by air and land through territory in imminent danger of seizure by the enemy. Despite the fact that the road to ***** was reported out, Major General Ridgway moved forward to join the troops in operation. His presence with the assault echelons on the airborne divisions encouraged and inspired the troops at critical

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moments and contributed materially to the shattering of enemy attempts to destroy the airborne effort. Major General Ridgway's courage and inspiring leadership were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, NINTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 199 (March 13, 1945)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Matthew Bunker Ridgway (ASN: 0-5264), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding General of the 82d Airborne Division, in action at the Elbe River, in Germany, on 30 April 1945. When heavy artillery concentration forced the suspension of work on a pontoon bridge being constructed across the Elbe River, General Ridgway proceeded to the site where, despite the falling artillery, he moved among the dug-in troops and encouraged them to proceed with their work. Inspired and encouraged by his presence the troops resumed construction and completed the bridge in record time. The gallantry and courage of Major General Ridgway reflect great credit upon himself and uphold the highest traditions of the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 20 (June 7, 1945)

Born: March 3, 1895 at Fort Monroe, Virginia

Home Town: Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Death: July 26, 1993 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Distinguished Service Crosses (World War II), 4@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart

RIDINGS, EUGENE WARE

Eugene Ridings graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He retired in 1958 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Eugene Ware Ridings (ASN: 0-15230), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Chief of Staff (G-3), FOURTEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, on 30 January 1943. Colonel Ridings displayed courage, self-control, and presence of mind, braving intense machine gun and rifle fire to give first aid to a mortally wounded Infantry officer. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Ridings, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General Eugene Ware Ridings (ASN: 0-15230), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Ridings, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: January 9, 1899 at Medford, Oklahoma

Home Town: Medford, Oklahoma

Death: November 27, 1969 - Buried at: Golden Gate National Cemetery - San Bruno, California

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

RIGLEY, ORIN HENRY, JR.

Orin Rigley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Orin Henry Rigley, Jr. (ASN: 0-21861), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 394th Bombardment Squadron, 5th Bombardment Group (Heavy), THIRTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Rigley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 132 (June 3, 1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Orin Henry Rigley, Jr. (ASN: 0-21861), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 394th Bombardment Squadron, 5th Bombardment Group (Heavy), THIRTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Rigley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 214 (August 18, 1943)

Born: November 27, 1912 at Honolulu, Hawaii

Home Town: San Diego, California

Death: October 19, 1983

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Air Medal

RILEY, LOWELL MEEKER

Lowell Riley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of August 1917. He retired in 1952 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Lowell Meeker Riley, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer, Division Artillery, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated

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by Colonel Riley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 177 (1945)

Born: June 14, 1892 at East Orange, New Jersey

Home Town: Dover, New Jersey

Death: January 22, 1971 - Buried at: Union Cemetery - Leesburg, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal

RIPPERT, JACOB KOPF

Jacob Rippert graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Jacob Kopf Rippert (ASN: 0-22115), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa and Sicily, during the period from March through July 1943. While proceeding to his battalion's position, Captain Rippert and his men were subjected to heavy enemy machine gun fire. While attempting to locate and destroy this gun, one of his men was wounded. Captain Rippert exposed himself to this fire and carried the wounded man to safety. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Rippert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 36 (August 5, 1943)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Jacob Kopf Rippert (ASN: 0-22115), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa and Sicily in 1943. During an attack on enemy strongholds, Major Rippert fearlessly led his company in a savage assault. He continually exposed himself to deadly enemy fire to select more advantageous firing positions for his men. His fearless leadership and tactical skill enabled other elements of his battalion to advance with minimum opposition. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Rippert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 4 (February 5, 1944)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Jacob Kopf Rippert (ASN: 0-22115), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations during the period from June to December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty

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demonstrated by Captain Rippert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 137 (December 4, 1944)

Born: July 25, 1914 at New York

Home Town: Ellensville, New York

Death: August 7, 1999 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), 4@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

RISING, HARRY NILES, JR.

Harry Rising graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of August 41. He retired in 1993 as a U.S. Army Major.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Harry Niles Rising, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 532d Engineer Boat and Shore Regiment, in action against the enemy at Hollandia, New Guinea, in April 1944. During the Japanese bombing of White Beach, Major Rising demonstrated bravery in exposing himself to extreme danger while rescuing the wounded, and by organizing fire fighting efforts. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Rising, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Harry Niles Rising, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 532d Engineer Boat and Shore Regiment, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Rising, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: June 14, 1919 at Bath, New York

Home Town: Bath, New York

Death: June 14, 2004 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

ROBERT, WADE HAMPTON, JR.

Wade Robert was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Air Corps) Wade Hampton Robert, Jr. (ASN: 0-421318), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Heavy Bomber of the Far East Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty

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demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Robert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 20 (June 20, 1942)

Born: January 6, 1918 at Louisiana

Home Town: Jennings, Louisiana

Death: July 16, 1967 - Buried at: Calvary Cemetery - Jennings, Louisiana

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)

ROBERTS, LEA CAMPBELL

Lea Roberts graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1949 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Lea Campbell Roberts, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the G-4 Section, SEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Roberts, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: January 7, 1912 at Mississippi

Home Town: Vicksburg, Mississippi

Death: August 14, 1990 - Buried at: Cedar Hill Cemetery - Vicksburg, Mississippi

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

*ROBERTS, THOMAS ARNETT, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

Thomas Roberts graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Field Artillery) Thomas Arnett Roberts, Jr. (ASN: 0-12678), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Division Artillery, 2d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, on 29 July 1944. The command post of Colonel Roberts, who was Division Artillery Commander, was in danger of being overrun by counterattacking enemy troops. This was at a very critical time during the operation that was to drive the enemy from the ***** Peninsula and pave the way for a general Allied advance into Brittany and into the heart of France. Colonel Roberts immediately supervised the organization of a local defense, exposing himself to intense enemy fire without regard for his personal safety. The attack was repulsed and the enemy was driven from the area with heavy losses largely as a result of the gallant action of Colonel Roberts. Although his command post was the nerve center for all the artillery of the division, Colonel Roberts insured that the operations were not interrupted even at this critical period. His actions were an inspiration to all who wore around him. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Roberts, without regard for his own life, were in



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keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Armored Division, General Orders No. 22 (1944)

Born: December 5, 1899 at Springfield, Illinois

Home Town: Leavenworth, Kansas

Death: KIA: August 4, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Brittany - St. James, France

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

ROBERTS, WILLIAM LYNN

William Roberts graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1913. He retired in 1950 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Armor) William Lynn Roberts, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Combat Command "B", 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Belgium, in December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Roberts, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: September 17, 1890 at Meigs County, Ohio

Home Town: Parkersburg, West Virginia

Death: November 27, 1968 - Buried at: Montecito Memorial Park - Colton, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



ROBERTSON, WALTER MELVILLE

Walter Robertson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1912. He retired in 1950 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Walter Melville Robertson (ASN: 0-3378), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Robertson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, V Corps, G. O. No. 34 (1944)

Born: June 15, 1888 at Nelson County, Virginia

Home Town: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Death: November 22, 1954 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



ROBINSON, OVAL HALE

Oval Robinson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Corps of Engineers) Oval Hale Robinson (ASN: 0-22938), United States Army, for gallantry in action while engaged in military operations involving conflict with an armed hostile force while serving with the 179th Engineer Combat Battalion, in action against the enemy on 16 August 1944 in France. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Robinson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XX Corps, General Orders No. 26 (September 20, 1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Corps of Engineers) Oval Hale Robinson (ASN: 0-22938), United States Army, for gallantry in action while engaged in military operations involving conflict with an armed hostile force while serving with the 179th Engineer Combat Battalion, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Robinson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: June 4, 1915 at Texas

Home Town: Childress, Texas

Death: February 7, 1986 - Buried at: Bay Pines National Cemetery - Bay Pines, Florida

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



ROBINSON, WARREN ALFRED

Warren Robinson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Warren Alfred Robinson (ASN: 0-15292), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Regimental Commander of the 314th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France from 19 June 1944 to 27 June 1944. Completely disregarding his own safety Colonel Robinson remained in forward areas and personally directed the operations which culminated in the success of his regiment in storming strong defensive positions at Fort du Roule and Cherbourg. His personal contact with the troops was maintained in the face of severe enemy fire and he repeatedly exposed himself to this enemy fire in order to keep in personal contact with his battalion commanders. His presence in forward observation posts while those around him were becoming casualties imparted confidence to his officers and men. By his courageous direction, intrepid leadership



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and outstanding professional ability Colonel Robinson set an inspiring example for his command reflecting the highest traditions of the armed forces.

- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 27 (July 22, 1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Warren Alfred Robinson (ASN: 0-15292), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 314th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Robinson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 17 (1945)

Born: June 26, 1899 at Colorado

Home Town: Pasadena, California

Death: August 10, 1994 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

*ROBINSON, WILLIAM LESLIE [POW (WWII) MIA]

William Robinson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died in 1945 while being transported by ship to a Prisoner of War camp in Japan, and was buried at sea.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Leslie Robinson (ASN: 0-20772), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 45th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts) and the Visayan Force at Mindanao, Philippine Islands in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Robinson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- American Battle Monuments Commission

Born: April 7, 1914 at Detroit, Michigan

Home Town: Wayne, Pennsylvania

Death: MIA as a POW: January 21 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal



ROECKER, FREDERICK CHARLES, JR.

An Eagle Scout at age 14, Frederick Roecker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired with disability in 1969 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry), [then Captain] Frederick Charles Roecker, Jr. (ASN: 0-24681), United States Army, for gallantry in action in the ***** and ***** Sectors, France, during the period 8 to 23 August 1944. Major Roecker commanded the 2d Battalion,



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134th Infantry Regiment, 35th Infantry Division, during this period. On 8 August he was given the mission of securing a crossroad south of ****. When his leading company was pinned down by machine gun and mortar fire, he proceeded to the company command post, and, although wounded, declined medical attention and personally directed movement of a platoon in an enveloping movement, neutralizing enemy fire and paving the way for the battalion's advance to its objective. He received a second and more painful wound, but remained with his command until he assured himself that his executive officer had the situation well in hand. After a short period of hospitalization, he returned to duty although his wounds still hampered his movements. On 23 August when he was given the mission of capturing ****, he accompanied leading elements of the battalion and, when heavy enemy machine gun fire was encountered, overran the machine gun emplacements and continued forward movement without disorganization, by the exercise of superior and dynamic leadership. Approaching the town of ****, he directed organization of a task force which advanced, atop tanks, well in advance of the battalion column, clearing the way for the battalion proper and enabling them to secure the objective without loss. The superior leadership ability of Major Roecker, his intrepid courage and zealous devotion to duty, reflect credit upon his character as an officer and are in accord with the high traditions of the Army.

- Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 31 (September 12, 1944)

Born: July 11, 1919 at Walla Walla, Washington

Home Town: Walla Walla, Washington

Death: July 2, 1996 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V, 4@ Purple Hearts

ROGERS, DELMER JOSEPH

Delmer Rogers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Delmer Joseph Rogers (ASN: 0-21740), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a Bomber in the 7th Bombardment Group (Heavy), TENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations, in 1942. First Lieutenant Rogers and his crew bombed and destroyed an enemy troop transport. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Rogers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 10th Air Force, General Orders No. 4 (April 15, 1942)

Born: May 20, 1916 at Bay City, Michigan

Home Town: Munger, Michigan

Death: September 21, 1970 - Buried at: Bellevue Cemetery - Harvard, Massachusetts

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal



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ROGERS, DIXON CARLE

Dixon Rogers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Dixon Carle Rogers (ASN: 0-26595), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company H, 2d Battalion, 222d Infantry Regiment, 42d Infantry Division, in action on 3 April 1945, at Wurzburg, Germany. During the attack on Wurzburg, Germany, Lieutenant Rogers crossed the Main River in a commandeered civilian boat to prepare the way for the assault troops to be landed later. Braving the murderous machine gun fire concentrated on the river, he and two comrades, upon reaching the opposite bank, stormed an enemy-held building overlooking the crossing and forced the Germans to withdraw. When a German armored vehicle counterattacked their newly gained position, he forced its withdrawal with hand grenades. Tenaciously holding their precarious position until reinforcements were landed, he and his comrades then moved forward and knocked out an enemy machine gun nest, forcing the remaining Germans from the landing area with the captured gun. Through his gallant actions, Lieutenant Rogers played a major role in the successful crossing of the Main River.

- Headquarters, 42d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 77 (1946)
Born: June 10, 1920 at Kahoka, Missouri
Home Town: Fayette, Missouri
Death: June 9, 1995 - Buried at: Walnut Ridge Cemetery - Fayette, Missouri
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

ROGERS, GORDON BYROM

Gordon Byrom graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General in 1961



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (General Staff Corps) Gordon Byrom Rogers (ASN: 0-15620), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, FIRST U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in New Guinea, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Rogers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
Born: August 22, 1901 at Manchester, Tennessee
Home Town: Manchester, Tennessee
Death: July 5, 1967 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: 2@ Distinguished Service Crosses (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

ROGERS, ROBERT JOHN

Robert Rogers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability in 1964 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Robert John Rogers, United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action as a Pilot of a Fighter Airplane of the 47th Pursuit Squadron, 15th Pursuit Group, SEVENTH Air Force, over the Island of Oahu, Territory of Hawaii, and waters adjacent thereto, on 7 December 1941. When surprised by a heavy air attack by Japanese forces on Wheeler Field and vicinity at approximately 8 a.m., First Lieutenant Rogers proceeded by automobile to Haleiwa Landing Field, a distance of approximately ten miles, where the planes of his squadron were stationed. As soon as his plane had been serviced he immediately took off for the purpose of attacking the invading forces, without first obtaining information as to the number or type of Japanese in the attacking force, and proceeded to patrol in the vicinity of Haleiwa, where he encountered an enemy aircraft which he immediately attacked, and when last seen by him it was disappearing into a cloud bank streaming black smoke. After this encounter, he and one other pursuit ship attacked two enemy aircraft in the vicinity of Kaena Point. While engaged in this combat his plane was hit by enemy fire. After this encounter he returned to Haleiwa and landed. First Lieutenant Rogers' initiative, presence of mind, and coolness under fire and expert maneuvering of his plane, and determined action contributed to a large extent toward driving off this sudden, unexpected enemy air attack.

- Headquarters, VII Interceptor Command, General Orders No. 3 (February 16, 1942)

Born: August 31, 1917 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: July 5, 1996 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 5@ Air Medals

ROGERS, THOMAS DEFORTH

Thomas Rogers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired with disability in 1963 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Thomas DeForth Rogers, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1106th Engineer Combat Group, SEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. Landing with the first waves on Utah Beach on D-Day, Lieutenant Colonel Rogers led his engineer demolition teams in removing beach obstacles. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rogers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, VII Corps, General Orders No. 74 (1944)

Born: January 20, 1909 at Minnesota

Home Town: Devils Lake, North Dakota

Death: March 29, 1968 - Buried at: Golden Gate National Cemetery - San Bruno, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

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ROGERS, WILLIAM LOVELAND

William Rogers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He served as Commanding Officer of a U.S. Army Combat Engineer Group during World War II, and transferred to the Air Force when it became a new branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) William Loveland Rogers, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1141st Engineer Combat Group, THIRTEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 23 February 1945. Colonel Rogers directed the efforts of his engineer group at the Roer River crossing operations. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Rogers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: December 29, 1911 at Larchwood, Iowa

Home Town: Rock Rapids, Iowa

Death: September 5, 1968 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit

ROMIG, EUGENE ALLEN

Eugene Romig graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Eugene Allen Romig (ASN: 0-21856), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber in the 2d Bombardment Wing, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Romig, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 162 (September 17, 1943)

Born: April 20, 1918 at Byersville, Ohio

Home Town: Byersville, Ohio

Death: October 17, 1992

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 4@ Air Medals

ROOT, PAUL CRAWFORD, JR.

Paul Root graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired with disability in 1971 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Armor) Paul Crawford Root, Jr. (ASN: 0-23978), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 50th Armored Infantry Battalion, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the

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European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Root, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 70 (1945)

Born: March 16, 1916 at Cleveland, Ohio

Home Town: Cleveland, Ohio

Death: March 19, 2004 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, 3@ Purple Hearts

ROSEBAUM, DWIGHT ACKER

Dwight Rosebaum graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Dwight Acker Rosebaum (ASN: 0-12752), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer, Combat Command "A", 7th Armored Division, in action in France, on 7 September 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Rosebaum, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 120 (1944)

Born: April 9, 1898 at Waveland, Indiana

Home Town: Waveland, Indiana

Death: October 1, 1970 - Buried at: Memorial Park Cemetery - St. Joseph, Michigan

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit



ROSEN, MELVIN HERBERT [POW (WWII)]

Melvin Rosen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, and spent three years as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. He retired in 1985 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Field Artillery) Melvin Herbert Rosen (ASN: 0-23082), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Battery E, 88th Field Artillery Battalion (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Rosen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: June 8, 1918 at Gloucester, Massachusetts

Home Town: Gloucester, Massachusetts

Death: August 1, 2007 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts, Prisoner of War Medal



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ROSEN, MILTON LAWRENCE

Milton Rosen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Milton Lawrence Rosen, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer, 315th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rosen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 79 (1944)

Born: April 7, 1910 at Brooklyn, New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: October 11, 1984 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart



*ROSEN, ROBERT HAROLD [KIA (WWII)]

Robert Rosen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Captain during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Infantry) Robert Harold Rosen (ASN: 0-24070), United States Army, for gallantry in action on 20 September 1944, at *****, Holland. From the time he jumped until killed in action, Captain Rosen, Company F, 2d Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, was a constant example of courage which inspired the company to keep moving forward. During his last action he led a portion of his company in a charge into enemy positions. He paused in the middle of a bullet swept street to direct his men and exposed himself to continuous sniper and machine gun fire as he moved back and forth through the lines with snipers less than seventy-five yards away. Any indication of leadership by Captain Rosen brought on a concentration of fire. He crossed an open street to obtain tank support. As he directed them, Captain Rosen was wounded by snipers but refused to be evacuated until the tanks were in a position to bring effective fire on the enemy. This action drove the enemy back and made it possible for the subsequent attack to succeed. The wounds received by Captain Rosen resulted in his death. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 61 (November 30, 1944)

Born: July 5, 1916 at New York, New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: KIA: September 20, 1944 - Buried at: Mount Carmel Cemetery - Glendale, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



ROSS, DAVID MARSHALL NEY

David Ross was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired in 1944 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) David Marshall Ney Ross, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 172d Infantry Regiment, 43d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Solomon Islands, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Ross, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 310 (1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General David Marshall Ney Ross, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 43d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Solomon Islands, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Ross, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: September 3, 1896 at New Orleans, Louisiana

Death: April 20, 1981 - Buried at: Evergreen Cemetery - Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Purple Heart

*ROSS, LESLIE GEORGE [POW (WWII) KIA]

Leslie Ross graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he was held as a Prisoner of War for three years and died in 1945 while still in captivity.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Coast Artillery Corps) Leslie George Ross (ASN: 0-17161), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 60th Coast Artillery Regiment (Anti-Aircraft), in action against the enemy during the defense of Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Ross, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 196 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in Lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Coast Artillery Corps) Leslie George Ross (ASN: 0-17161), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion,



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60th Coast Artillery Regiment (Anti-Aircraft), in action against the enemy during the defense of Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Ross, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 202 (1945)

Born: February 17, 1907 at Webster, Massachusetts

Home Town: Whatley, Massachusetts

Death: MIA as a POW: January 9, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

ROWNY, EDWARD LEON

Edward Rowny graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1979 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General. After the election of President Ronald Reagan, General Rowny was appointed to the rank of Ambassador as the President's chief negotiator on Strategic Nuclear Arms (START). During his second term, President Reagan appointed Rowny his Special Advisor on Arms Control. He was awarded the Presidential Citizen Medal with the citation: "Rowny was one of the chief architects of peace through strength", Rowny continued as President George H. W. Bush's special advisor for arms control for the first two years of his term. In 1990 he retired from the Government after fifty years of Government service.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Edward Leon Rowny (ASN: 0-23744), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 317th Engineer Combat Battalion, 92d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rowny, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 92d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 12 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Edward Leon Rowny (ASN: 0-23744), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 317th Engineer Combat Battalion, 92d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rowny, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 92d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 98 (October 16, 1945)

Born: April 3, 1917 at Baltimore, Maryland

Home Town: Baltimore, Maryland

Death: December 17, 2017 – Buried at Arlington National Cemetery – Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 4@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

ROYALL, HENRY ESTIL

Henry Royall graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry), [then Lieutenant Colonel] Henry Estil Royall, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion, 334th Infantry Regiment, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Linnich, Germany, on 30 November and 1 December 1944. He led his battalion with a display of calm courage and fighting spirit to a successful capture of terrain features essential to a planned crossing of the Roer River. Exposing himself to ground fire in the forward rifle areas he furnished the example necessary to keep the battalion advancing. During the action he suffered severe shocks and concussions from enemy shell fire and was wounded by small arms fire. By his fearless leadership and devotion to duty, Colonel Royall fully upheld the finest traditions of the United States Infantry.



- Department of the Army, General Orders No. 16 (May 24, 1950)

Born: August 10, 1904 at North Carolina

Home Town: Chapel Hill, North Carolina

Death: August 8, 2002 - Buried at: Tees Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery - Smithfield, North Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

RUGGLES, JOHN FRANK

John Ruggles graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Frank Ruggles (ASN: 0-18596), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 22d Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944. When the right company of a battalion in Lieutenant Colonel Ruggles' regiment broke in the face of a heavy enemy counterattack, the remainder of the battalion was affected in varying degrees, and vital ground that had been gained during the day was lost. Battalion leadership faltered and the battalion was not ready to continue the attack the following morning. Lieutenant Colonel Ruggles was sent to assume command of the battalion. Under fierce enemy artillery, mortar, machine gun, and small arms fire, Lieutenant Colonel Ruggles assumed command of the battalion and immediately began reorganizing. He moved among the front lines, reassuring and inspiring units and individual soldiers. His courageous actions, superb leadership, and utter disregard for his own personal safety so inspired the disorganized battalion, that they were able to resume the attack. They recovered the lost ground, stormed a strong enemy defensive position, and by night-fall had captured two towns. Lieutenant Colonel Ruggles' unerring professional ability, under the most arduous conditions, are in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 48 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver

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Star to Colonel (Infantry) John Frank Ruggles (ASN: 0-18596), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 22d Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Ruggles, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 77 (1944)

Born: November 7, 1908 at Vermont

Home Town: Lyndonville, Vermont

Death: January 15, 1999 - Buried at: Greenwood Memory Lawn Cemetery - Phoenix, Arizona

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

RUHLEN, GEORGE

George Ruhlen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired with disability in 1970 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) George Ruhlen, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 9th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Ruhlen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Armored Division, General Orders No. 133 (1945)

Born: May 1, 1911 at Fort Rosecrans, California

Home Town: San Diego, California

Death: November 14, 2003 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



*RUMBOUGH, JAMES EDWIN HICKEY [KIA (WWII)]

James Rumbough graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army First Lieutenant in the Philippine Islands in December 1944, less than a year after graduating.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to First Lieutenant (Infantry) James Edwin Hickey Rumbough, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy on Leyte, Philippine Islands, on 3 December, 1944. Lieutenant Rumbough voluntarily led a patrol forward to gain contact with the enemy. While advancing, the patrol encountered heavy hostile fire which killed the lead scout and seriously wounded the other scout. With utter disregard for his own safety, Lieutenant Rumbough moved forward over the fire swept terrain to rescue the wounded soldier. In the performance of this heroic deed, Lieutenant Rumbough was killed. His great courage,



intrepidity, and high sense of loyalty to his men exemplify the finest qualities of an officer, and are in keeping with the high traditions upon which the military forces of the United States have been founded.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 21 (1945)

Born: August 31, 1920 at Ohio

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: KIA: December 3, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

RUSH, HUGO PEOPLES

Hugo Rush graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired in 1951 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Hugo Peoples Rush (ASN: 0-12859), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 47th Bombardment Wing, FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Rush, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 1176 (June 19, 1944)

Born: September 13, 1900 at Lancaster County, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Strasburg, Pennsylvania

Death: February 1, 1979 - Buried at: New Providence Mennonite Cemetery - New Providence, Pennsylvania

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 4@ Air Medals



RUSS, JOSEPH RIEBER

Joseph Russ graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Joseph Rieber Russ, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 346th Infantry Regiment, 87th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Russ, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 87th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 110 (1945)

Born: May 12, 1912 at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: January 5, 1991 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (Korea), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, 4@ Air Medals



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RUSSELL, DAN CASHEMERE

Dan Russell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Dan Cashemere Russell, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 276th Infantry Regiment, 70th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Russell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, SEVENTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 92 (1946)

Born: November 20, 1912 at Fort Edward, New York

Home Town: St. Paul, Minnesota

Death: January 28, 1976 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

RUSSELL, JOSEPH GORDON

Joseph Russell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Joseph Gordon Russell (ASN: 0-19795), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber in the 456th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Russell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2932 (August 29, 1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Joseph Gordon Russell (ASN: 0-19795), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber in the 456th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Russell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3396 (September 14, 1944)

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Born: March 26, 1912 at Fort Worth, Texas

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: June 17, 1999 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 4@ Air Medals

RUSTEBERG, EDWIN

Edwin Rusteberg graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edwin Rusteberg (ASN: 0-19542), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 242d Infantry Regiment, 42d Infantry Division, in action on 9 January 1945 at Hatten, France. As Commanding Officer of the First Battalion, 242d Infantry Regiment, during the action at Hatten, France, Colonel Rusteberg planned and executed the defense of that area with outstanding success. In spite of point blank fire from enemy tanks supported by Infantry that raked his positions with fire, Colonel Rusteberg by personal example held his troops in position and withstood the enemy attack. Fighting side by side with his men in the face of overwhelming odds without mechanized or artillery support, Colonel Rusteberg by his courageous leadership, tenacity and devotion to duty played a major role in the successful defense of the town of Hatten. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Rusteberg, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 42d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 131 (July 30, 1945)

Born: July 17, 1911 at Brownsville, Texas

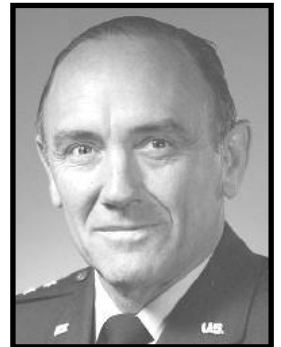
Home Town: Brownsville, Texas

Death: September 19, 1990

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

RYAN, JOHN DALE

John Ryan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. As an Army Air Forces B-17 pilot during World War II he earned two Silver Stars and two Distinguished Flying Crosses, and subsequently transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. From 1968 to 1969 he served as the 11th Vice Chief of Staff of the Air Force, and from 1969 to 1973 he served as the 7th Chief of Staff. (His son Michael Ryan served as the 16th Chief of Staff before retiring as an Air Force 4-Star General. John Ryan retired in 1973, nearly 30 years before his son, also as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) John Dale Ryan (AFSN: AO-21117/ASN: 0-21117), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber of the 2d Bombardment Group, FIFTEENTH Air Force. On 7 August 1944, Colonel Ryan led a wing formation on a bombing mission against a vitally important oil refinery in Germany. Despite severe and adverse conditions encountered en route, through outstanding leadership and professional skill, he brought the entire formation directly to the target. Under heavy enemy opposition from both aggressive enemy fighters and intense and

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accurate anti-aircraft fire, he skillfully maneuvered his wing through a highly successful bombing run. Under his superior direction the bombs from the entire formation were concentrated in the immediate target area, inflicting grave damage to vital installations and supplies. Turning from the objective, he rallied his formation bringing it safely through to base without further damage. By his outstanding gallantry in the face of heavy enemy fire, together with his outstanding leadership and combat proficiency, as evidenced throughout over forty-five successful missions against the enemy, Colonel Ryan has reflected great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States of America.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3091 (September 4, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) John Dale Ryan (AFSN: AO-21117/ASN: O-21117), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber of the 2d Bombardment Group, FIFTEENTH Air Force. On 28 February 1945, Colonel Ryan led a group formation on a bombing mission against a vital enemy railroad bridge in Italy. Over the target, intense, heavy and accurate enemy anti-aircraft fire was encountered which severely damaged his aircraft, killed two crew members, wounded four others and seriously wounded Colonel Ryan. Despite intense pain, shock and loss of blood, displaying outstanding courage and fortitude, Colonel Ryan maintained control of his almost un-airworthy aircraft and skillfully maneuvered his entire formation through continued heavy enemy fire for a highly successful bombing run. Under his superior leadership the bombs from his entire group were concentrated in the target area, inflicting grave damage to this vital link in the enemy's lines of communications. Leaving the objective his aircraft was forced to drop from the protective formation and set course for base alone. Displaying outstanding professional skill and determination, Colonel Ryan brought his crippled plane through for a safe landing at an emergency field. By his conspicuous courage, airmanship and devotion to duty, as evidenced throughout 42 successful missions against the enemy, Colonel Ryan has reflected great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States of America.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2105 (April 5, 1945)

Born: 1915 at Cherokee, Iowa

Home Town: Cherokee, Iowa

Death: October 27, 1983 - Buried at: U.S. Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: 6@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Purple Heart, 6@ Air Medals

RYAN, JOHN LAWRENCE, JR.

John Ryan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) John Lawrence Ryan, Jr. (ASN: O-16451), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Combat Command Reserve, 7th Armored Division, in action in Holland, from 27 to 29 October 1944. Colonel Ryan distinguished himself while stopping a heavy German counterattack which had threatened the right flank of the British SECOND Army at Heijuel. Although considerably outnumbered, Colonel Ryan's



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forces knocked out eleven of sixteen German Tiger Tanks. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Ryan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 89 (November 20, 1944), Amended G.O. 91

Born: July 4, 1903 at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia

Home Town: Chattanooga, Tennessee

Death: December 8, 1976 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Soldier's Medal

RYAN, WARD SANFORD

Ward Ryan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired with disability in 1971 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Ward Sanford Ryan, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 513th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in Belgium, on 7 January 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Ryan personally supervised the delivery of ammunition, medical supplies, and food to a battalion of his unit that was isolated by enemy forces in Flamierge, Belgium. He guided a battery of anti-tank guns and placed them for defense of the high ground south of the town. The supplies and anti-tank guns were delivered during the hours of darkness over terrain held by the enemy. Several times during the action, Lieutenant Colonel Ryan was subjected to enemy machine gun and artillery fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Ryan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 6 (1945)

Born: August 31, 1912 at Billings, Montana

Home Town: Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin

Death: October 3, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

RYDER, CHARLES WOLCOTT

Charles Ryder graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He was the recipient of FOUR Silver Stars and retired with disability in 1950 as a U.S. Army Major General. His son by the same name graduated for the Academy in 1942, earned three Silver Stars, and also retired as a U.S. Army Major General.



Fourth Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Third Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Fourth Award of the Silver Star to Major General Charles Wolcott Ryder, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Ryder, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, II Corps, General Orders No. 22 (1944)

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Born: January 16, 1892 at Topeka, Kansas

Home Town: Topeka, Kansas

Death: August 17, 1960 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Distinguished Service Crosses (World War I), Army Distinguished Service Medal, 3@ Silver Stars (World War I), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

RYDER, CHARLES WOLCOTT, JR.

Charles Ryder graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942 at the time his father, a 1915 graduate, was serving as a U.S. Army General Officer. Charles Ryder, Jr., earned three Silver Stars and retired in 1977 as a U.S. Army Major General. His father earned four Silver Stars, and also retired as a U.S. Army Major General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Charles Wolcott Ryder, Jr. (ASN: 0-24951), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 357th Infantry Regiment, 90th Infantry Division in action against the enemy on 19 and 20 November 1944 in the vicinity of Bockange, France. Having observed an enemy convoy in the town, he immediately signaled tanks carrying infantrymen to advance. From a commanding position, Captain Ryder directed tank fire which stopped the entire enemy convoy. He then, at risk of his life, led the tanks and infantry in an attack on the town in which four enemy were killed, two wounded and 35 captured. The next day while again in advance of the column, Captain Ryder advanced through direct enemy rocket fire, killed one man of the enemy bazooka team and caused the other members to flee. Captain Ryder's gallantry was in accordance with high military tradition.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 226 (December 23, 1944)

Born: November 24, 1920 at Trenton, New Jersey

Entered Service From Virginia

Death: March 28, 2010 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (Vietnam), 3@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, 17 Air Medals

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SAFFORD, ROBERT HALL

Robert Safford graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Robert Hall Safford, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 310th Field Artillery Battalion, 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Safford, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 35 (1944)

Born: September 8, 1913 at Leominster, Massachusetts

Home Town: Leominster, Massachusetts

Death: January 25, 1990 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

SAINE, HAROLD JACOB

An Eagle Scout in his youth, Harold Saine graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Harold Jacob Saine (ASN: 0-26291), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company M, 3d Battalion, 30th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, on 20 December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Saine, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 40 (1945)

Born: February 28, 1919 at Lincoln County, North Carolina

Home Town: Atlanta, Georgia

Death: September 16, 2011 - Buried at: Greenlawn Memorial Park - Columbia, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

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SAINT, FREDERICK GILMAN [POW (WWII) KIA]

Frederick Saint graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he was held by the Japanese as a Prisoner of War and died in 1945 while being transported to Japan in the "Hell Ship" Enoura Maru.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Frederick Gilman Saint (ASN: 0-18340), United States Army, for gallantry in action with the 14th Engineer Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Saint, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- American Battle Monuments Commission

Born: December 8, 1908 at Oak Park, Illinois

Home Town: Elmhurst, Illinois

Death: KIA as a POW: January 24, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

SAMUEL, JOHN SPOOR

John Samuel graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) John Spoor Samuel (ASN: 0-21742), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-26 Marauder Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 322d Bombardment Group (Medium), NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. Colonel Samuel led a formation of Marauder Bombers in an attack that destroyed an important German bridge. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Samuel, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 66 (May 8, 1945)

Born: December 24, 1913 at St. Louis, Missouri

Home Town: Hinsdale, Illinois

Death: April 1, 2002 - Buried at: U.S. Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, 14@ Air Medals

SAMUEL, ROBERT WARREN

Robert Samuel graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Field Artillery) Robert Warren Samuel (ASN: 0-26723), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Battery C, 862d Field Artillery Battalion, 63d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on 18 April 1945, in the vicinity of Horlebach, Germany. When the infantry company to which he was attached as a forward observer was pinned down by enemy fire, Lieutenant Samuel, the only officer present, assumed command of an infantry platoon and led them to flank the resistance. When the platoon was in position, he advanced under fire to a hazardous observation post, from which he was able to direct artillery fire that silenced the enemy. Lieutenant Samuel's heroic contribution to the success of the attack reflects credit upon himself and upon the Armed Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 63d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 277 (June 21, 1945)

Born: June 11, 1920 at Trinidad, Colorado

Home Town: Grand Junction, Colorado

Death: November 23, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



SANDERS, HORACE LAKE

Horace Sanders graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Horace Lake Sanders, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 28th Field Artillery Battalion (Separate), attached to the THIRD U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sanders, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: November 12, 1908 at Ludington, Michigan

Home Town: Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Death: October 25, 2004 - Buried at: Fort Sill Post Cemetery - Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal



SAUNDERS, LAVERNE GEORGE

Laverne Saunders graduated from the University of South Dakota in 1924 and the U.S. Military Academy in 1928. On 7 December 1941, Laverne Saunders, then a major commanding the 12th Bombardment Group, was one of the few to get a bomber into the air after the devastating surprise attack, but was too late to find and strike the Japanese fleet. He retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Laverne George Saunders (ASN: 0-17285), United States Army Air



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Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 11th Bombardment Group (Heavy), THIRTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1942. As Flight Leader of a formation of six heavy bombardment airplanes, Colonel Saunders proceeded through bat weather on the initial mission to bomb and destroy enemy installations and supplies in the Lunga Point and Kukum dock areas of the Solomon Islands. Reaching his objective, he courageously pressed his attack and successfully completed the mission in spite of the fact that two B-17s were damaged by anti-aircraft fighter fire. Two of the seven attacking float Zeros were shot down. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Saunders, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 12 (January 10, 1943)

Born: March 21, 1903 at Stratford, South Dakota

Home Town: Stratford, South Dakota

Death: November 16, 1988 - Buried at: Sacred Heart Cemetery - Aberdeen, South Dakota

Personal Awards: Navy Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts, Air Medal

SAWYER, WILLIS BRUNER

Willis Sawyer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Willis Bruner Sawyer (ASN: 0-23821), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber of the 343d Bombardment Squadron, 98th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in February 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Sawyer led three B-24 Liberators Bombers through attacks by 38 enemy aircraft and amid heavy flak, to bomb the ME-109 factory at Steyr, Austria. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sawyer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2981 (August 31, 1944)

Born: September 20, 1917 at Illinois

Home Town: Glendale, California

Death: April 11, 2010

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Soldier's Medal, Purple Heart, 5@ Air Medals



SHELLMAN, ROBERT HENRY

Robert Schellman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired with disability in 1971 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Robert Henry Schellman, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 309th Infantry Regiment, 78th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at



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the Schwammenauel dam in Germany, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Schellman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 78th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 393 (1945)

Born: August 13, 1914 at Dayton, Ohio

Home Town: Dayton, Ohio

Death: January 16, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington Memorial Park - Sandy Springs, Georgia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

*SCHENCK, HARRY WINFIELD [POW (WWII) KIA]

Harry Schenck graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. Captured during the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he was held by the Japanese as a Prisoner of War until his death in captivity in 1945.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Coast Artillery Corps) Harry Winfield Schenck (ASN: 0-19033), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 59th Coast Artillery Regiment, in action against the enemy during the defense of Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Schenck, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 114 (1946)

Born: February 7, 1910 at Connellsville, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Connellsville, Pennsylvania

Death: KIA as a POW: February 21 1945 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

SCHERMERHORN, JOHN GAMBLE

John Schermerhorn graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) John Gamble Schermerhorn (ASN: 0-20610), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 15th Engineer Combat Battalion, 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Schermerhorn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 53 (1945)

Born: August 11, 1914 at Springfield, Illinois

Home Town: Mendon, Michigan

Death: December 22, 1987 - Buried at: Riverside Cemetery - Three Rivers, Michigan

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

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***SCHIMMELPFENNIG, IRVIN RUDOLPH [KIA (WWII)]**

Irving Schimmelpfennig graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He was killed in action during World War II while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (General Staff Corps) Irvin Rudolph Schimmelpfennig (ASN: 0-18046), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at the Palico Bridge, Luzon, Philippine Islands, on 4 February 1945. Colonel Schimmelpfennig's gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 26 (1945)

Born: December 7, 1908 at Howells, Nebraska

Home Town: Platte County, Nebraska

Death: KIA: February 4, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Air Medal



SCHMID, EDWIN PETER

Edwin Schmid graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Edwin Peter Schmid (ASN: 0-22156), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber of the 376th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Schmid, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 4134 (October 24, 1944)

Born: September 14, 1915 at Little Falls, Minnesota

Home Town: Rapid City, South Dakota

Death: March 30, 1988 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals



SCHMIDT, JOSEPH JOHN, JR.

John Schmidt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Corp of Engineers) Joseph John Schmidt, Jr. (ASN: 0-24672), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 70th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain



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Schmidt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 79 (1945)

Born: October 1, 1918 at Texas

Home Town: Minneapolis, Minnesota

Death: April 5, 1975 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

SCHMIDT, WILLIAM RICHARD

William Schmidt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1913. He retired in 1951 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General William Richard Schmidt (ASN: 0-3573), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 76th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Schmidt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: October 14, 1889 at Verdigre, Nebraska

Home Town: Verdigre, Nebraska

Death: July 18, 1966 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



SCHORR, DAVID PETER, JR.

David Schorr graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) David Peter Schorr, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 193d Glider Infantry Regiment, 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Schorr, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 63 (1945)

Born: August 22, 1908 at Ohio

Home Town: Cincinnati, Ohio

Death: May 26, 1997 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



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SCHROEDER, ARNOLD LEON

Arnold Schroeder graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1948 as a U.S. Army Air Forces Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Arnold Leon Schroeder (ASN: 0-18848), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 464th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Schroeder, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2591 (April 21, 1945)

Born: July 9, 1909 at Kansas

Home Town: Peabody, Kansas

Death: September 8, 1961 - Buried at: Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery - San Diego, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 4@ Air Medals



SCHWAB, VIRGIL ALVIN [MIA (WWII) KIA]

Virgil Schwab graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was missing in action following an air mission in 1942, while serving as a U.S. Army Air Forces Captain.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) Virgil Alvin Schwab (ASN: 0-23021), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of an A-26 Dauntless Dive Bomber of the 8th Bombardment Squadron, 3d Bombardment Group (Light), Far East Air Force, in aerial operations over New Guinea, in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, on 7 April 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Swartz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 18 (June 6, 1942)

Born: December 8, 1915 at Hooper, Nebraska

Home Town: Hooper, Nebraska

Death: MIA: July 29, 1942 - Buried at: Hooper Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Hooper, Nebraska

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart



SCOTT, JEAN DORBANT

Jean Scott graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired with disability in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Jean Dorbant Scott, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 393d Infantry Regiment, 99th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of



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Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Scott, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 99th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 3 (1945)

Born: September 18, 1900 at Texas

Home Town: Douglas, Arizona

Death: September 24, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

SCOTT, RICHARD PRESSLY

Richard Scott graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Richard Pressly Scott (ASN: 0-23787), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 90th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Scott, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 174 (1945)

Born: New York

Home Town: Butler, Pennsylvania

Death: November 11, 2005

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



SCOTT, ROBERT LEE, JR.

Robert Scott graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. During World War II in the China-Burma-India theater he flew 388 combat missions in 925 hours from July 1942 to October 1943, shooting down 10 enemy aircraft to become one of the earliest ACES of the war. He wrote several books including "God Is My Copilot" and "Boring a Hole in the Sky." He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Robert Lee Scott, Jr. (ASN: 0-18908), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Fighter Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 23d Fighter Group, TENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Scott, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 10th Air Force, General Orders No. 10 (June 8, 1942)



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Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Robert Lee Scott, Jr. (ASN: 0-18908), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with the Assam Burma China Ferry Command, TENTH Air Force in action between 2 May and 14 May 1942. With General Caleb V. Haynes as Pilot, Colonel Robert L. Scott as Co-Pilot, Sergeant Ralph B. Baldrige as radio operator, and Sergeant Robert A. Mocklin as aerial engineer, this air crew made repeated trips over enemy controlled territory into Upper Burma to drop food and medicinal supplies to General Stilwell's party and British refugees. Their removal of American personnel from Upper Burma was accomplished through the most difficult operating conditions, and reflected extreme daring, skill, and cooperation between each member of the transport team. These trips were carried out under the most hazardous weather conditions and in the face of enemy air attack in unarmed transports. Colonel Haynes as Commanding officer of the Assam Burma China Ferry Command, and Colonel Scott as Executive Officer, have in this operation and others preceding set an example of fidelity to duty, courage to participate, and calmness to execute that has been admired and followed by all officers and men, thereby maintaining and increasing the efficiency and morale of the command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Scott, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 10th Air Force, General Orders No. 13 (June 22, 1942)
Born: April 12, 1908 at Waynesboro, Georgia
Home Town: Macon, Georgia
Death: February 27, 2006 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 6@ Air Medals

*SCOTT, STANLEY CLIPPINGER [KIA (WWII)]

Stanley Scott graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He was killed in action during World War II while serving as a U.S. Army Major.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Field Artillery) Stanley Clippinger Scott (ASN: 0-21909), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 17th Field Artillery Observation Battalion, 17th Field Artillery Group, FIFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in Normandy, France, in 1944. Major Scott, with tireless energy and total disregard for his own safety, reconnoitered the entire front of the FIFTH Army Corps, usually within a few hundred yards of the enemy infantry. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Scott, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, V Corps, General Orders No. 45 (1944)
Born: Indiana
Home Town: Little Rock, Arkansas
Death: KIA: August 3, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Normandy - Colleville-sur-Mer, France
Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

SCULLEN, ALLAN RICHARD

Allan Scullen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Major.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Armor) Allan Richard Scullen (ASN: 0-24984), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 603d Tank Destroyer Battalion, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Scullen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 20 (1944)

Born: March 14, 1915 at Providence, Rhode Island

Home Town: Saugus, Massachusetts

Death: April 19, 2011 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



*SEARBY, EDMUND WILSON [KIA (WWII)]

Edmund Searby graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1918. He was killed in action during World War II while serving as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Brigadier General Edmund Wilson Searby (ASN: 0-12081), United States Army, for gallantry in action while Commanding Division Artillery, 80th Infantry Division in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States from 7 August to 14 September 1944 in France. With utter disregard for his own personal safety, Brigadier General Searby continuously subjected himself to all types of enemy fire in order to more effectively supervise artillery missions and to coordinate Infantry-Artillery operations. His continuous presence in the front lines during engagements was a constant inspiration, not only to his artillery liaison officers and forward observers, but also to all front line troops, who, from his example and indomitable spirit, derived additional inspiration and zeal to seek out, close with, and destroy the enemy. It was with the most forward elements of the infantry troops that Brigadier General Searby gave his life while leading in the repulse of an enemy counterattack. His outstanding courage and inspiring leadership exemplified, for the entire Division, the highest ideals of the armed forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 80th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 95 (December 5, 1944)

Born: March 7, 1896 at Berkeley, California

Home Town: Sonoma, California

Death: KIA: September 14, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Epinal - Epinal, France

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart



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SEARS, HAYDEN ADRIANCE

Hayden Sears graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Hayden Adriaance Sears, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 17th Armor Group, attached to the TWELFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sears, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Hayden Adriaance Sears, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 17th Armor Group, attached to the TWELFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sears, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Hayden Adriaance Sears, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Combat Command "B", 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sears, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 61 (1945)

Fourth Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Third Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Fourth Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Hayden Adriaance Sears, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Combat Command "B", 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sears, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 95 (1945)

Born: September 19, 1899 at Massachusetts

Home Town: Brookline, Massachusetts

Death: January 6, 1984 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 4@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star w/V, Purple Heart

SEARS, ROBERT

Robert Sears graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1909. He retired in 1944 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Robert Sears (ASN: 0-2632), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 137th Infantry Regiment, 35th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sears, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 10 (1944)

Born: November 30, 1884 at Portland, Oregon

Home Town: Portland, Oregon

Death: January 9, 1979

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



SEAWELL, WILLIAM THOMAS

William Seawell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) William Thomas Seawell (ASN: 0-23712), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 401st Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Seawell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 105 (June 28, 1945)

Born: January 27, 1918 at Pine Bluff, Arkansas

Home Town: Pine Bluff, Arkansas

Death: May 20, 2005 - Buried at: Bellwood Cemetery - Pine Bluff, Arkansas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 4@ Air Medals



SEBREE, EDMUND BOWER

Edmund Sebree graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Edmund Bower Sebree (ASN: 0-12376), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, in 1942 and 1943. Brigadier General Sebree's Division was charged with



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the responsibility of establishing and holding a strategic bridgehead across the Matanikau River. Japanese mortar fire had killed many commissioned and non-commissioned officers, and it appeared the effort would be jeopardized for lack of leadership. Brigadier General Sebree plunged into the front lines, taking personal command of the troops, and securing the bridgehead. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Sebree, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 89 (1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Edmund Bower Sebree (ASN: 0-12376), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Commanding General, 35th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Sebree, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 7, 1898 at Olney, Illinois

Home Town: Olney, Illinois

Death: June 25, 1966 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

SEITZ, JOHN FRANCIS REGIS

John Seitz graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired with disability in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Francis Regis Seitz (ASN: 0-17734), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of St. Laurent-sur-Mer, France, on 9 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Seitz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 32 (July 9, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) John Francis Regis Seitz (ASN: 0-17734), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 4 February 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Seitz, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 61 (March 25, 1945)



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Born: May 22, 1908 at Delaware

Home Town: Wilmington, Delaware

Death: October 10, 1978 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

SELLERS, RAYMOND WILTSE

Raymond Sellers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired with disability in 1958 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Raymond Wiltse Sellers, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 168th Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, North Africa, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Sellers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 15 (1943)

Born: August 4, 1906 at Pine City, Minnesota

Home Town: Waterville, Washington

Death: May 11, 1986 - Buried at: Oakmont Memorial Cemetery - Lafayette, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



SERFF, PAUL CYRIL

Paul Serff graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Paul Cyril Serff, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 123d Infantry Regiment, 33d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Serff, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 33d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 113 (1945)

Born: August 15, 1900 at Streator, Illinois

Home Town: San Rafael, California

Death: March 16, 1977

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



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SEWALL, ALEXANDER RANDOLPH

Alexander Sewall graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. He retired in 1956 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Alexander Randolph Sewall, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 358th Field Artillery Battalion, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in November 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Sewall distinguished himself by gallantry in success of directing artillery fire in support of the assault on Metz, France. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sewall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 27 (1944)

Born: April 9, 1900 at Shreveport, Louisiana

Home Town: Shreveport, Louisiana

Death: June 5, 1972 - Buried at: Golden Gate National Cemetery - San Bruno, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



SHANLEY, THOMAS JAMES BARTLEY

Thomas Shanley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Thomas James Bartley Shanley (ASN: 0-21828), United States Army, for gallantry in action one mile west of ****, France, between 6 June and 10 June 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Shanley, Commanding the 2d Battalion, 808th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, dropped by parachute north of Pont l'Abbe and assembled approximately 400 officers and men within enemy positions. Despite continuous activity of static and mobile anti-airborne enemy landing groups supported by artillery, mortars and numerous machine guns placed at strategic points, he seized Hill 30 west of the Merderet River. Lacking artillery and with only such equipment, supplies and ammunition as could be recovered from the DZ, Lieutenant Colonel Shanley organized and conducted such an aggressive defense of Hill 30 that continually mounting counter-attacks by numerically superior enemy forced failed to penetrate his defenses during the five days prior to relieve by other United States forces. Lieutenant Colonel Shanley's own will to resist at all cost, and his personal indifference to the hazards of the position were the prime factors in its successful defense. He distinguished himself throughout this period by extraordinary heroism involving risk of life beyond the call of duty. His superb courage in the exercise of outstanding leadership in a critical situation inspired and encouraged all who shared danger to emulate his example in the execution of an extremely difficult and hazardous mission. He was directly responsible for the immobilization of considerable enemy strength which might have been used to imperil the successful operations of other airborne elements east of the Merderet River. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Shanley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 60 (November 30, 1944)



Born: December 19, 1917 at Butte, Montana

Home Town: Butte, Montana

Death: January 10, 2004 - Buried at: Holy Sepulcher Cemetery - Orange, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart

SHAUGHNESSEY, LEO WILLIAM HENRY

Leo Shaughnessey graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Leo William Henry Shaughnessey, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 273d Infantry Regiment, 69th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Shaughnessey, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 7, 1910 at Massachusetts

Home Town: Woburn, Massachusetts

Death: September 18, 1983 - Buried at: Fort Huachuca Cemetery - Sierra Vista, Arizona

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars

SHEARER, IRVINE HARRISON

Irvine Shearer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Irvine Harrison Shearer (ASN: 0-23292), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-25 Mitchell Bomber of the 3d Bombardment Group (Light), FIFTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, on or about 25 May, 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Shearer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 20 (June 20, 1942)

Born: Georgia

Home Town: Alapaha, Georgia

Death: November 30, 1989 - Buried at: Hillcrest Memorial Cemetery - Savannah, Georgia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Air Medal

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*SHEEHY, JOHN WYVILLE [KIA (WWII)]

John Sheehy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel, during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Infantry) John Wyville Sheehy (ASN: 0-12297), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 357th Infantry Regiment, 90th Infantry Division, in action on 15 June 1944 in the vicinity of Gourbesville, France. When informed by reconnaissance elements that several machine gun nests blocked a road leading into the town, Colonel Sheehy, fully aware of the dangers involved, made a reconnaissance of the route to obtain more information regarding the enemy defenses. Upon entering the field alone in order to survey the terrain over which his troops would pass, he was mortally wounded by machine gun fire. Despite his mortal wound, he advanced toward the machine gun nest, firing his pistol as he moved forward, until he succumbed from a final burst of fire. His gallantry will be a lasting inspiration to all men under his command and was in accordance with high military tradition.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 561 (1945)
 - Born: March 14, 1897 at Oregon
 - Home Town: Portland, Oregon
 - Death: KIA: June 15, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Normandy - Colleville-sur-Mer, France
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

SHELLEY, JAMES MASON

James Shelley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) James Mason Shelley (ASN: 0-23291), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a Command Pilot and as Commanding Officer of the 363d Tactical Reconnaissance Group, NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Shelley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
 - Born: December 7, 1915 at Arcadia, Louisiana
 - Home Town: Arcadia, Louisiana
 - Death: October 9, 1988 - Buried at: Greenwood Cemetery - Ruston, Louisiana
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 5@ Air Medals

SHILEY, EARLE METZGER [POW-KIA (WWII)]

Earle Shiley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. Captured and held as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese after the fall of Corregidor, he died of pneumonia at the Fukuoka, Japan, prison camp on or about February 2, 1945.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) Earle Metzger Shiley (ASN: 0-21234), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Battery I, 60th Coast Artillery Regiment (Anti-Aircraft), in action in the Philippine Islands from 29 December 1941 to 6 May 1942, inclusive. Captain Shiley commanded Battery T, a .50 caliber antiaircraft machine gun battery, of his regiment at Fort Mills, Philippine Islands. During the above period combat conditions were practically continuous and frequently severe. Shelling and bombing, sometimes both simultaneously, covered the area occupied by elements of his battery. Notwithstanding these conditions however, Captain Shiley remained in the open, traveling from one machine gun section to another assisting and encouraging his men in remaining in constant preparation for enemy air attacks. By his gallantry and courageous conduct he maintained a high degree of efficiency in his battery, and through his exceptional heroism set a meritorious example in daring achievement in operations against an enemy of the United States.

- Headquarters, Philippine Coast Artillery Command, General Orders No. 50 (1942)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) Earle Metzger Shiley (ASN: 0-21234), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Battery I, 60th Coast Artillery Regiment (Anti-Aircraft), in action on Corregidor, Philippine Islands, from 11 April to 6 May 1942. In command of an antiaircraft machine gun battery located on the northwestern side of Corregidor, Captain Shiley without regard for his personal safety, faced constant enemy artillery fire and aerial bombardment, both day and night, to inspect his battery positions. His heroic and persistent actions provided an Inspiration for his troops and encouraged them to their greatest efforts despite overwhelming odds. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Shiley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 396 (1945)

Born: October 31, 1912 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Annapolis, Maryland

Death: KIA (As a POW): February 2, 1945 - Buried at: Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery - Lemay, Missouri

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

SHINBERGER, JOHN BAIRD

John Shinberger graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He was one of the key organizers of the First Service Force (Devil's Brigade) during World War II. He retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel. In retirement he attended and graduated from Virginia Theological Seminary. He was ordained a deacon in the Episcopal Church in 1949, ordained a priest in 1950, and served as rector of Madison Parish, which included Saint Peter's Church in Purcellville, St. Paul's Church in Hamilton, and Mount Calvary Church in Round Hill, Virginia. He took his own life in 1959.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to

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Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Baird Shinberger, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 60th Infantry Regiment, 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 15 July 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Shinberger, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 1 (1945)

Born: May 26, 1908 at Greensboro, North Carolina

Home Town: Norfolk, Virginia

Death: February 10, 1959 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

SHOEMAKER, RAYMOND LEROY, JR.

Raymond Shoemaker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Raymond Leroy Shoemaker, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 693d Field Artillery Battalion, FIFTEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Shoemaker, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: May 4, 1919 at Washington, D. C.

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: November 15, 2014 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

SHORT, WALTER DEAN

Walter Short graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Walter Dean Short (ASN: 0-24789), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 309th Infantry Regiment, 78th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Short, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 78th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 389 (1945)

Born: July 11, 1920 at Oklahoma

Home Town: Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Death: May 6, 1993 - Buried at: Hillcrest Memorial Gardens Cemetery - Las Cruces, New Mexico

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars w/V

SHOSS, MORRIS LOEB [POW (WWII) ESCAPEE]

Morris Shoss graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired with disability in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Coast Artillery Corps) Morris Loeb Shoss (ASN: 0-22973), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Battery C, 91st Coast Artillery Regiment, Philippine Scouts, in action at Fort Mills, Philippine Islands, on 12 April 1942. When a heavy enemy artillery bombardment on his battery position caused injuries to several men of the battery, Lieutenant Shoss, acting beyond the call of duty and without regard for his personal safety, left a place of shelter and proceeded to a telephone in the battery commander's station to call for an ambulance, and then assisted in evacuating the wounded men to a place of safety, during all of which time shells were bursting nearby, one being a direct hit on the top of the station in which Lieutenant Shoss was telephoning. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Shoss, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Philippine Coast Artillery Command, General Orders No. 29 (April 24, 1942)

Born: Texas

Home Town: Houston, Texas

Death: August 4, 2004

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

SHUGG, ROLAND PAGET

Roland Shugg graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired in 1952 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Roland Paget Shugg (ASN: 0-4476), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Corps Artillery, THIRTEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Shugg, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 8, 1893 at Boston, Massachusetts

Home Town: Needham, Massachusetts

Death: July 28, 1989

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

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SHULER, WILLIAM REEVES

William Shuler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired with disability in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) William Reeves Shuler (ASN: 0-20118), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 117th Engineer Combat Group, in action against the enemy in France, in 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Shuler led the opening routes through St. Lo and Vire, France, while both devastated cities were under heavy enemy fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Shuler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 16, 1911 at Texas

Home Town: El Monte, California

Death: March 11, 1984 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

SIBERT, FRANKLIN CUMMINGS

Franklin Sibert graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1912. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Franklin Cummings Sibert (ASN: 0-3394), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 6th Infantry Division, in action in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Sibert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 3, 1891 at Bowling Green, Kentucky

Home Town: Carmel, California

Death: June 24, 1980 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

SIBERT, FRANKLIN ROGERS

Franklin Sibert graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Franklin Rogers Sibert (ASN: 0-20329), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 12th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the



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enemy in the Hurtgen Forest in Belgium, in December 1944. During the engagement in the Hurtgen Forest, Lieutenant Colonel Sibert was with two companies of his battalion that were cut off from the regiment by fierce German counterattacks. He and his two companies remained isolated for three days before the remainder of his battalion and regiment fought through to relieve them. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sibert, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 80 (1944)

Born: February 6, 1914 at Panama

Home Town: Fort Benning, Georgia

Death: September 8, 1990 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 3@ Bronze Stars, 3@ Purple Hearts, 6@ Air Medals

*SILVERTHORNE, CARL DOUGLAS [KIA (WWII)]

Carl Silverthorne graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He was killed in action while serving and a U.S. Army Colonel during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Cavalry) Carl Douglas Silverthorne (ASN: 0-15225), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 27th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Saipan, Mariana Islands, in June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Silverthorne, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 15, 1898 at Virginia

Home Town: Tampa, Florida

Death: KIA: June 26, 1944 - Buried at: National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific - Honolulu, Hawaii

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart



SIMPSON, EBER EUGENE [DNB (1946)]

Eber Simpson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He was shot down twice, within weeks of each other in January 1945, and each time survived to make his way back to friendly lines. He was killed in an air accident on September 20, 1946.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) Eber Eugene Simpson (ASN: 0-26357), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-47 Thunderbolt Fighter Airplane and as Operations Officer of the 391st Fighter Squadron, 366th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations against the enemy in Belgium, in January 1945. Captain Simpson distinguished himself by exceptional courage and skill in breaking up a panzer attack in the Ardennes Forest during the Battle of the Bulge. Captain Simpson conducted several passes at a target after his fighter had been hopelessly crippled, continuing to engage the enemy until he was shot down. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty



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demonstrated by Captain Simpson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 126 (July 6, 1945)

Born: December 3, 1921 at Eau Claire County, Wisconsin

Home Town: Eau Claire, Wisconsin

Death: DNB: September 20, 1946 - Buried at: Forest Hill Cemetery - Eau Claire, Wisconsin

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 19@ Air Medals

SIMPSON, EVERETT SELDEN

Everett Simpson was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. In an ironic twist of fate, Simpson's DSC heroism on the Moselle was less than 90 miles from a similar action on the Aisne River in October 1918 where his father; then Captain Ethan A. Simpson, a member of the 142nd Infantry, 36th Division, distinguished himself in an amazingly similar manner during World War I, himself earning the Distinguished Service Cross. He retired in 1973 as a Brigadier General in the Texas National Guard.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Everett Selden Simpson (ASN: 0-405521), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 142d Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Simpson distinguished himself by moving under fire to direct an attack when communications became inadequate. Accompanied by a runner and radio operator, he crossed a river under direct enemy observation and fire. They crossed 1,000 yards of open field to enter the town under assault, and moved under sniper fire to forward elements to encourage them and direct their fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Simpson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 140 (1945)

Born: February 17, 1915 at Clarendon, Texas

Home Town: Amarillo, Texas

Death: August 25, 1999 - Buried at: Llano Cemetery - Amarillo, Texas

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts

SIMPSON, FREDERICK JAMES [KIA (WWII)]

Frederick Simpson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Frederick James Simpson (ASN: 0-18256), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 701st Tank Battalion, 102d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in February 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Simpson distinguished himself in leading his battalion out of an enemy ambush. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Simpson, without

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regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- American Battle Monuments Commission

Born: June 29, 1905 at Rochester, New York

Home Town: Rochester, New York

Death: KIA: April 14, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Netherlands - Margraten, Holland

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

SINK, ROBERT FREDERICK

Robert Sink graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Robert Frederick Sink, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 506th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sink, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 6 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Robert Frederick Sink, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 506th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sink, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 101st Airborne Division, General Orders No. 38 (1944)

Born: April 3, 1905 at Lexington, North Carolina

Home Town: Lexington, North Carolina

Death: December 13, 1965 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Air Medals



SKELTON, WINFRED GEORGE

Winfred Skelton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired with disability in 1954 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Winfred George Skelton (ASN: 0-12374), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 149th Infantry Regiment, 38th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Leyte, Philippine Islands, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated



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by Colonel Skelton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 38th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 7 (1945)

Born: September 3, 1897 at Illinois

Home Town: Fairfield, Illinois

Death: March 26, 1976

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

SLACK, JULIUS EASTON

Julius Slack graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1951 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Julius Easton Slack, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Corps Artillery, TWENTIETH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. General Slack distinguished himself by courageous and aggressive actions when he personally crossed the Moselle River in an assault boat under fire to reconnoiter German artillery positions, which he then took under counter-battery fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Slack, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 21, 1898 at Hermansville, Michigan

Home Town: Hermansville, Michigan

Death: May 31, 1968 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



SLADEN, FRED WINCHESTER, JR.

Fred Sladen graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. His father was Major General Fred W. Sladen, USMA Class of 1890, who served as Commandant of Cadets and Superintendent of the United States Military Academy. His paternal grandfather, Major Joseph A. Sladen, earned the Congressional Medal of Honor for action in the Civil War. Fred Sladen retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Fred Winchester Sladen, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 30th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Sicily, in July 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sladen, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 51 (1943)

Born: March 13, 1906 at Vancouver Barracks, Washington

Home Town: Stanton, Virginia

Death: January 10, 1980 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



SLINEY, GEORGE WESSELY

George Sliney graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1913. He retired in 1949 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) George Wessely Sliney, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Artillery Officer on the Staff of General Joseph Stilwell, Chief of Staff of the Allied Forces in China, for gallantry in action against the enemy during the campaign in Burma, on 26 March 1942. Serving as a technical advisor to the Chinese FIFTH Army, engaged with the Japanese on that date, Colonel Sliney exposed himself to great personal danger during heavy hostile counter battery fire, with such gallantry as to greatly encourage the Chinese forces. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sliney, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces, China-Burma-India, General Orders No. 6 (1942)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General George Wessely Sliney, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer Artillery, Northern Combat Area, in action against the enemy in Burma, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Sliney, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, India-Burma Theater, General Orders No. 7 (1944)

Born: March 11, 1889 at Hot Springs, Wyoming

Home Town: Thermopolis, Wyoming

Death: January 27, 1966 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



SLOAN, GEORGE BIDWELL

George Sloan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) George Bidwell Sloan, United States Army, for gallantry in action as G-3 (Operations Officer), NINETEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sloan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XIX Corps, General Orders No. 39 (1944)



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Born: September 6, 1915 at Franklin, North Carolina
Home Town: Franklin, North Carolina
Death: February 7, 1995 - Buried at: Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery - Lemay, Missouri
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

SMALLEY, HOWARD NORRINGTON

Howard Smalley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Howard Norrington Smalley, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 164th Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy at Leyte, Philippine Islands, in February 1945. While commanding a reinforced battalion against stubbornly resisting Japanese forces in Leyte, Lieutenant Colonel Smalley's unit recaptured Villaba Village during a fierce three-day engagement by attacking from the north and joining another battalion from the south. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Smalley, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

Born: September 18, 1912 at Detroit, Michigan
Home Town: Rochester, New York
Death: December 18, 2000 - Buried at: Golden Gate National Cemetery - San Bruno, California
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



SMITH, ALBERT COWPER

Albert Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of April 1917. He retired with disability in 1955 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Albert Cowper Smith (ASN: 0-5265), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 14th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in France and Germany, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: June 5, 1894 at Broad Run, Virginia
Home Town: Warrenton, Virginia
Death: January 24, 1974 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



SMITH, AUBREY DEWITT [DNB (1952)]

Aubrey Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He was stabbed to death by his wife in Tokyo, Japan, while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel, in 1952.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Aubrey Dewitt Smith, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 306th Infantry Regiment, 77th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918 (amended by an act of July 25, 1963), takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Aubrey Dewitt Smith, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 306th Infantry Regiment, 77th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 77th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 197 (1945)

Born: March 14, 1907 at Missouri

Home Town: Boonville, Missouri

Death: DNB: October 4, 1952 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

SMITH, BRADISH JOHNSON, II

Bradish Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Bradish Johnson Smith, II (ASN: 0-34049), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 242d Infantry Regiment, 42d Infantry Division. On 9 January 1945, at Hatten, France, upon observing that a platoon of the reserve company of his battalion was withdrawing in response to a command in English given by German soldiers, Major Smith proceeded through intense enemy artillery and mortar fire to the platoon and led them forward to their attack area. As a result of his leadership the platoon rejoined its company and the enemy was halted at the edge of town. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 42d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 11 (1945)

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Born: December 3, 1917 at Manila, Philippine Islands

Home Town: Missoula, Montana

Death: November 21, 1999 - Buried at: Milford Cemetery - Milford, Connecticut

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star*

SMITH, EDWARD PAUL

Edward Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Paul Smith, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 17th Infantry Regiment, 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Aleutian Campaign, in the Territory of Alaska, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 53 (1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Paul Smith, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 17th Infantry Regiment, 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 26 (1945)

Born: April 24, 1916 at Dorchester, Massachusetts

Home Town: Boston, Massachusetts

Death: May 7, 2001 - Buried at: Beaufort National Cemetery - Beaufort, South Carolina

Personal Awards: *Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart*



*SMITH, EDWIN MAJOR [KIA (WWII)]

Edwin Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edwin Major Smith (ASN: 0-19887), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division, in action on 13 December 1944 in the vicinity of Vossenack, Germany. While achieving its objective, Lieutenant Colonel Smith's battalion had suffered heavy casualties and



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was, of necessity, spread thin to hold its ground against enemy counter-attack. When the enemy broke through the line and a group of twenty attempted to overrun the battalion's position, Lieutenant Colonel Smith, hastily organizing a squad from his Forward CP personnel, personally led them against the enemy force. Although killed in the ensuing action, the courage, leadership and resourcefulness displayed by Lieutenant Colonel Smith enabled his men to kill or capture all of the enemy forces. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 38 (1945)

Born: October 31, 1910 at Pocatello, Idaho

Home Town: South Haven, Michigan

Death: KIA: December 13, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Henri-Chapelle - Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

SMITH, GEORGE ALBERT, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

George Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel during World War II.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) George Albert Smith, Jr. (ASN: 0-16474), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 43 (July 20, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Infantry) George Albert Smith, Jr. (ASN: 0-16474), United States Army, for gallantry in action while engaged in military operations involving conflict with an armed hostile force while serving as Commanding Officer of the 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action in Belgium on 28 January 1945. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 50 (March 3, 1945)

Born: March 29, 1902 at Denver, Colorado

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: KIA: March 1, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Henri-Chapelle - Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

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SMITH, LOWELL BLAIR

Lowell Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) Lowell Blair Smith (ASN: 0-25920), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-47 Lighting Fighter Airplane of the 390th Fighter Squadron, 366th Fighter Group NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 36 (February 27, 1945)
Born: February 19, 1920 at Alliance, Nebraska
Home Town: Berkeley, California
Death: May 9, 1998 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, 18@ Air Medals

SMITH, RICHARD HENRY

Richard Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Richard Henry Smith (ASN: 0-18850), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-25 Mitchell Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 321st Bombardment Group (Medium), TWELFTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, XII Bomber Command, General Orders No. 8 (September 6, 1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Richard Henry Smith (ASN: 0-18850), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-25 Mitchell Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 321st Bombardment Group (Medium), TWELFTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 12th Air Force, General Orders No. 223 (November 4, 1944)



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Born: April 25, 1910 at Texas

Home Town: Nashville, Tennessee

Death: April 12, 1989 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (WWII), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Purple Heart, 12@ Air Medals

SMITH, SELWYN DYSON

Selwyn Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Selwyn Dyson Smith (ASN: 0-20194), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 976th Field Artillery Battalion (Separate), attached to the SECOND U.S. Army Corps, in action in Italy, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, II Corps, General Orders No. 5 (1944)

Born: February 15, 1915 at Arizona

Home Town: Lansing, Michigan

Death: June 19, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Air Medal



SMITH, STEPHEN HARRISON

Stephen Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He resigned in 1961 as a U.S. Army Major.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Cavalry) Stephen Harrison Smith, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as a Platoon Leader with the 93d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 13th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 13th Armored Division, General Orders No. 32 (1945)

Born: June 20, 1922 at California

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: October 26, 1970 - Buried at: Ivy Hill Cemetery - Alexandria, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



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SMITH, WOODROW MAURICE

Woodrow Smith graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Woodrow Maurice Smith (ASN: 0-22960), United States Army, for gallantry in action as S-2 (Intelligence Officer), 151st Field Artillery Battalion, 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, North Africa, in 1943. Major Smith remained in front of an artillery observation post on hill 609 in Tunisia, while exposed to a heavy concentration of enemy fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Smith, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 15 (1943)

Born: Illinois

Home Town: Peru, Illinois

Death: May 1, 1995

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

SMYTHE, GEORGE WINFERED

George Smythe graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Major General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) George Winfered Smythe (ASN: 0-15816), United States Army, for gallantry in connection with military operations against an opposing armed force while serving with the 47th Infantry Regiment, 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Smythe, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 32 (1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) George Winfered Smythe (ASN: 0-15816), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Division Commander, 80th Infantry Division in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 4 April 1945 in Germany. While the assault against the city of Kassel, Germany, on 4 April 1945, was in progress, Colonel Smythe boldly and without regard for his own safety, advanced in the face of enemy fire beyond the most forward elements of the attacking troops. After securing a cessation of hostilities, he contacted the Commanding General of the garrison defending the city and procured its surrender together with the Commanding General and five hundred officers and men. This outstandingly brave and resourceful act by Colonel Smythe not only accomplished the immediate capture of vital military objectives, but also saved the lives of many American soldiers which would have been lost in a continuation of the attack. The bravery, determined

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unselfish devotion to duty, and resourcefulness of Colonel Smythe were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 80th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 97 (April 7, 1945)

Born: August 4, 1899 at Norristown, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Norristown, Pennsylvania

Death: January 16, 1969 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts

SNEED, ALBERT LEE

Albert Sneed graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1908. He retired in 1938, but was recalled to service during World War II, serving throughout the war and he retired in 1946 as a U.S. Army Air Forces Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General, [then Colonel (Air Corps)] Albert Lee Sneed, United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Chief of Staff of the Allied Air Command, Northwest Area, Darwin, Australia, in aerial operations during the bombing of Japanese installations on the Island of Timor in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Sneed, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 26 (July 5, 1942)

Born: April 24, 1884 at Conway, Arkansas

Home Town: Bentonville, Arkansas

Death: November 25, 1967 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

SNELLING, WALTER HUGH

Walter Snelling graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Infantry) Walter Hugh Snelling, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 275th Infantry Regiment, 70th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, in December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Snelling, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 70th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 20 (1945)

Born: December 26, 1920 at New Mexico

Home Town: Albuquerque, New Mexico

Death: November 12, 2014 - Buried at: Visalia Public Cemetery - Visalia, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)

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SNYDER, HOWARD MCCRUM, JR.

Howard Snyder graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Armor) Howard McCrum Snyder, Jr. (ASN: 0-20213), United States Army, for gallantry in action as G-3 (Operations Officer), TWENTIETH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Snyder, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

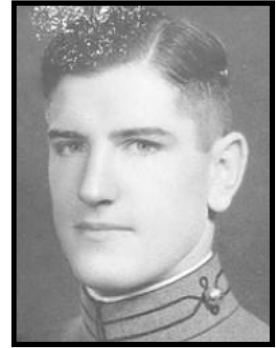
- Headquarters, XX Corps, General Orders No. 25 (1944)

Born: October 15, 1913 at Wyoming

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: March 10, 1992 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



SOLLOHUB, JULIAN VINCENT

Julian Sollohub graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Julian Vincent Sollohub (ASN: 0-20584), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 114th Engineer Combat Battalion, 32d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sollohub, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 32d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 164 (1945)

Born: April 6, 1916 at New York

Home Town: Schenectady, New York

Death: May 19, 2007 - Buried at: Springfield Cemetery - Springfield, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit



SOLOMON, MADDREY ALLEN

Maddrey Solomon graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Maddrey Allen Solomon, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 35th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Solomon,



without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 10 (August 18, 1945)

Born: September 26, 1908 at North Carolina

Home Town: Greensboro, North Carolina

Death: August 22, 1977 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

SPEISER, ROBIN GEORGE

Robin Speiser graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Robin George Speiser, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 738th Field Artillery Battalion, TWELFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Speiser, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: April 27, 1910 at Durango, Colorado

Home Town: Newburgh, New York

Death: January 29, 1986 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal



***SPENGLER, DANIEL STICKLEY [KIA (WWII)]**

Daniel Spengler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Daniel Stickley Spengler (ASN: 0-18684), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1110th Engineer Combat Group, EIGHTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, in June and July 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Spengler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, VIII Corps, General Orders No. 15 (1944)

Born: September 20, 1909 at Altoona, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Johnstown, Pennsylvania

Death: KIA: July 8, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart



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SPRAGINS, ROBERT LILY

Robert Spragins graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1913. He retired with disability in 1945 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Robert Lily Spragins (ASN: 0-3591), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, on 30 January 1943. At the height of the battle of the Bonegi River, Brigadier General Spragins led a front line attack aimed a rolling up the enemy left flank. Pinned to the ground by a curtain of enemy fire, he and a detachment of troops were caught between the Japanese outpost and the Japanese main line. In order to ascertain the location of the enemy's position, Brigadier General Spragins, taking cover in a gravel pit, kept popping his head up to see if he could find the enemy main lines. Finally, assuring himself of the enemy position, Brigadier General Spragins crept out into the waters of the Pacific Ocean, and crawled back partly under water to the American lines. There, he issued the necessary orders to mortar squads which opened fire with telling effect. He relayed the same data to the artillery, and the enemy strong points were demolished. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Spragins, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 94 (1943)
Born: November 12, 1890 at Huntsville, Alabama
Home Town: Huntsville, Alabama
Death: December 26, 1964 - Buried at: Maple Hill Cemetery - Huntsville, Alabama
Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Purple Hearts

ST. JOHN, ADRIAN, II

Adrian St. John graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1976 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Cavalry) Adrian St. John, II, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Assault Gun Troop of the 15th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 15th Cavalry Regiment, 66th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Brittany, France, on 4 August 1944. While storming the town of Chateuneuf, Captain St. John's lead tank was disabled by an enemy anti-tank gun and Captain St. John gave protective cover for and evacuated every member to safety. He reconnoitered for a bypass and on foot, led his tanks forward in the face of fire from enemy snipers and automatic weapons 100 yards away. About half a squad of Infantry joined the tanks and with this support, Captain St. John led the tanks into the town of Chateuneuf. While in Chateuneuf, he controlled the fire of the lead tank in silencing an enemy position in a hundred-yard fire duel. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain St. John, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 66th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 6 (1945)

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Born: November 16, 1921 at Kansas

Home Town: Burlington, Vermont

Death: January 6, 2007 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

***STABLEIN, MILFORD FRANKLIN [KIA (WWII)]**

Milford Stablein graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Major during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Cavalry) Milford Franklin Stablein (ASN: 0-22929), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of a Battalion of Combat Command "A", 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Stablein, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 64 (1945)

Born: January 31, 1916 at Erie, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Erie, Pennsylvania

Death: KIA: November 13, 1944 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart



STADLER, JOHN HARRY, JR.

John Stadler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1950 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) John Harry Stadler, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action in connection with combat operations against the enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 12th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Stadler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Cavalry Division, General Orders (1945)

Born: February 10, 1903 at Texas

Home Town: Brackettville, Texas

Death: April 20, 1970 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



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STALNAKER, GEORGE WINFIELD

George Stalnaker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) George Winfield Stalnaker (ASN: 0-23784), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-26 Marauder Bomber and Commanding Officer of the 391st Bombardment Squadron, 34th Bombardment Group (Heavy), NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. During the bomb run, Lieutenant Colonel Stalnaker's plane was hit by flak which critically damaged the right engine. Although his plane was losing altitude rapidly, Lieutenant Colonel Stalnaker, displaying unusual fortitude and skill, determined to lead his formation over the target. He ignored his personal safety and continued the bombing run. After releasing his bombs on the target, he peeled away from the formation, but remained at the control of his domed aircraft until all his crew had jumped to safety. Only then did Lieutenant Colonel Stalnaker himself abandon his ship which stalled and crashed in flames. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Stalnaker, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 205 (August 15, 1944)
Born: May 23, 1917 at Iowa
Home Town: East Orange, New Jersey
Death: September 4, 1999 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, 7@ Air Medals

STANDISH, FREDERICK DANA, II

Frederick Standish graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Frederick Dana Standish, II (ASN: 0-24981), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 376th Infantry Regiment, 94th Infantry Division, in Germany. During the period 15 February 1945 to 26 February 1945, Captain Standish, completely disregarding his own safety, fearlessly led his company, encouraging and inspiring his men by his bold, courageous example. When heavy casualties were sustained during the bitter conflict he brilliantly employed his under-strength company and captured more than 125 Germans. His calm, fearless leadership under fire, his loyalty, and his unswerving devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service.

- Headquarters, 94th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 106 (April 25, 1945)
Born: January 31, 1919 at Michigan
Home Town: Grosse Point, Michigan
Death: November 25, 1988 - Buried at: Beaufort National Cemetery - Beaufort, South Carolina
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)

STANN, LEON

Leon Stann graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Leon Stann (ASN: 0-24863), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of a Bombardment Squadron of the 401st Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. His B-17 aircraft severely damaged, and with a fire in the rear fuselage, Lieutenant Colonel Stann left the cockpit and, in intense danger to himself, personally extinguished the blaze and saved the aircraft and crew. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Stann, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 34 (March 5, 1945)

Born: January 20, 1918 at Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Home Town: Perth Amboy, New Jersey

Death: March 29, 1984 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 6@ Air Medals

STANNARD, JOHN EDWARD

After serving as an enlisted man early in World War II, John Stannard was one of two members of the Americal Division to receive an appointment to West Point. He entered and graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1946. He retired in 1975 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General. He received awards of the Combat Infantryman's Badge for service in World War II, Korea, and Vietnam.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Sergeant John Edward Stannard (ASN: 20710999), United States Army, for gallantry in action while engaged in military operations involving conflict with an armed hostile force while serving with the 164th Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy at Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Sergeant Stannard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the South Pacific Area, General Orders No. 224 (1943)

Born: February 3, 1922 at Kenmare, North Dakota

Home Town: Williston, North Dakota

Death: October 31, 1993 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars (Vietnam), 4@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, 38@ Air Medals

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STANSELL, JOSHUA ASHLEY [POW (WWII)]

Joshua Stansell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of August 1917. Captured during World War II while serving in the Philippine Islands, he survived the infamous Bataan Death March and was interned as a Prisoner of War. He retired in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Signal Corps) Joshua Ashley Stansell (ASN: 0-8599), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Signal Officer, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. When a special and elaborate signal network became necessary for the difficult operations in the Quinauan Point area involving radio, telephone, and signal flares to coordinate Infantry, Artillery and Naval activities over very difficult jungle terrain, Colonel Stansell successfully integrated this special signal network, frequently going through hostile rifle and machine gun fire and through areas known to be occupied by enemy snipers, without regard for his own personal safety, in order to locate and repair breaks in the telephone wires and to keep the operations in clearing the enemy from Quinauan Point and vicinity. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Stansell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: August 1, 1894 at South Carolina

Home Town: Elko, South Carolina

Death: January 9, 1962 - Buried at: Elko City Cemetery - Barnwell County, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Prisoner of War Medal

STANTON, RAYMUND GREGORY

Raymund Stanton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Raymund Gregory Stanton, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 126th Infantry Regiment, 32d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Leyte, Philippine Islands, in November 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Stanton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 23, 1905 at Fort Hancock, New Jersey

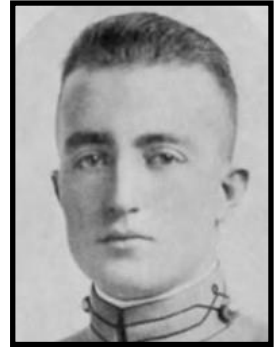
Home Town: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Death: July 1, 1977 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal

STARR, EDWARD MELVIN

Edward Starr graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edward Melvin Starr, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 124th Infantry Regiment, 31st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near the Mulita River, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, on 2 May 1945. Colonel Starr was in command of an infantry regiment when one of his battalions, which was leading the advance of the regiment, became engaged in a fierce fire fight. Colonel Starr, in order to determine the enemy situation, moved forward to the battalion command post although it was under almost constant enemy sniper and raking machine gun fire. In spite of this deadly enemy fire Colonel Starr left the command post, worked his way forward to the front line riflemen who were engaged in a bitter fire fight, and surveyed the situation remaining in the dangerous position for some time. His personal bravery and courage in the front lines, subjecting himself to the enemy machine gun and rifle fire, was a source of constant inspiration to his officers and men. These actions were above and beyond the call of duty of a regimental commander and reflect great credit on both Colonel Starr and the Service.

- Headquarters, 31st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 90 (1945)
Born: September 28, 1896 at Ohio
Home Town: Steubenville, Ohio
Death: January 6, 1980 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

STEED, THOMAS WEBSTER

Thomas Steed graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He retired with disability in 1952 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Thomas Webster Steed (ASN: 0-17331), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 456th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Steed, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 859 (February 22, 1945)
Born: October 18, 1904 at Mineral Bluff, Georgia
Home Town: Etowa, Tennessee
Death: October 21, 1973
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 7@ Air Medals

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STEINBECK, PAUL WILLIAM

Paul Steinbeck graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired with disability in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Paul William Steinbeck, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer, Division Artillery, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Steinbeck, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 43 (1945)

Born: March 9, 1907 at New Haven, Connecticut

Home Town: Cleveland, Ohio

Death: June 1, 2009 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Bronze Stars



STEINMETZ, ROLLIN THOMAS, JR.

Rollin Steinmetz graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Rollin Thomas Steinmetz, Jr. (ASN: 0-24720), United States Army, for gallantry in action as a member of Headquarters, 2d Cavalry Group (Mechanized), TWELFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against an armed enemy on 2 April 1945, in Germany. Major Steinmetz volunteered to lead a task force in the relief of the Headquarters and Rear Echelon of the 2d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, who had been attacked by the 6th SS Mountain Division, strength about 3,000. With two tanks and the Security Platoon of Group Headquarters, Major Steinmetz moved swiftly to the threatened point, attacked the enemy column on his flank and stopped his advance. Despite heavy enemy fire, which in one instance pierced his clothing and inflicted a slight wound, he remained continuously with his advanced elements and succeeded in conjunction with a battalion of Infantry, which had come up in support, in driving the enemy from the town. His personal courage, leadership and coolness in a position of great danger was a large factor in the repulse of the enemy attack and was above and beyond the normal call of duty of a staff officer. His audacity and leadership are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 55 (June 28, 1945)

Born: June 17, 1918 at Iowa

Home Town: Buffalo Center, Iowa

Death: March 3, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



STELLA, HARRY AMI

Harry Stella graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Harry Ami Stella (ASN: 0-23185), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant G-3 (Operations Officer), SIXTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy during the landings at New Britain, Biak, Leyte, and Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Stella's duties as liaison officer and G-3 observer necessitated his going ashore with assault forces on D-Day, thereby exposing himself to enemy aerial attacks and mortar and small arms fire. His suggestions were extremely valuable in planning and conducting the Legaspi operation on Luzon, Philippine Islands. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Stella, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, SIXTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 211 (1945)

Born: December 24, 1916 at Oelwein, Iowa

Home Town: Kankakee, Illinois

Death: February 8, 1997 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



STERN, HERBERT IRVING

Herbert Stern graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Herbert Irving Stern (ASN: 0-23957), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 325th Field Artillery Battalion, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Stern, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 84th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 178 (1945)

Born: Maryland

Home Town: Rockville, Maryland

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



STERNBERG, BEN

Ben Sternberg graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Ben Sternberg (ASN: 0-21286), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa and Sicily in 1943. During an advance upon the enemy, Colonel Sternberg,



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disregarding grave danger, boldly proceeded through a heavily mined area and succeeded in clearing a path for his men by personally disarming a number of mines. His dauntless courage and outstanding initiative won him the respect and admiration of his entire command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sternberg, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 7 (February 21, 1944)

Born: February 28, 1914 at Florida

Home Town: Starke, Florida

Death: January 2, 2004 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

STEVENS, BURROWES GOLDTHWAITE, JR.

Burrowes Stephens graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired with disability in 1954 as a U.S. Army Major.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Burrowes Goldthwaite Stevens, Jr. (ASN: 0-25950), United States Army, for gallantry in action in Northern France while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 90th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France. On 5 August 1944 at *****, France, the troops had the mission of securing a bridge. This bridge had been prepared for demolition. Lieutenant Stevens worked his platoon to a position to which it could be carried by assault and at the proper time gave the signal and personally led the assault on the bridge, which at the time was covered by small arms fire. He reduced the effectiveness of the enemy fire and charging it at a run prevented the enemy from completing the demolition, secured the bridgehead intact enabling tanks and heavy material to cross. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Stevens, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 54 (September 5, 1944)

Born: August 19, 1920 at Muscogee, Georgia

Home Town: Muscogee, Georgia

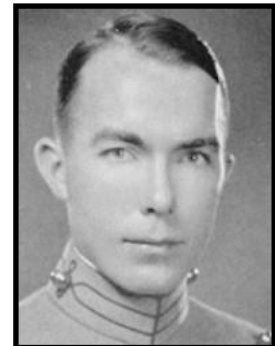
Death: January 17, 2009 - Buried at: Evergreen Cemetery - Portland, Maine

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

STEWART, DONALD BOYLE [POW (WWII)]

Donald Stewart graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was captured on February 14, 1943, in Tunisia, and was interned as a Prisoner of War. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Field Artillery) Donald Boyle Stewart (ASN: 0-23028), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Battery D, 1st Battalion, 17th Field Artillery Regiment, in action against the enemy at Sidi Bon Zid, Tunisia, on 14 February 1943. Captain Stewart kept his battery in action until it was overrun by enemy tanks. He then, with disregard for his own safety,



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directed his own men to positions of safety. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Stewart, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: March 17, 1915 at Detroit, Michigan

Home Town: Detroit, Michigan

Death: May 8, 1983 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

STEWART, LeROY JUDSON

LeRoy Stewart graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He was a member of the U.S. Army International Horse Show Team and participated in the 1932 Olympic Games. He retired in 1951 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General LeRoy Judson Stewart, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Division Artillery, 7th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Stewart, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 24 (1945)

Born: May 3, 1900 at Easley, South Carolina

Home Town: Easley, South Carolina

Death: January 13, 1983 - Buried at: Hollywood Cemetery - McComb, Mississippi

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

STILLMAN, ROBERT MORRIS [POW (WWII)]

Robert Stillman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. In 1954 he was named Commandant of Cadets for the newly activated U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colorado. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Robert Morris Stillman (AFSN: 1114A/ASN: 0-19760), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a B-26 Marauder Bomber in the 322d Bombardment Group (Medium), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Stillman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 74 (June 12, 1943)

Born: November 30, 1911 at Greenville, Ohio

Home Town: Pueblo, Colorado

Death: May 22, 1991 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

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STILWELL, RICHARD GILES

Richard Stilwell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1976 as a U.S. Army 4-Star General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Richard Giles Stilwell (ASN: 0-21085), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 315th Engineer Combat Regiment, and later as G-3 (Operations Officer) of the 90th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Stilwell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 73 (1945)

Born: February 24, 1917 at Buffalo, New York

Home Town: Falls Church, Virginia

Death: December 25, 1991 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Defense Distinguished Service Medal, 4@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 4@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal

STOKES, JOHN HARRISON, JR.

John Stokes graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired in 1956 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General John Harrison Stokes, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Commanding General of the 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Stokes, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 65 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General John Harrison Stokes, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Commanding General of the 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Stokes, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 27, 1895 at Freehold, New Jersey

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: November 9, 1968 - Buried at Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

***STORCK, LOUIS JOHN [KIA (WWII)]**

Louis Storck graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel during World War II. His son by the same name graduated from the Academy in 1951 and was killed in action in the Korean War, also earning a posthumous Silver Star.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Infantry) Louis John Storck (ASN: 0-15333), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Storck, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 22 (1944)

Born: July 1, 1897 at New Jersey

Home Town: Atlantic City, New Jersey

Death: KIA: July 30, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Normandy - Colleville-sur-Mer, France

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

STROMBERG, WOODROW WILSON

Woodrow Stromberg graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired with disability in 1968 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Woodrow Wilson Stromberg (ASN: 0-20728), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on 19 February 1944, in Italy. When the battalion commander fell wounded during an American attack, Lieutenant Colonel Stromberg, an Allied Force Headquarters observer, took command and directed successful continuance of the attack. In German artillery, Nebelwerfer rocket and mortar fire, he went forward to the observation post, where he stayed for two hours in the crucial period of the attack in order to direct it. In that time, both his radio operator and messenger were wounded by snipers and shell bursts. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Stromberg, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 62 (1944)

Born: January 27, 1913 at Minnesota

Home Town: Chicago, Illinois

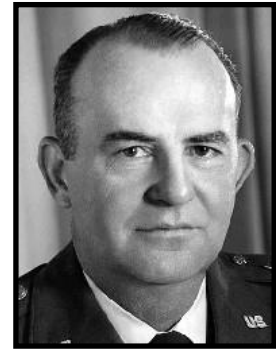
Death: September 18, 2000 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

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STROTHER, DEAN COLDWELL

Dean Strother graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. After serving in the Army Air Forces in World War II, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Dean Coldwell Strother (ASN: 0-18495), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-51 Mustang Fighter Airplane and as Commanding General of the 15th Fighter Command, 15th Air Force, in aerial operations against the enemy from 2 July to 28 July 1944. Brigadier General Strother was commanding a task force of P-51 Fighter Pilots in the Italy-to-Russia Shuttle. Through his expert planning and active participation in aerial combat, Brigadier General Strother enabled the Air Force to provide effective support to our Russian allies by inflicting grave damage to enemy equipment and supplies, contributing immeasurably to the Russian offensive then in progress. The Task Force destroyed 120 enemy aircraft in the air and on the ground, probably destroying 18, and damaging 38. Other enemy equipment immobilized included the destruction or damaging of four locomotives and 19 motor vehicles. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Strother, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3086 (September 3, 1944)

Born: February 12, 1908 at Winfield, Kansas

Home Town: Winfield, Kansas

Death: September 24, 2000 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 4@ Air Medals

STUMPF, ROBERT HENRY

Robert Stumpf graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Robert Henry Stumpf, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 391st Infantry Regiment, 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Stumpf, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 111 (1944)

Born: September 1, 1915 at Barberton, Ohio

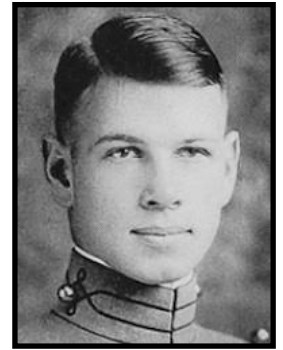
Home Town: Barberton, Ohio

Death: November 23, 1971 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

STURGIS, SAMUEL DAVIS, JR.

Samuel Sturgis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1918. He retired in 1956 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Samuel Davis Sturgis, Jr. (ASN: 0-9325), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief Engineer, SIXTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Sturgis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, SIXTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 240 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General Samuel Davis Sturgis, Jr. (ASN: 0-9325), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief Engineer, SIXTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Sturgis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: July 16, 1897 at St. Paul, Minnesota

Home Town: St. Paul, Minnesota

Death: July 5, 1964 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal

STYRON, JAMES CLYDE

James Styron graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired in 1952 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) James Clyde Styron (ASN: 0-177742), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 45th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in September 1943. When the Germans broke through the right flank of the 45th Infantry Division, the battalion covering that sector was cut off, and there was no Infantry between the enemy and the beach. When informed of the situation, Colonel Styron immediately moved to the threatened point and gathered artillerymen, engineers, and all available troops in the nearby vicinity. Out of this group, he formed a fighting force that under his personal leadership, successfully repulsed the attacking enemy until sufficient reinforcements arrived. His sound and aggressive leadership at a very critical time contributed materially to maintaining possession of the beach. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Styron, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 45th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 30 (1943)

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Born: June 17, 1898 at Texas

Home Town: Hobart, Oklahoma

Death: January 2, 1989 - Buried at: Hobart Rose Cemetery - Hobart, Oklahoma

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

SULLIVAN, JOHN STEPHEN, JR.

John Sullivan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Infantry) John Stephen Sullivan, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 273d Infantry Regiment, 69th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Sullivan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 69th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 21 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Infantry) John Stephen Sullivan, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 273d Infantry Regiment, 69th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Sullivan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 69th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (1945)

Born: March 29, 1921 at Washington, D. C.

Home Town: Highland Park, Illinois

Death: April 18, 2004 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

SUMMERALL, CHARLES PELOT, JR.

Charles Summerall graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Charles Pelot Summerall, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 91st Armored Artillery Battalion, 1st Armored Division. While the combat command of which his battalion was a part was being forced back by a greatly superior enemy force, Colonel Summerall, with complete disregard for his own welfare remained forward with his artillery, personally directing its rearward displacement. During this time he was continuously subjected to heavy enemy tank, artillery, and machine gun fire, and was also attacked by

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enemy aircraft. His efficient and untiring efforts were instrumental in making possible the withdrawal of troops from this area. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Summerall, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 21 (1943)

Born: June 16, 1902 at Washington, D. C.

Home Town: Phoebus, Virginia

Death: November 15, 1979 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

SUMMERS, JULIUS BOSWELL, JR.

Julius Summers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Julius Boswell Summers, Jr. (ASN: 0-23271), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Diver Bomber with the Far East Air Force, in aerial operations at Bali, in February 1942. First Lieutenant Summers was one of five diver bomber pilots who took part in a flight against the Japanese fleet off Bali. By his aerial skill, he sank an enemy cruiser. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Summers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Far East Air Force, General Orders No. 17 (February 23, 1942)

Born: December 29, 1915 at Tennessee

Home Town: Somerville, Tennessee

Death: September 1, 1999 - Buried at: Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery - San Diego, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross



SUNDIN, ALVAR BERTIL

Alvar Sundin graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Alvar Bertil Sundin, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 34th Field Artillery Battalion, 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, in June and July 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sundin, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

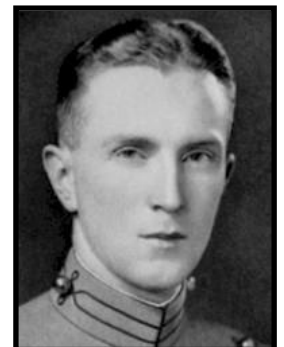
- Headquarters, 9th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 44 (1944)

Born: February 28, 1915 at New Bedford, Massachusetts

Home Town: New Bedford, Massachusetts

Death: July 2, 1981 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



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SUNDT, HARALD SIMPSON

Harald Sundt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918 (amended by an act of July 25, 1963), takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Harald Simpson Sundt (ASN: 0-18774), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 607th Tank Destroyer Battalion, 90th Infantry Division in Northern France. On 16 August 1944 in the vicinity of ****, France, during a very difficult engagement in which infantry forces, which his battalion was supporting, had captured the town of **** and were twice driven out, Lieutenant Colonel Sundt, without regard for his own personal safety, showed exceptional diligence in reconnoitering gun positions to best destroy enemy tanks. At one critical action, he personally manned a tank destroyer gun direct into the path of an enemy attack greatly assisting in the stopping of the enemy attack and the re-capture of the town. This gallant act under enemy fire was an inspiration to both the infantry and tank destroyer personnel and facilitated in closing the gap at **** and the destruction of the enemy force. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sundt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 63 (September 15, 1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918 (amended by an act of July 25, 1963), takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Harald Simpson Sundt (ASN: 0-18774), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 607th Tank Destroyer Battalion, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sundt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 27 (1944) & General Orders No. 28 (1944)

Born: October 9, 1910 at Las Vegas, New Mexico

Home Town: Las Vegas, New Mexico

Death: December 22, 1996 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ LOM, Bronze Star, Purple Heart



SURKAMP, ARTHUR THURSTON

Arthur Surkamp graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Corps of Engineers) Arthur Thurston Surkamp (ASN: 0-25935), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 159th Engineer Combat Battalion, attached to the 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant



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Surkamp, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 9 (1945)

Born: March 13, 1922 at New York

Home Town: Long Island, New York

Death: October 17, 2001 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 4@ Air Medals

*SUSANK, FIRMAN EDWARD [KIA (WWII)]

Firman Susank graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Air Forces First Lieutenant during World War II.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Firman Edward Susank (ASN: 0-25951), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a B-24 Liberator Bomber in the 760th Bombardment Squadron, 460th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, on or about 26 May 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Susank, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2465 (August 10, 1944)

Born: June 27, 1920 at Susank, Kansas

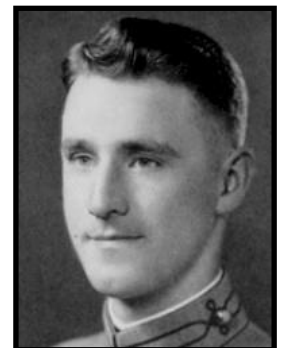
Home Town: Susank, Kansas

Death: KIA: May 26, 1944 - Buried at: Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Hoisington, Kansas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, 2@ Air Medals

SUSSMANN, WILLIAM ANTHONY

William Sussmann graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) William Anthony Sussmann, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 15th Tank Battalion, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sussmann, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 87 (1945)

Born: May 16, 1913 at New York

Home Town: Glendale, New York

Death: October 12, 2001 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit

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SUTHERLAND, EDWIN MALCOLM

Edwin Sutherland graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edwin Malcolm Sutherland, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 119th Infantry Regiment, 30th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sutherland, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 30th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 31 (1944)
Born: February 7, 1897 at Pennsylvania
Home Town: Kittanning, Pennsylvania
Death: August 17, 1967 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star



SUTHERLAND, EDWIN VAN VALKENBURG

Edwin Sutherland graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1977 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edwin Van Valkenburg Sutherland, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Maine, France, on 6 August 1944. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 59 (March 20, 1945)
Born: September 16, 1913 at New York, New York
Home Town: Germantown, Pennsylvania
Death: January 6, 1997 - Buried at: Green-Wood Cemetery - Brooklyn, New York
Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars

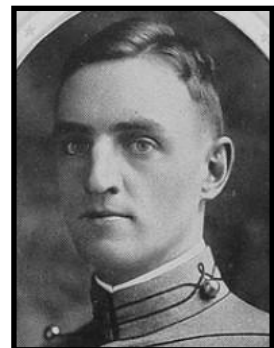


SWANTON, DONOVAN [POW (WWII)]

Donovan Swanton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of April 1917. He was captured in the Philippine Islands after the fall of Bataan during World War II, survived the Bataan Death March, and retired in 1951 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Third Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Donovan Swanton (ASN: 0-5314), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 51st Infantry Regiment (Philippine



Scouts), in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, on 22 January 1942. While personally leading an attack near Abucay Hacienda, Bataan, Colonel Swanton was severely wounded in the leg when his inexperienced troops prematurely exposed themselves, drawing heavy enemy rifle, mortar, and automatic weapons fire. Being the only American officer in the unit and no one present capable of taking command, he refused to be relieved or evacuated until his troops were disposed in defensive positions and the situation reported to his division commander. Through his gallant leadership, complete disregard for personal safety, and unremitting devotion to duty, Colonel Swanton prevented the probable annihilation of his command and made a conspicuous contribution to the heroic defense of Bataan. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Swanton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 68 (July 30, 1947)

Fourth Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Third Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Fourth Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Donovan Swanton (ASN: 0-5314), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 51st Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Swanton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

Born: September 21, 1891 at New York, New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: February 6, 1976 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War I), 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

SWEANY, KENNETH SHEARER

Kenneth Shearer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Kenneth Shearer Sweany, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Sweany, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, I Corps, General Orders No. 25 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Kenneth Shearer Sweany, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel



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Sweany, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 41st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 23 (1944)

Born: July 13, 1902 at Baltimore, Maryland

Home Town: Baltimore, Maryland

Death: August 8, 1992 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Air Medals

SWEENEY, WALTER CAMPBELL, JR.

Walter Sweeney graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1950. He retired as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General on August 1, 1965, and died four months later on December 22, 1965.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Walter Campbell Sweeney, Jr. (ASN: 0-18080), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-29 Superfortress Bomber of the 73d Bombardment Wing, TWENTIETH Air Force, in aerial operations on 9 March 1945. Colonel Sweeney was participating in the greatest mass flight of B-29 aircraft ever dispatched against a single target. The historical very long range low altitude attack was a carefully planned and superbly executed incendiary mission launched from bases in the Mariana Islands against urban Tokyo. Three Hundred B-29 aircraft dropped the greatest load of bombs ever carried over such a vast distance. With exceptional precision and with devastating effect plane after plane released its bomb load with an efficiency, thoroughness and intrepidity that left transportation and communication facilities, plants and installations a mass of blazing wreckage. By this bold stroke the enemy suffered a crushing blow, resulting in the complete destruction of 15 square miles of Japan's capitol city and the devastation of large industrial targets. Colonel Sweeney by his untiring efforts and initiative aided immeasurably in the careful and efficient preparation of this wing for its assigned task. His outstanding bravery and courageous leadership in the face of enemy opposition during this attack were a distinct contribution to the eminently successful conduct of this mission and will always be worthy of emulation.

- Headquarters, XXI Bomber Command, General Orders No. 41 (March 14, 1945)

Born: July 23, 1909 at Wheeling, West Virginia

Home Town: Wheeling, West Virginia

Death: December 22, 1965 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal

SWEETING, HARRY WILLIAM [POW (WWII)]

Harry Sweeting graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Harry William Sweeting (ASN: 0-19168), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with as Commanding Officer of the 756th Tank Battalion, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, on the



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afternoon of 5 February 1944. While in support of an Infantry regiment, Colonel Sweeting led a tank reconnaissance patrol to the forward Infantry elements then occupying the northern edge of a city. While en route, the patrol was pinned down by enemy artillery and sniper fire several times. At one point, Colonel Sweeting borrowed a rifle from an Infantryman and returned the fire of a sniper; another time, while studying the ground through his field glasses, a sniper sent a bullet through the sleeve of his jacket. He proceeded on his mission and the patrol secured accurate and detailed information from the Infantry upon which to base tank plans and action. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sweeting, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 34th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 23 (1944), G.O. 34 (1944) & G.O. 39 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Harry William Sweeting (ASN: 0-19168), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 756th Tank Battalion, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Sweeting, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 72 (1944)

Born: April 17, 1911 at Oregon

Home Town: Auburn, New York

Death: July 20, 1977 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

SWIFT, EBEN FRENCH

Eben Swift graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Eben French Swift (ASN: 0-23258), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 27th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division, in operations on Luzon, Philippine Islands, in January and February 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Swift, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: September 2, 1914 at Georgia

Home Town: Chicago, Illinois

Death: March 11, 1993 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal



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SWIFT, INNIS PALMER

Innis Swift graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1904. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Innis Palmer Swift (ASN: 0-1969), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, FIRST U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Luzon, Philippine Islands, on 3 May 1945. Disregarding his personal safety when subjected to direct enemy rifle and artillery fire, Major General Swift visited and remained with the most forward troops in their capture of a critical terrain feature in the Villa Verde Trail. His cool courage served as an inspiration to his troops and his advice and encouragement to the lower unit commanders contributed to the success of their combat. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Swift, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- War Department, General Orders No. 6 (January 14, 1947)

Born: February 7, 1882 at Fort Laramie, Wyoming

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: December 15, 1953 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

SWIFT, IRA PLATT

Ira Swift graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Armor) Ira Platt Swift (ASN: 0-12205), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 66th Armored Regiment, 2d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Swift, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 2d Armored Division, General Orders No. 59 (1944)

Born: February 8, 1898 at Chicora, Mississippi

Home Town: Chicora, Mississippi

Death: July 29, 1987 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

SWING, JOSEPH MAY

Joseph Swing graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. General Swing served in World War I, was an airborne pioneer in World War II and helped top commands in the Korean War. He later commander the Army War College. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Joseph May Swing (ASN: 0-3801), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Swing, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XXIV Corps, General Orders No. 10 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Joseph May Swing (ASN: 0-3801), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Swing, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, EIGHTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 13 (1945)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Major General Joseph May Swing (ASN: 0-3801), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Swing, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: February 28, 1894 at Jersey City, New Jersey

Home Town: Wausau, Nebraska

Death: December 9, 1984 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Air Medals

SYME, LEANDER DUNBAR

Leander Syme graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1949 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Leander Dunbar Syme, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 262d Infantry Regiment, 66th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of

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Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Syme, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 66th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 99 (1945)

Born: January 8, 1898 at Washington, D. C.

Home Town: Covington, Kentucky

Death: February 8, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars

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TABER, MORRIS FREDERICK [KIA (WWII)]

Morris Taber graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, New York, Class of 1938. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Air Forces Colonel during World War II.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Morris Frederick Taber (ASN: 0-21063), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-25 Mitchell Bomber in the 341st Bombardment Group (Medium), FOURTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the China-Burma-India Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Taber, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 14th Air Force, General Orders No. 53 (December 17, 1943)
 - Born: June 2, 1913 at Lewistown, Montana
 - Home Town: Lewistown, Montana
 - Death: KIA: April 8, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart*

TALBOTT, CORAL MAX [POW (WWII) KIA]

Coral Talbott graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. Captured by the Japanese after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died while being held at the infamous Cabanatuan Prisoner of War Camp.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Coral Max Talbott (ASN: 0-21313), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 31st Infantry Regiment, in action against the enemy at Abucay Hacienda, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in January 1942. During nine days under attack by the Japanese, Captain Talbott maintained his position in the face of the enemy's most severe assaults. The nine-day delaying action which was credited with stopping the Japanese onslaught in his sector. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Talbott, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, General Orders No. 23 (1942)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Coral Max Talbott (ASN: 0-21313), United States Army, for gallantry in

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action while serving with the 31st Infantry Regiment, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Talbott, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces in the Far East, General Orders No. 45 (1942)

Born: September 7, 1914 at Des Moines, Iowa

Home Town: Peoria, Illinois

Death: KIA as a POW: - Buried at: Parkview Cemetery - Peoria, Illinois

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

TANK, CHARLES FRANCIS

Charles Tank graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Charles Francis Tank, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 10th Engineer Combat Battalion, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, on 7 September 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Tank, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 28, 1909 at Syracuse, New York

Home Town: Syracuse, New York

Death: August 1, 1985 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



TANKSLEY, JEPHTA CHARLES

Jephtha Tanksley graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Jephtha Charles Tanksley (ASN: 0-26095), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of Company B, 1st Battalion, 363d Infantry Regiment, 91st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy during the battle for Hill 411 near Bologna, Italy, in October 1944. On the evening of a direct assault up the slopes of Hill 411, the first platoon leader became a casualty, and First Lieutenant Tanksley immediately chose to assume command of that platoon. The assault, under direct enemy fire, was successful. On 13 October 1944, Company B had wrested from the Germans a well-fortified position on commanding ground. The enemy almost immediately brought heavy counter-fire on Hill 411, and one mortar round exploded very close to First Lieutenant Tanksley, killing two soldiers and grievously wounded him. First Lieutenant Tanksley's gallant leadership and actions were critical to the successful completion of his regiment's mission. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Tanksley,



without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 91st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 53 (1944)

Born: December 18, 1920 at Baldwin, Georgia

Home Town: Baldwin, Georgia

Death: February 12, 1996 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

TANSEY, PATRICK HENRY, JR.

Patrick Tansey graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Armor) Patrick Henry Tansey, Jr. (ASN: 0-23915), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of the 21st Armored Infantry Battalion, 11th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. Major Tansey was called forward to assume command after the battalion commander was injured. While under intense enemy fire, he recognized the battalion was out of control, and by personal direction launched a successful attack on the *****. On another occasion when tanks and Infantry became temporarily out of control and were fighting each other, Major Tansey, in full view of enemy snipers and machine guns, personally reorganized the attack. Climbing on a tank under a barrage of fire, he calmly gave radio instructions to other tanks. Through his leadership and disregard of personal safety, he contributed greatly to the capture of *****. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Tansey, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Armored Division, General Orders No. 9 (1945)

Born: December 1, 1919 at Alexandria, Virginia

Home Town: Alexandria, Virginia

Death: October 15, 1999 - Buried at: Fort Leavenworth National Cemetery – Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Purple Hearts

TATE, JOSEPH SCRANTON, JR. [MIA (WWII) KIA]

Joseph Tate graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He was missing in action while serving as a U.S. Army Major after a bombing mission during World War II.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Joseph Scranton Tate, Jr. (ASN: 0-24034), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Bomber in the 328th Bombardment Squadron, 93d Bombardment Group (Heavy), NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations during the low-level bombing mission against the Oil Refineries at Ploesti, Romania, on 1 August 1943. During a long and hazardous attack against a vital enemy oil installation made at low-altitude by a formation of B-24 type aircraft, he flew through heavy enemy fire against impossible odds. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Tate, without regard for his own life, were in keeping

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with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 88 (September 15, 1943)

Born: February 17, 1918 at Marfa, Texas

Home Town: St. Augustine, Florida

Death: MIA: December 22, 1943 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Cambridge - Coton, England

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 2@ Purple Hearts, 5@ Air Medals

TAYLOR, JAMES, JR.

James Taylor graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) James Taylor, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 245th Field Artillery Battalion, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Taylor, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

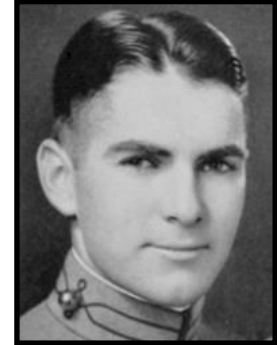
- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: August 25, 1915 at Texas

Home Town: La Junta, Colorado

Death: June 3, 2010 - Buried at: Beaufort National Cemetery - Beaufort, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Soldier's Medal, 2@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal



TAYLOR, MAXWELL DAVENPORT

Maxwell Taylor graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He was the first Allied general to land in France on D-Day. General Taylor served as the 20th Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army from June 30, 1955 to June 30, 1959, and retired from active service in July of 1959. President John F. Kennedy recalled him to active duty as the 5th Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, a position in which he served from October 1, 1962 to July 1, 1964. He again retired and became Ambassador to South Vietnam from 1964 to 1965. He died in Washington, D.C. on April 19, 1987 of Lou Gehrig's Disease, and was buried in Arlington National Cemetery.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Maxwell Davenport Taylor (ASN: 0-14898), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 82d Airborne Division, in action on 8 September 1943, in the vicinity of Italy. On 8 September 1943, General Taylor left *** and was met off *** by an ***** which took him to *****, when he traveled through hostile territory to the *** of *** for the fulfillment of his mission. General Taylor, in volunteering for the mission, did so with complete disregard of the imminent danger involved and without thought of personal safety. The gallantry displayed by General Taylor in the successful completion of his hazardous mission is worthy of emulation. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Taylor, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with



the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 33 (September 15, 1943)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Maxwell Davenport Taylor (ASN: 0-14898), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, 101st Airborne Division. Landing with the leading parachute elements of his Division in the liberation of Holland in the face of enemy fire, he assembled his staff and established the Division Command Post in the vicinity of Zen, Holland, on 17 September 1944. On the night of 19 September 1944, a strong force of enemy infantry and tanks attacked the town of Zen in an effort to capture or destroy the bridge over the Wilhelmina Canal, a vital point in the highway along which the British **** Corps was passing north to contact other forces at Arnham. Skillfully employing the small force of clerks, Signal Corps personnel and Military Police available, he personally led in the defense of the bridge and the Division Command Post. Upon the arrival of a small force of 57-mm. anti-tank guns, he personally directed their employment against the enemy armor and led in the successful defense of the area. His courage and inspiring leadership were in accordance with the military traditions of the United States.

- Headquarters, XVIII Corps (Airborne), General Orders No. 10 (December 9, 1944)

Born: August 26, 1901 at Keytesville, Missouri

Home Town: Keytesville, Missouri

Death: April 19, 1987 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 4@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

TAYLOR, OLIVER BURTIS

Oliver Taylor graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. During World War II, he became a U.S. Army Air Forces ACE, credited with shooting down 5 enemy aircraft in aerial combat and retired in 1946 as a Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Oliver Burtis Taylor (ASN: 0-22046), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-38 Lightning Fighter Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 14th Fighter Group, FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, on 10 January 1944. Colonel Taylor distinguished himself by his brilliant leadership and keen tactical skill as commander of a P-38 group formation on an escort mission to Bulgaria. In a 35-minute engagement, Colonel Taylor and his flight protected Allied bombers from attacks by 25 to 30 German Me-109s and FW-100s, and destroyed eight enemy aircraft, probably destroyed four, and damaged five. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Taylor, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 145 (March 15, 1944)

Born: August 14, 1915 at Salt Lake City, Utah

Home Town: Salt Lake City, Utah

Death: February 3, 2004

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 14@ Air Medals

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TAYLOR, WILLIAM NAILLE

William Taylor graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Naille Taylor (ASN: 0-18168), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 319th Infantry Regiment, 80th Infantry Division in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States on 4 September 1944, in France. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Taylor, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 80th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 49 (October 2, 1944)

Born: December 24, 1906 at Manila, Philippine Islands

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: February 22, 1988

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Bronze Star, Purple Heart



TEICH, FREDERIC CHARLES, JR. [DNB (1965)]

Frederic Teich graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He died in 1965 while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Frederic Charles Teich, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action as Executive Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 66th Infantry Regiment, 71st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Teich, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 71st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 27 (1945)

Born: June 22, 1915 at Connecticut

Home Town: Newington, Connecticut

Death: DNB: November 25, 1965 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



TERRELL, FREDERICK REYNOLDS

Frederick Terrell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Frederick Reynolds Terrell (ASN: 0-20230), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 47th Bombardment Group (Light), TWELFTH Air Force, in aerial operations in Tunisia, North Africa, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated



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devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Terrell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, XII Air Support Command, General Orders No. 18 (May 19, 1943)

Born: November 13, 1913 at Boonville, Missouri

Home Town: Los Angeles, California

Death: December 11, 1995 - Buried at: Riverside National Cemetery - Riverside, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

TERRY, FREDERICK GARSIDE [DNB (WWII)]

Frederick Terry graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He was killed while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II, when the liaison plane he was directing artillery fire from collided with an bomber.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Frederick Garside Terry (ASN: 0-18044), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as a Forward Observer with the General Staff, Army Ground Forces, Pacific, in action against the enemy at Saipan on 24 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Terry, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: August 27, 1907 at Quincy, Illinois

Home Town: East St. Louis, Illinois

Death: DNB: June 24, 1944 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

THATCHER, HERBERT BISHOP

Herbert Thatcher graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Herbert Bishop Thatcher (ASN: 0-18865), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-26 Marauder Light Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 99th Bombardment Wing, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in France, on 11 November 1943. When the Marauder Bomber he was piloting during a bombing mission near Cherbourg, France, was hit by enemy flak disabling one engine and wounding himself, notwithstanding his own wounds, Colonel Thatcher remained in the pilot seat and brought the bomber home on one engine, and landed safely. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Thatcher, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 188 (October 20, 1943)

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Born: May 1, 1909 at East Orange, New Jersey

Home Town: Boston, Massachusetts

Death: June 11, 1986 - Buried at: U.S. Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts, 9@ Air Medals

***THAYER, ALLEN [POW (WWII) KIA]**

Allen Thayer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he endured two years of captivity, and in 1944 the sinking of two Japanese "Hell Ships" on which he was being transported to Japan, before he died of exposure at sea on yet another "Hell Ship" on January 18, 1945.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Allen Thayer (ASN: 0-17297), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 62d Infantry Regiment, 61st Philippine Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Dalirig, Bukidnon, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, during May 7 and 8, 1942. During periods of heavy shelling of the 62d Infantry Regiment by the Japanese, Colonel Thayer made a number of personal visits to his front line units, thereby inspiring confidence in the unseasoned troops of his command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Thayer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: June 7, 1905 at Willimantic, Connecticut

Home Town: Putnam, Connecticut

Death: KIA as a POW: January 18, 1945 - Buried at: Riverside Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Columbus, Georgia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

THAYER, BASIL GIRARD

Basil Thayer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Basil Girard Thayer, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 10th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Thayer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 10th Armored Division, General Orders No. 40 (1945)

Born: July 16, 1898 at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri

Home Town: Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Death: January 23, 1960 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

THEIMER, JOHN ELLIOT

John Theimer graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) John Elliot Theimer (ASN: 0-17566), United States Army, for gallantry in action against an armed enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 695th Armored Field Artillery Battalion (Separate), in action against the enemy in France, on 7 September 1944. During the night of 6 - 7 Sep 1944, the 695th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, supporting a task force of the 7th Armored Division, moved to the Moselle River. Upon arrival of the task force, the enemy blew up the bridge. Colonel Theimer then led his battalion as it maneuvered next to Maisieres-Metz, taking positions from the Germans as well as a number of prisoners. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Theimer, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 135 (November 26, 1944)

Born: November 12, 1907 at Owatonna, Minnesota

Home Town: Owatonna, Minnesota

Death: May 31, 2001 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, 2@ Air Medals

THOMAS, RICHARD GARNER, JR.

Richard Thomas graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired with disability in 1945 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Richard Garner Thomas, Jr., United States Army, for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity while serving as Commanding Officer of the 15th Infantry Regiment, 3d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Thomas, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 11 (1946)

Born: March 2, 1902 at Little Rock, Arkansas

Home Town: Newport, Arkansas

Death: July 2, 1962 - Buried at: Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park - Clearwater, Florida

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Soldier's Medal, 2@ Bronze Stars

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THOMASON, JOEL FURMAN

Joel Thomason graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Joel Furman Thomason, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 29th Field Artillery Battalion, 45th Infantry Division, in action during the capture of Cherbourg, France, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Thomason, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 45th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 73 (1944)

Born: December 26, 1917 at Lee County, Iowa

Home Town: Rock Hill, South Carolina

Death: November 24, 2000 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



THOMPSON, JAMES VIRGIL

James Thompson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) James Virgil Thompson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 358th Infantry Regiment, 90th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Thompson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 76 (1945)

Born: August 27, 1894 at Kentucky

Home Town: Owingsville, Kentucky

Death: November 19, 1974 - Buried at: Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery - Fort Benning, Georgia

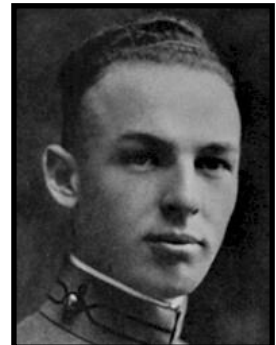
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



THOMSON, EARL FOSTER

Earl Thomson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Earl Foster Thomson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 10th Mountain Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Thomson, without regard for his own



life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Mountain Division, General Orders No. 112 (1945)

Born: August 14, 1900 at Ohio

Home Town: Fort Wayne, Indiana

Death: July 5, 1971

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

THORPE, GEORGE WILSON

George Thorpe was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) George Wilson Thorpe (ASN: 0-426518), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Navigator of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber of the FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Thorpe, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3897 (October 12, 1944)

Born: April 18, 1918 at North Carolina

Home Town: Newsoms, Virginia

Death: March 27, 1986 - Buried at: Marietta National Cemetery - Marietta, Georgia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Soldier's Medal, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 4@ Air Medals

THURSTON, BENJAMIN EASTON

Benjamin Thurston graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Benjamin Easton Thurston, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 376th Infantry Regiment, 94th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Thurston, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 94th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 144 (1945)

Born: September 13, 1903 at Minneapolis, Minnesota

Home Town: Minneapolis, Minnesota

Death: April 14, 1999 - Buried at: Tahoma National Cemetery - Kent, Washington

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Bronze Stars, 3@ Purple Hearts



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TIMBERLAKE, EDWARD JULIUS

Edward Timberlake graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Edward Julius Timberlake (AFSN: 603A), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-24 Liberator Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 93d Bombardment Group (Heavy), 8th Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Timberlake, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 35 (March 26, 1943)

Born: November 10, 1909 at Fort Hunt, Virginia

Home Town: Honolulu, Hawaii

Death: December 3, 1990 - Buried at: Six Oaks Cemetery - Hilton Head Island, South Carolina

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals



TIMBERLAKE, EDWARD WRENNE

Edward Timberlake graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of August 1917. He retired in 1950 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Edward Wrenne Timberlake, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 49th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Brigade, attached to the FIRST U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Timberlake, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIRST U.S. Army, General Orders No. 43 (1944)

Born: January 3, 1895 at Nashville, Tennessee

Home Town: West Point, New York

Death: February 11, 1980

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart



TIMOTHY, JAMES SIMMONS

James Timothy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) James Simmons Timothy, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company D, 1st Battalion, 313th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in France, on 12 July 1944. When several officers in charge of several platoons of assault troops were wounded,



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Captain Timothy reorganized the men and led them to accomplish their objective. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Timothy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 33 (1945)

Born: June 20, 1919 at West Point, New York

Home Town: Pinehurst, North Carolina

Death: January 24, 1994 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Vietnam), 3@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 3@ Bronze Stars, 14@ Air Medals

TINCHER, MAXWELL AWYN

Maxwell Tinchler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Maxwell Awyn Tinchler, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 899th Tank Destroyer Battalion, 9th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Tinchler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 9th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 142 (1945)

Born: September 6, 1914 at Steele Center, Minnesota

Home Town: Owatonna, Minnesota

Death: July 27, 1977 - Buried at: Golden Gate National Cemetery - San Bruno, California

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



TIPTON, NORMAN ERNEST

Norman Tipton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Norman Ernest Tipton, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 187th Glider Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy during the bloody fighting on Nichols Field, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in February 1945. In an assault against the stubbornly resisting Japanese who were well-entrenched in concrete gun emplacements and pillboxes, Lieutenant Colonel Tipton moved forward in the face of heavy enemy artillery and machine gun fire to an advanced spot from which he directed fire from an 11th Airborne Division howitzer battery against the enemy positions. While Japanese shells tore up the ground within 20 feet of him, he continued to call the shots over the radio to the gunners until the enemy guns were silenced. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Tipton, without regard for his own life, were in



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keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 33 (1945)

Born: April 30, 1909

Home Town: Rock Hill, South Carolina

Death: July 29, 1983 - Buried at: Oakwood Cemetery - Hickory, North Carolina

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal

TITUS, CALVIN PEARL, JR.

Calvin Titus was a non-graduating member of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. His father by the same name earned the Medal of Honor during the Boxer Rebellion in China in 1900, and subsequently was appointed to the U.S. Military Academy, where his Medal of Honor was awarded while he was a cadet.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Calvin Pearl Titus, Jr. (ASN: 0-432552), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with the NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the North Africa Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Titus, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 42 (May 16, 1943)

Home Town: Shreveport, Louisiana

Death: July 11, 1972

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, 2@ Air Medals

TOLSON, JOHN JARVIS, III

John Tolson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1973 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General, and was inducted into the Army Aviation Hall of Fame in 1975.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Jarvis Tolson, III (ASN: 0-20826), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 503d Parachute Infantry Regiment (Separate), ELEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Tolson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XI Corps, General Orders No. 13 (1945)

Born: October 22, 1915 at North Carolina

Home Town: Raleigh, North Carolina

Death: December 2, 1991 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (Vietnam), 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 45@ Air Medals



TOMPKINS, FRANCIS PARKER

Francis Tompkins was the grandson of Civil War Medal of Honor recipient Charles Henry Tompkins. He graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1918 and retired in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Francis Parker Tompkins (ASN: 0-11210), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, Reserve Command, 7th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, from 7 to 17 April 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Tompkins, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 65 (April 21, 1945)

Born: October 6, 1896 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Home Town: Northfield, Vermont

Death: July 10, 1971 - Buried at: Mount Hope Cemetery - Northfield, Vermont

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

TOTH, ALFRED LUKACS

Alfred Toth graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Alfred Lukacs Toth, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 9th Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Toth, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 103 (1945)

Born: December 18, 1917 at Connecticut

Home Town: Clifton, New Jersey

Death: January 24, 2016 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts

*TOTH, JERRY GEZA [MIA (WWII) KIA]

Jerry Toth graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was missing in action and presumed killed in action during fighting in the Philippine Islands while serving as a U.S. Army Captain.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Infantry) Jerry Geza Toth (ASN: 0-23065), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 45th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. On many occasions he disregarded his own safety in a

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demonstration of aggressive leadership, especially on or about 7 April 1942, when he assumed the initiative and gallantly organized and led scattered groups against greatly superior enemy forces. His disdain for danger in his effort to fulfill his self-assumed mission resulted in the loss of his life, but in material gain for the Bataan defense. Captain Toth brought great credit upon himself and upheld the fine traditional ideals of the military profession.

- War Department, General Orders No. 114 (October 1, 1946)

Born: March 17, 1915 at Michigan

Home Town: Clifton, New Jersey

Death: MIA: April 7, 1942 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

TRAIN, WILLIAM FREW, JR.

William Train graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Frew Train, Jr. (ASN: 0-18415), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 112th Infantry Regiment, 28th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Belgium, in December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Train, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 28th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 9 (1945)

Born: January 23, 1908 at Savanna, Georgia

Home Town: Savanna, Georgia

Death: November 27, 2006 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



TRAPNELL, THOMAS JOHN HALL [POW (WWII)]

Thomas Trapnell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He survived the Bataan Death March following the Battle of the Philippines in 1942. He remained a prisoner of war until he was rescued in 1944 by Russian forces in Manchuria. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Thomas John Hall Trapnell (ASN: 0-16782), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 26th Cavalry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Trapnell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Volume 4: PC1, General Orders No. 11 (1942)



Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Thomas John Hall Trapnell (ASN: 0-16782), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 26th Cavalry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Trapnell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 23, 1902 at Yonkers, New York

Home Town: Yonkers, New York

Death: February 13, 2002 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

TRAVIS, ROBERT FALLIGANT [DNB (1950)]

Robert Travis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He was killed in an air accident in 1950 while serving as an Air Force Brigadier General. Travis Air Force Base was named for him.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Robert Falligant Travis (ASN: 0-17187), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding General of the 41st Bombardment Wing, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. Brigadier General Travis distinguished himself while leading a flight of B-17 Flying Fortress Bombers to bomb an important target in Germany, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Travis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 223 (December 8, 1943)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General Robert Falligant Travis (ASN: 0-17187), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding General of the 41st Bombardment Wing, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, on 11 January 1944. Brigadier General Travis elected to lead a heavy bombardment division of Flying Fortress Bombers on a mission over Germany, from the co-pilot's seat of the leading aircraft of the formation. As the bombers crossed the German border, a large force of enemy fighters attacked with a viciousness that made it obvious that they intended, at all costs, to destroy the leading elements of the formation. In spite of these relentless attacks, Brigadier General Travis maintained perfect air discipline and maneuvered the formation over the assigned target. A crippling blow was dealt to one of the enemy's most important units of war production. The outstanding success achieved was attributable to his tenacity of purpose and brilliant leadership, and his gallantry was an inspiration to all members of his command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Travis, without regard for his

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own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 128 (March 6, 1944)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General Robert Falligant Travis (ASN: 0-17187), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding General of the 41st Bombardment Wing, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Travis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 347 (May 9, 1944)

Born: December 26, 1905 at Savannah, Georgia

Home Town: Savannah, Georgia

Death: DNB: August 5, 1950 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), 4@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Purple Heart, 4@ Air Medals

TRAVIS, WILLIAM BARRETT

William Travis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) William Barrett Travis, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 346th Infantry Regiment, 87th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Travis, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 87th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 66 (1945)

Born: July 24, 1911 at Brooklyn, New York

Home Town: Ridgewood, New Jersey

Death: March 5, 1995 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



TREACY, EDGAR JOSEPH, JR. [POW (KOREA) MIA-KK]

Edgar Treacy graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was captured during the Korean War and interned as a Prisoner of War. He was not among those returned at the wars end, and is listed as Missing in Action. His remains have never been recovered.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Edgar Joseph Treacy, Jr. (ASN: 0-19892), United States Army, for gallantry in action as G-3 (Operations Officer) for the



FOURTEENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Treacy, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XIV Corps, General Orders No. 11 (1945)

Born: January 10, 1914 at Woodhaven, New York

Home Town: Cedarhurst, Long Island, New York

Death: MIA as a POW: May 31, 1951 - Buried at: National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific (Courts of the Missing) - Honolulu, Hawaii

Personal Awards: SS (World War II), SS (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts, Prisoner of War Medal

TRIPLET, WILLIAM SAMUEL

William Triplet graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Samuel Triplet (ASN: 0-15815), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, Combat Command "A", 7th Armored Division, in action in Germany, on 27 March 1945. Colonel Triplet's gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself, the 7th Armored Division, and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 62 (April 11, 1945)

Born: September 21, 1899 at Missouri

Home Town: Sedalia, Missouri

Death: January 21, 1994

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts



TRUESDELL, KARL, JR.

Karl Truesdell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Karl Truesdell, Jr. (ASN: 0-19258), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 95th Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, while leading a formation of heavy bombers on a shuttle mission during the period from 18 September to 22 September 1944. On the first leg of the operation, Colonel Truesdell, as Task Force Commander, maneuvered his units through strong enemy opposition to accomplish his assignment, and continued on, landing at a friendly base. The following day, he led the bombers against a heavily defended installation in enemy-occupied territory. Nearing the target, the formation was subjected to intense ground fire, Colonel Truesdell's plane sustained four hits. With one engine knocked out, another engine disabled and the right wing of the plane in flames, he resolutely maintained his position in the formation and led his units over the assigned target. After successfully bombing the target, Colonel Truesdell relinquished the lead position and in his capacity as Co-Pilot, assisted the pilot in flying the crippled aircraft to a friendly base. On 22 September 1944, he led the formation back to bases in England. Throughout the entire



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operation, Colonel Truesdell's personal gallantry, leadership and devotion to duty were an inspiration to all serving under him.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 510 (October 10, 1944)

Born: May 14, 1908 at Plattsburg Barracks, New York

Home Town: Plattsburg, New York

Death: August 22, 1978 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals

TRUMAN, LOUIS WATSON

Louis Truman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Louis Watson Truman (ASN: 0-18755), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Truman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 20, 1908 at Kansas City, Missouri

Home Town: Kansas City, Missouri

Death: December 2, 2004 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

*TRUXTUN, THOMAS [KIA (WWII)]

Thomas Truxtun graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Thomas Truxtun (ASN: 0-20623), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 210th Field Artillery Battalion, 33d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Truxtun, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 21, 1914 at Washington, D.C.

Home Town: Waterbury, Connecticut

Death: KIA: June 6, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

TUCKER, REUBEN HENRY

Reuben Tucker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Reuben Henry Tucker (ASN: 0-19894), United States Army, for gallantry in action on 21 December 1944, near *****, Belgium. In the development of the attack of his regiment across the ***** River during a critical phase of the Ardennes Campaign, Colonel Tucker, Commanding the 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, personally directed the pincer operations designated to capture two strategic towns. While one reinforced battalion was struggling for *****, he advanced with the lead elements of the Third Battalion against ***** through densely wooded and mountainous terrain under intense 20-mm. and artillery fire. Colonel Tucker coolly coordinated the attack on the town, exposed to and with calm disregard of enemy action. His encouraging and inspirational presence served to stimulate his troops to greater endeavor. ***** was quickly captured. Supporting fire delivered from its heights insured the successful completion of the assault on the other wing. Colonel Tucker's courage and front-line leadership was thus instrumental in the elimination of a most dangerous group of enemy strong points, troops and material. His gallant conduct throughout the action typified the highest traditions of the United States Airborne Forces.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 119 (September 13, 1945)

Born: January 29, 1911 at Ansonia, Connecticut

Home Town: Ansonia, Connecticut

Death: January 6, 1970 - Buried at: Beaufort National Cemetery - Beaufort, South Carolina

Personal Awards: 2@ Distinguished Service Crosses (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

TUCKER, ROBERT EUGENE

Robert Tucker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Robert Eugene Tucker (ASN: 0-19938), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 254th Infantry Regiment, 63d Infantry Division, in action on 19 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ensheim, Germany. Colonel Tucker was directing the attack of his battalion on the Siegfried Line from a forward observation point when an enemy shell set fire to a vital dump of white phosphorous ammunition close by. Without regard for his personal safety, he dashed across the fire-swept hill top to fight the fire. Although he was painfully burned by the exploding ammunition, he did not seek medical aid until he had extinguished the fire and saved much of the important ammunition. Such gallantry under conditions of great danger merits the highest respect for Colonel Tucker. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Tucker, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 63d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 318 (July 3, 1945)

Born: April 14, 1911 at Massachusetts

Home Town: Medford, Massachusetts

Death: December 25, 1996 - Buried at: Hampton National Cemetery - Hampton, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

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TULLY, JOSEPH MERIT

Joseph Tully graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1916. He retired with disability in 1951 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Joseph Merit Tully (ASN: 0-4464), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Assistant Commanding General of the 90th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Tully, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 76 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Brigadier General Joseph Merit Tully (ASN: 0-4464), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Assistant Commanding General of the 90th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Tully, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 340 (1945)

Born: October 4, 1893 at Orange, New Jersey

Home Town: Orange, New Jersey

Death: May 1, 1963 – Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery – San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



TURNER, HOWARD McMATH

Howard Turner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1924. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Howard McMath Turner (ASN: 0-15721), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber Aircraft and as Commanding Officer of the 1st Bombardment Division, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Turner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 223 (December 8, 1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Howard McMath Turner (ASN: 0-15721), United States Army Air Forces,



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for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a Bomber Aircraft and as Commanding Officer of the 1st Bombardment Division, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Turner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 229 (March 29, 1944)

Born: February 21, 1902 at Avoca, Iowa

Home Town: Avoca, Iowa

Death: June 25, 1965 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross

TURNER, VERNON RICHARD [POW (WWII)]

Vernon Turner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. As a Fighter Pilot during World War II, he was credited with shooting down two enemy aircraft in aerial combat before he was himself shot down, captured, and held as a Prisoner of War. After serving in the Army Air Forces in World War II, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1974 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) Vernon Richard Turner (ASN: 0-26113), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-47 Thunderbolt Fighter Airplane of the 366th Fighter Group, NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Turner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 144 (May 21, 1944)

Born: January 3, 1920 at Idalou, Texas

Home Town: Levelland, Texas

Death: July 16, 1975 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, 14@ Air Medals, Prisoner of War Medal

TUTTLE, PAUL VERNON, JR.

Paul Tuttle graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Paul Vernon Tuttle, Jr. (ASN: 0-21896), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 23d Infantry Regiment, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel



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Tuttle, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: February 5, 1916 at Fort Lyon, Colorado

Home Town: Fort Lyon, Colorado

Death: July 24, 1994 - Buried at: Old Chapel Columbarium - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars

TWADDELL, JAMES WALTER, JR.

James Twaddell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) James Walter Twaddell, Jr. (ASN: 0-20254), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Bomber Airplane in the 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), Far East Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1942. Lieutenant Colonel Twaddell led an attack on Rabaul, New Britain, which resulted in the sinking of one Japanese cruiser and damage to another warship. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Twaddell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 18 (June 6, 1942)

Born: August 31, 1911 at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Death: November 22, 1993 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



TYSON, ROBERT NABORS

Robert Tyson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Robert Nabors Tyson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 5th Field Artillery Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa, during the period from January to May 1943. When heavy enemy artillery fire destroyed communications with elements of his battalion and necessitated a withdrawal, Colonel Tyson speedily reorganized his batteries for a counterattack. His courage, superior leadership, and brilliant tactical maneuvering in the ensuing battle inspired the men of his command and contributed materially in the decisive defeat of the enemy. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Tyson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 25 (May 31, 1943)



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Born: 1911 at Alabama

Home Town: Montgomery, Alabama

Death: February 9, 2005 - Buried at: Christ Church Cemetery - Weems, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

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UGLOW, HOMER HARVEY [POW (WWII) KIA]

Homer Uglow graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. Captured at the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died aboard a Japanese "Hell Ship" while being transported to Japan in 1945.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Homer Harvey Uglow (ASN: 0-20708), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 45th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in the Philippine Islands, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Uglow, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
Born: September 20, 1911 at Scottsbluff, Nebraska
Home Town: Scottsbluff, Nebraska
Death: KIA as a POW: January 28, 1945 - Buried at: Fairview Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Scottsbluff, Nebraska
Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

ULSAKER, CARL COMER

Carl Ulsaker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Carl Comer Ulsaker (ASN: 0-24815), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 378th Infantry Regiment, 95th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Ulsaker, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 95th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 98 (1945)
Born: November 1, 1920 at Carthage, Texas
Home Town: San Antonio, Texas
Death: June 22, 2012 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, 6@ Air Medals

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UPTHEGROVE, FAY ROSCOE

Fay Upthegrove graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Fay Roscoe Upthegrove (ASN: 0-16885), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 304th Bombardment Wing (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the North Africa Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Upthegrove, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, Northwest African Strategic Air Force, General Orders No. 31 (July 25, 1943)

Born: January 28, 1905 at Port Allegheny, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Bradford, Pennsylvania

Death: January 8, 1992 - Buried at: Saint Bonaventure Cemetery - Allegany, New York

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 11@ Air Medals

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VAN AUKEN, WENDELL GRANT

Wendell Van Auker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) Wendell Grant Van Auker (ASN: 0-26269), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company C, 1st Battalion, 232d Infantry Regiment, 42d Infantry Division, in action on 23 April 1945 near Dockingen, Germany. As Lieutenant Van Auker's company approached their objective, they encountered intense small arms fire. While his men sought cover Lieutenant Van Auker remained upright and moved along the front urging them forward, at times advancing beyond the leading elements of his company. As a result of his example his men left cover followed him forward and over ran the enemy. By his outstanding courage and leadership, Lieutenant Van Auker was responsible for the capture of Dockingen. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 42d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 143 (1945)
Born: June 10, 1920 at Humboldt County, Iowa
Home Town: Buffalo, Wyoming
Death: December 7, 1991 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

VAN BIBBER, EDWIN MICHAEL

Edwin Van Bibber graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edwin Michael Van Bibber, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 313th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in during the Battle of Cherbourg, France, in July 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Van Bibber, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 27 (1944)
Born: November 3, 1904 at Maryland
Home Town: Bel Air, Maryland
Death: January 17, 1967 - Buried at: Saint George's Episcopal Church Cemetery - Perryman, Maryland
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

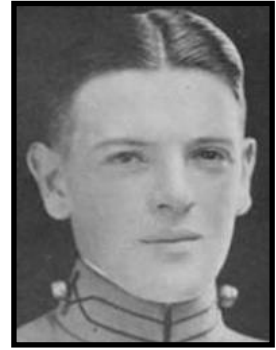
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VAN BRUNT, RINALDO

Rinaldo Van Brunt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1925. He retired with disability in 1962 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Rinaldo Van Brunt (ASN: 0-16225), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Chief of Staff of the TWENTY-THIRD U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Van Brunt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, XXIII Corps, General Orders No. 59 (1945)

Born: December 13, 1901 at Tallahassee, Florida

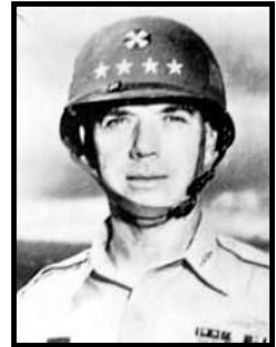
Home Town: Tallahassee, Florida

Death: June 18, 1989 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), Bronze Star, Air Medal

VAN FLEET, JAMES ALWARD

James Van Fleet's ancestry can be traced back to the Revolutionary War, where his grandfather, Joshua Jan Van Fleet, joined New York Militia in 1779. The elder Van Fleet went on to become a New York legislator and state judge, before retiring to serve as a Colonel in the state militia. His father and mother, William and Mendora Van Fleet, owned property in Chicago and were friends of Abraham Lincoln. William Van Fleet subsequently served in Union Army during Civil War. James Van Fleet graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point in the Class of 1915. After World War II, he was sent to Greece, as executor of the "Truman Doctrine" where he was instrumental in the outcome of Greek Civil War by providing advice to the Greek government as well as administering \$400 million in aid. A square in the Northern Greek city of Kastoria was named after him for many years. In 1951, he replaced General Matthew B. Ridgway as commander of the U.S. Eighth Army and United Nations forces in Korea. He lost his only son, an Air Force officer, in the Korean War. At the time of his death in 1992 he was the oldest living general officer in the United States.



Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) James Alward Van Fleet (ASN: 0-3847), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 8th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Van Fleet, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 52 (1944)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star Medal to Major General James Alward Van Fleet (ASN: 0-3847), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 8th Infantry Regiment, 4th Infantry

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Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Van Fleet, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 96 (1944)

Born: March 19, 1892 at Coytesville, New Jersey

Home Town: Bartow, Florida

Death: September 23, 1992 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 3@ Distinguished Service Crosses (World War II), 4@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War I), 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, 3@ Purple Hearts

***VAN NOSTRAND, WILLIAM STARR [POW (WWII) KIA]**

William Van Nostrand graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, in 1944 he survived the sinking of the Japanese "Hell Ship" Oryoku Maru," only to be re-captured and sent to Japan aboard the "Enoura Maru", which was bombed in Formosa. He died of wounds received in that bombing.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) William Starr Van Nostrand (ASN: 0-19522), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 81st Infantry Regiment (Philippine Army), in action against the enemy in Davai Province, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, in 1942. Lieutenant Colonel Van Nostrand traversed dangerous jungle trails to personally inspect and visit the personnel of his command. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Van Nostrand, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: July 28, 1910 at Merrill, Wisconsin

Home Town: Merrill, Wisconsin

Death: MIA as a POW: 1945 - Buried at: Merrill Memorial Park (Cenotaph) - Merrill, Wisconsin

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, POW

VAN VLIET, JOHN HUFF, JR. [POW (WWII) ESCAPEE]

John Van Vliet graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He was captured by the enemy in Tunisia in 1943, but escaped and recaptured twice, before his third successful escape. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Huff Van Vliet, Jr. (ASN: 0-20828), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 168th Infantry Regiment, 34th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, North Africa, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Van Vliet, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Army Forces, Mediterranean Theater of Operations, General Orders No. 77 (1946)

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Born: November 4, 1914 at Texas

Home Town: Red Bank, New Jersey

Death: February 5, 2000 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star w/V, Prisoner of War Medal*

VANDENBERG, HOYT SANFORD

Hoyt Vandenberg graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1923. He rose to the rank of Lieutenant General in the Army Air Forces during World War II, earning a Silver Star among other awards. Transferring to the new U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947, he served from 1947 to 1948 as the FIRST Vice Chief of Staff of the Air Force, and subsequently from 1948 to 1953 as the SECOND Chief of Staff of the Air Force. He retired in 1953 as a U.S. Air Force 4-Star General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Hoyt Sanford Vandenberg (ASN: 0-15355/4A), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Chief of Staff of the Northwest African Strategic Air Force, in aerial operations in the North Africa Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Vandenberg, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Northwest African Strategic Air Force, General Orders No. 5 (April 14, 1943)

Born: January 24, 1899 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Home Town: Lowell, Massachusetts

Death: April 2, 1954 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: *2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Air Force Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, 5@ Air Medals*

VANDEVANTER, ELLIOTT

Elliott Vandevanter graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Elliott Vandevanter (ASN: 0-21989), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber in the 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), Far East Air Force, in aerial operations in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Vandevanter, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Far East Air Force, General Orders No. 22 (February 12, 1942)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Elliott Vandevanter (ASN: 0-21989), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Bomber in the 385th Bombardment



Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Vandevanter, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 22 (January 27, 1944)

Born: June 12, 1917 at Baltimore, Maryland

Entered Service From Virginia

Death: December 22, 1974 - Buried at: Union Cemetery - Leesburg, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals

VAUGHAN, WILLIAM JOHN DOOLEY

William Vaughan graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) William John Dooley Vaughan (ASN: 0-23978), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Company of the 1st Infantry Regiment, 6th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Maffin Bay, New Guinea, on 10 July 1944. Captain Vaughan led a supply carry-party, including a number of litter teams and medical personnel, through enemy-held territory to an isolated rifle company which was badly in need of medical supplies, water, rations, and ammunition. With utter disregard for his own personal safety, he constantly exposed himself to enemy fire, aggressively led the group forward and neutralized all enemy resistance to reach the hard-pressed company with vital supplies. He tirelessly assisted in treating the wounded and led the evacuating party back during the hours of darkness. His outstanding leadership and cool strategy was entirely responsible for the rescue to the beleaguered unit and is worthy of the highest praise. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Vaughan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, SIXTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 98 (1945)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) William John Dooley Vaughan (ASN: 0-23978), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as S-2 (Intelligence Officer) of the 6th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy behind Japanese lines on Luzon, Philippine Islands, in November and December 1944. Major Vaughan debarked from a submarine under cover of darkness at Santiago Cove, Luzon, on 23 November 1944. He immediately contacted the local guerrilla leader who hid him from the enemy, provided him with guides, and conducted him to the vicinity of Luna, where he coordinated the intelligence-gathering functions of the guerrillas. On 20 December, he went to another town in an area more thickly infested with Japanese, and coordinated the intelligence activities in that sector. Major Vaughan, by his skillful and courageous reconnaissance over a period of almost two months in Japanese territory, made a substantial contribution to the Luzon Campaign. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Vaughan, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: Pennsylvania

Home Town: Upper Darby, Pennsylvania

Death: November 23, 1993

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

VERBECK, WILLIAM JORDAN

William Verbeck graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Major General.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Jordan Verbeck (ASN: 0-16852), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 21st Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Pinamopoan, Leyte, Philippine Islands, on 11 November 1944. The regiment of infantry which Colonel Verbeck was commanding had been held up for five days by a determined Japanese force of infantry and artillery. The enemy was strongly entrenched in the gulches and on the reverse slopes of a commanding ridge about two thousand yards southwest of Pinamopoan. They were fresh first-line troops, equipped with a high percentage of automatic weapons. At this critical time Colonel Verbeck organized a striking force consisting of one platoon of medium tanks protected by the regimental intelligence and reconnaissance platoon and one engineer mine detector squad, and personally led it on foot to the crest of the ridge, from which point the infantry and tanks were, for the first time, able to advance and hold ground. The turning point had been reached. From then on our troops were able to move steadily forward. Colonel Verbeck's example of bravery and energy had inspired his troops with the drive needed to overcome an aggressive well-trained enemy force and is in keeping with the highest military traditions.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 33 (1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Jordan Verbeck (ASN: 0-16852), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 21st Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Gusay, Mindoro, Philippine Islands, on 20 January 1945. Colonel Verbeck advancing at the head of his regiment which was moving toward the enemy defended strong point on Gusay led a patrol of eight men in order to ascertain the exact location of the enemy. Without realizing the proximity of the enemy his patrol suddenly came upon a large force of enemy infantry which was forming up to move to intercept the advance of the 21st Infantry. Although only twenty-five yards from the enemy force, Colonel Verbeck so disposed his men as to be unobserved by the enemy. Falling back stealthily toward his most advanced forces, Colonel Verbeck with about twenty men laid an ambush for the enemy force. He caused the remainder of the Regiment to halt in position so as not to be detected by the advancing enemy force. Colonel Verbeck and his small force ambushed the enemy force with heavy surprise fire and then charged the confused enemy force. During the hand-to-hand combat that followed Colonel Verbeck personally killed three enemy soldiers and one officer. The confused and demoralized enemy dispersed and fled leaving a large proportion dead. Colonel Verbeck then



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summoned forward heavy mortars and fired upon the enemy Gusay force with such effect that heavy casualties were caused. The surprise and fire forced the enemy force of over 400 men to hastily evacuate Gusay which was occupied without loss to our forces. So swift and direct had been the whole action that the 21st Infantry sustained not a single casualty. Colonel Verbeck's action this day is outstanding as a headlong military action and reflects credit upon himself and the military service.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 38 (June 5, 1945)

Third Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Jordan Verbeck (ASN: 0-16852), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 21st Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, on 2 March 1945. Colonel Verbeck led a patrol of three men on a night reconnaissance in front of his own leading elements to locate Japanese machine guns and to rescue any of the four men who were still missing after the operations of the preceding afternoon. Although wounded himself, he completed the reconnaissance and brought the patrol back to his own positions safely. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Verbeck, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 45 (1945)

Born: January 20, 1904 at Manlius, New York

Home Town: Manlius, New York

Death: November 4, 1965 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), LOM, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts

*VESEY, ROBERT HALE [POW (WWII) MIA-KIA]

Robert Vesey graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of November 1918. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died in captivity shortly after his capture.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Robert Hale Vesey (ASN: 0-12217), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 73d Infantry Regiment, 71st Philippine Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Marantae, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, on 2 May 1942, and subsequently for sacrificing his life in July 1942 in a prison camp in order to protect four of his men who had escaped. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Vesey, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: February 6, 1899 at Kaufman County, Texas

Entered Service From Arkansas

Death: MIA as a POW: July 3, 1942 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

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VINCENT, CLINTON DERMOTT [DNB (1955)]

Clinton Vincent graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. During World War II, he became a U.S. Army Air Forces ACE, credited with shooting down 6 enemy aircraft in aerial combat. He served as the model for Milton Caniff's comic strip characters "Colonel Vince Casey" and Brigadier General P.G. 'Shanty' Town" during and after World War II. He was the youngest USMA Graduate promoted to General in the 20th Century, and retired as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General. After the war he transferred to the new U.S. Air Force, and died in his sleep in 1955 while serving as an Air Force Brigadier General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Clinton D. Vincent (ASN: 0-20189), United States Army Air Forces, for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action while serving as a Pilot of a Fighter Airplane of the 23d Fighter Group, TENTH Air Force, in action in East China during the period 22 to 27 November 1942. Lieutenant Colonel Vincent, immediately after reporting for duty at this headquarters, accompanied the mission over East China from 22 November to 27 November, when seven raids were made in five days. He volunteered in each and every one of these missions, and flew actively in six of them. In his very first raid he went low and strafed enemy shipping and installations. Over Canton, on 27 November 1942, he aggressively attacked and shot down an enemy fighter and delivered fire on several others in an action where our forces were faced by superior numbers of the enemy. The voluntary acts of this staff officer in engaging in six out of the first seven combats of the China Air Task Force on a most active front, and the coolness, gallantry and intrepidity of his flying was an example to the officers and men of this command.

- Headquarters, China Air Task Force, General Orders No. 19 (December 20, 1942)

Born: November 29, 1914 at Gail, Texas

Home Town: San Antonio, Texas

Death: DNB: July 5, 1955 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ DFC, Purple Heart, 5@ Air Medals

VOLCKMANN, RUSSELL WILLIAM

Russell Volckmann graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He escaped captivity at the fall of Bataan on 9 April 1942, joining and eventually leading Philippine Guerilla forces. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Russell William Volckmann (ASN: 0-19537), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 11th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Volckmann, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: October 23, 1911 at Clinton, Iowa

Home Town: Clinton, Iowa

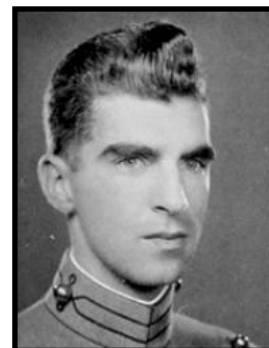
Death: June 30, 1982 - Buried at: Springdale Cemetery - Clinton, Iowa

Personal Awards: 2@ Distinguished Service Crosses (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

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***WALD, WALTER ISRAEL [POW (WWII) MIA-KIA]**

Walter Wald graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died when the Japanese "Hell Ship" Shinyo Maru was sunk by an American submarine in 1944.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Field Artillery) Walter Israel Wald (ASN: 0-23150), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 61st Field Artillery Regiment, Philippine Scouts, in action against the enemy in defense of Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Wald, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 2, 1914 at Fort DeRussy, Hawaii

Home Town: Mount Clemens, Michigan

Death: MIA as a POW: September 7, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

WALKER, EDWIN ANDERSON

Edwin Walker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He retired as a U.S. Army Major General. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Edwin Anderson Walker, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Regiment, 1st Special Service Force, in action against the enemy during the landings at Levant and Port Cross, on the Southern Coast of France, in August 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Walker, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 10, 1909 at Center Point, Texas

Home Town: Center Point, Texas

Death: October 30, 1993 - Buried at: Center Point Cemetery - Center Point, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars

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WALKER, FRED LIVINGOOD, JR.

Fred Walker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1966 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Fred Livingood Walker, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 143d Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Walker, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 81 (1944)

Born: Ohio

Home Town: Fairbault, Minnesota

Death: December 21, 2012

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



WALKER, WALTON HARRIS [DNB (1950)]

Walton Walker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1912. He was a highly decorated veteran of World War I and World War II. In Korea he commanded 8th Army until his death in an automobile accident on December 23, 1950. He was posthumously promoted to General.

Third Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star Medal to Major General Walton Harris Walker (ASN: 0-3405), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the TWENTIETH U.S. Army Corps, in against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations. When Infantry troops of the TWENTIETH Corps launched an attack across the Vire River in the vicinity of Airel, 7 July 1944, and came under intensive enemy fire, General Walker made repeated visits to the disputed sector and exposed himself to mortar and artillery concentrations at the front in order to encourage the officers and men making the crossing. By his personal gallantry, he expedited the vital assault and contributed to the establishment of the bridgehead. General Walker's conduct reflects credit upon himself and the military service.

- Headquarters, XIX Corps, General Orders No. 21 (July 12, 1944)

Born: December 3, 1889 at Belton, Texas

Home Town: Belton, Texas

Death: DNB: December 23, 1950 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Distinguished Service Cross (Korea), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War I), Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



WALLACE, NEIL MERTON

Neil Wallace graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Neil Merton Wallace, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 66th Field Artillery Battalion, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in France. During the advance from Avranches to Rennes, France, on 1 August 1944, Lieutenant Colonel Wallace, realizing that speed was essential, placed himself at the head of a column and with complete disregard for his own personal safety, took active command of the situation, at times leading the forward movement of self-propelled artillery. His efforts, undertaken in the face of grave danger and accomplished with utter disregard for his personal safety, materially aided the advance. His courage and devotion to duty served as an inspiration to the officers and men of his command, reflect great credit on himself, and are in keeping with the highest traditions of the Military Service.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 17 (1944)

Born: December 18, 1910 at New York

Home Town: Clymer, New York

Death: May 17, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 4@ Purple Hearts

WALLACH, MARSHALL

Marshall Wallach graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Cavalry) Marshall Wallach, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron (Mechanized), 94th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Wallach, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 94th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 90 (1945)

Born: Massachusetts

Home Town: Warrenton, Virginia

Death: December 29, 2004

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

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WALSH, BIRRELL [MIA (WWII) KIA]

Birrell Walsh graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. As a U.S. Army Air Forces Lieutenant Colonel, he was Missing in Action after a bombardment mission in 1945.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps), [then Major] Birrell Walsh (ASN: 0-18109), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving with the 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), Far East Air Force, in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations. On 8 December 1941, during the initial bombing raid by the enemy which occurred at Clark Field, Pampanga, Philippine Islands about noon time, which involved more than 75 twin engine bombers, followed by over one hour of intensive ground strafing by approximately 75 enemy fighters and dive bombers, Lieutenant Colonel Walsh, Operations Officer of the 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), directed personally the dispersion of the airplanes of the Group. During the entire period of attack, with rarely an opportunity for cover, he supervised the defense of valuable Air Corps equipment. His cool conduct and excellent example under fire had a most steadying influence on his men, all of whom were under fire for the first time. The actions of Lieutenant Colonel Walsh were above and beyond the call of duty, and resulted in the saving of much life and property.

- Headquarters, 10th Air Force, General Orders No. 11 (June 10, 1942)

Born: June 7, 1907 at Rugby, North Dakota

Home Town: Jonesville, Wisconsin

Death: MIA: February 10, 1945 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Air Medal

WALSH, JAMES HOWARD

James Walsh graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. After serving in the Army Air Forces in World War II, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) James Howard Walsh (ASN: 0-19824), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with the XII Bomber Command, 12th Air Force, in aerial operations in the North Africa Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. As Operations Officer, Colonel Walsh contributed to the combat efficiency and outstanding strategic bombing of the Wing. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Walsh, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Northwest African Strategic Air Force, General Orders No. 10 (May 29, 1943)

Born: December 14, 1911 at Carbondale, Pennsylvania

Home Town: Carbondale, Pennsylvania

Death: February 10, 2000 - Buried at: Rosario Cemetery - Santa Fe, New Mexico

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 4@ Air Medals

WALSH, LOUIS ALFRED, JR.

Louis Walsh graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired with disability in 1966 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Louis Alfred Walsh, Jr. (ASN: 0-19567), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Luzon Campaign in the Philippine Islands, on the night on 1945. Lieutenant Colonel Walsh helped plan and execute the raid on the Los Banos internment camp, resulting in the liberation of 2,146 civilians, for his gallantry on the night of 14 February, when the Japanese staged a heavy attack on a regimental command post. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Walsh, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 39 (1945)

Born: May 29, 1911 at New York

Home Town: New York, New York

Death: May 17, 1987 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V



WALSON, CHARLES WILLIAM

Charles Walson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Charles William Walson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Tank Battalion, 33d Armored Regiment, 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Walson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

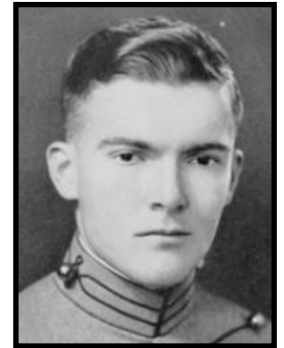
- Headquarters, 3d Armored Division, General Orders No. 50 (1945)

Born: March 12, 1916 at Hawaii

Home Town: Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana

Death: August 15, 2001 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



*WARD, JOSEPH HESTER [KIA (WWII)]

Joseph Ward graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Major during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Coast Artillery Corps) Joseph Hester Ward (ASN: 0-23823), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer, 439th Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 4th



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Armored Division, in action in Germany, on 5 April 1945. Major Ward destroyed five enemy vehicles and insured the ultimate destruction of an entire column of enemy. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Ward, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Air Defense Artillery Bulletin

Born: March 5, 1918 at Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Home Town: Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Death: KIA: April 5, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Netherlands - Margraten, Holland

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, Purple Heart

WARD, ORLANDO

Orlando Ward graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1914. He retired in 1953 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Orlando Ward (ASN: 0-3729), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 1st Armored Division, in North Africa, in March 1943, when he distinguished himself in action against an armed enemy. General Ward with utter disregard for his own safety, rallied and organized a successful attack of infantry and tank elements against a strongly-held enemy position. The action of General Ward in the face of intense enemy fire from all classes of weapons reflects the finest traditions of the Armed Forces, and is deserving of the highest praise.



- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 4, 1891 at Macon, Missouri

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: February 5, 1972 - Buried at: Fairmount Cemetery - Denver, Colorado

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War I), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

WARE, RICHARD SAMUEL, JR.

Richard Ware graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Second Lieutenant (Field Artillery) Richard Samuel Ware, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as a Forward Observer with a Field Artillery Battalion of the 71st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Second Lieutenant Ware, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 71st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 96 (1945)

Born: December 24, 1919 at Virginia

Home Town: Petersburg, Virginia

Death: October 1, 1991 - Buried at: Blandford Cemetery - Petersburg, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)

***WARREN, MILLER PAYNE, JR. [POW (WWII) KIA]**

Miller Warren graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he and was held as a prisoner of War until his return to U.S. Military control at the end of hostilities in May 1945. as a Prisoner of War by the Japanese until 1944 when he was placed on a Japanese "Hell Ship" for transport to Japan. After surviving the sinking of that first "Hell Ship," he was transferred to another, and died when it was inadvertently bombed by American aircraft on January 9, 1945.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Infantry) Miller Payne Warren, Jr. (ASN: 0-19280), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Senior Instructor, 21st Division, Philippine Army, in action against the enemy on 3 January 1942, near Porac, Pampangua, Luzon, Philippine Islands. A strong enemy force, screened behind a large moving column of civilian evacuees, infiltrated the defense position and launched a sudden and vicious attack. Major Warren stepped into the ensuing breach and, by his vigorous action and heroic example, inspired the troops and organized the defense so that the position was stabilized and the line was held. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Warren, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 118 (October 11, 1946)
 - Born: January 2, 1909 at Texas
 - Home Town: Midlothian, Texas
 - Death: KIA as a POW: January 9, 1945 - Buried at: National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific - Honolulu, Hawaii
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal*

WARREN, ROBERT BUTLER

Robert Warren graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Robert Butler Warren, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Engineer Combat Battalion, 2d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Warren, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 2d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 96 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Robert Butler Warren, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Chief of Staff of the 99th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Warren, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 99th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 78 (1945)

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Born: November 21, 1909 at Windom, Minnesota

Home Town: Windom, Minnesota

Death: June 7, 1976 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

WARREN, SHIELDS, JR.

Shields Warren graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry), [then Major] Shields Warren, Jr. (ASN: 0-22103), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 508th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, from 6 June 1944 to 4 July 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Warren, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 47 (August 19, 1944)

Born: March 21, 1916 at Florida

Home Town: Apalachicola, Florida

Death: January 26, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts



WATERS, JOHN KNIGHT [POW (WWII)]

John Waters graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He was the son-in-law of Army General George S. Patton, Jr. He retired with disability in 1966 as a U.S. Army 4-Star General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Knight Waters (ASN: 0-18481), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 1st Armored Regiment, 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, North Africa in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Waters, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Armored Division, General Orders No. 23 (1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Knight Waters (ASN: 0-18481), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 1st Armored Regiment, 1st Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Tunisia, North Africa in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Waters, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



Third Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Knight Waters (ASN: 0-18481), United States Army, for gallantry in action while a Prisoner of War in Germany, on 6 April 1945, when elements of the 4th Armored Division attacked the German garrison and released about 1,400 American captives. During the action, the American forces unknowingly fired into the Serbian compound, a section of the camp. At the request of the senior Serbian officer, Colonel Waters, with two others, heroically disregarded grave dangers and volunteered to carry a flag of truce between the opposing forces and inform the liberators of the Serbians' plight. On this hazardous mission, he was severely wounded by a German soldier at close range as he traversed the battlefield. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Waters, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 63 (1945)

Born: December 20, 1906 at Baltimore, Maryland

Home Town: Potomac, Maryland

Death: January 9, 1989 - Buried at: Immanuel Episcopal Church Cemetery - Sparks, Maryland

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts, Prisoner of War Medal

WATKINS, GAULDEN MCINTOSH

Gaulden Watkins graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. He retired with disability from war wounds in 1948 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Gaulden McIntosh Watkins, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 143d Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Watkins, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 372 (1944)

Born: Georgia

Home Town: Boston, Georgia

Death: February 25, 1958

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



WATLINGTON, THOMAS MORGAN

Thomas Watlington graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Thomas Morgan Watlington (ASN: 0-16780), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the Corps Artillery, THIRD U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty



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demonstrated by Colonel Watlington, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: May 22, 1904 at San Antonio, Texas

Home Town: Denver, Colorado

Death: July 22, 1990 - Buried at: Llano Cemetery - Amarillo, Texas

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, Air Medal

WATSON, LEROY HUGH

Leroy Watson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He retired in 1953 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Leroy Hugh Watson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General, 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Watson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XIX Corps, General Orders No. 18 (1944)

Born: November 3, 1893 at St. Louis, Missouri

Home Town: St. Louis, Missouri

Death: February 12, 1975 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War I), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars



WATSON, NUMA AUGUSTIN

Numa Watson attended Cornell University for one year before entering the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, where he graduated with the Class of 1922. He retired in 1956 as a U.S. Army Major General. His only son by the same name, also a West Point graduate (1954), was Killed in Action in the Korean War.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Numa Augustin Watson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 13th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Watson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 61 (1945)



Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Numa Augustin Watson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 13th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Watson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 8th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 105 (1945)

Born: September 6, 1899 at Salem, New Jersey

Home Town: Fort Sheridan, Illinois

Death: November 18, 1981 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

WATT, JOHN [DNB: 1969]

John Watt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He died in 1969 while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Watt (ASN: 0-21901), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 182d Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, during World War II. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Watt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Watt (ASN: 0-21901), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 182d Infantry Regiment, 23d Infantry Division (Americal), in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Watt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: April 2, 1916 at Louisiana

Home Town: Waterbury, Connecticut

Death: DNB: September 10, 1969 – Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery – West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



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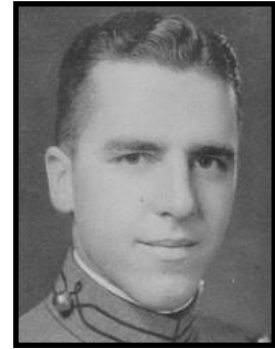
WAUGH, RICHARD RAWLINS [DNB (1945)]

Richard Waugh graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He died in 1945 as a U.S. Army Air Forces Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Richard Rawlins Waugh (ASN: 0-20124), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 2d Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, on 16 March 1945. Colonel Waugh led a wing formation on a bombing mission against a vital oil installation in Austria. Despite severe and adverse weather conditions which required last minute changes in the briefed procedure, Colonel Waugh, by his excellent judgment and outstanding leadership, brought the wing formation directly to the target area. On the bombing run his aircraft was seriously damaged by intense and accurate anti-aircraft fire which wounded one crew member. Despite the crippled condition of his aircraft, Colonel Waugh and his pilot struggled to hold the lead position and gallantly led the formation over the target for a highly successful bombing run inflicting grave damage to vital enemy installations. After bombs away Colonel Waugh's aircraft suffered additional serious damages and was forced to leave formation. Instructing the deputy commander to take over the formation, Colonel Waugh set course for the Russian lines despite the fact that his aircraft was rapidly losing altitude. Forced to crash land in a field in Hungary under extremely difficult conditions, Colonel Waugh, displaying outstanding airmanship and determination, brought his aircraft down safely without further injury to the crew. By his conspicuous gallantry, professional skill, courageous leadership, and intense devotion to duty, evidenced throughout his combat career, Colonel Waugh has reflected great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 3272 (May 18, 1945)
 - Born: March 25, 1911 at Omaha, Nebraska
 - Home Town: Jackson, Mississippi
 - Death: DNB: October 18, 1945 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Purple Hearts, 2@ Air Medals



WEAVER, JAMES RAINER

James Weaver graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Rainier Weaver, United States Army, for gallantry in action as Adjutant General, SECOND Amphibious Corps, in the action against the enemy in the initial landings in North Africa, on 8 November 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Weaver, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates
 - Born: October 20, 1914 at Philippine Islands
 - Home Town: Washington, D. C.
 - Death: October 3, 1990 - Buried at: Skylawn Memorial Park - San Mateo, California
 - Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)



WEAVER, JAMES ROY NEWMAN [POW (WWII)]

James Weaver graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1911. He was captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, and spent the remainder of the war interned by the Japanese as a Prisoner of War. He retired with disability in 1948 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General James Roy Newman Weaver (ASN: 0-3100), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General, Provisional Tank Group, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Weaver, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 43 (1943)

Born: May 20, 1888 at Fremont, Ohio

Home Town: Fremont, Ohio

Death: August 29, 1967 - Buried at: San Francisco National Cemetery - San Francisco, California

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

WEAVER, WILLIAM GAULBERT

William Weaver graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1912. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Major General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General William Gaulbert Weaver (ASN: 0-3413), United States Army, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Assistant Division Commander of the 90th Infantry Division in Northern France. On 1 August 1944, near ****, France, when the advance of the leading elements of "Task Force Weaver" spear-headed the drive to cut through the German defensive near **** and were stopped in front of the city by small arms and artillery fire, General Weaver personally went forward in the column, directed the rapid development of the situation under fire and quickly took the town by the rapid movements which he directed from his advanced position under artillery and small arms fire. Again on 6 August 1944, he showed aggressive leadership in the capture of **** leading the same supporting forces in the same aggressive manner. Later, in the attack on ****, he showed gallantry in action in directing and leading an attack on a force defending the road to **** while a part of his task force encircled a bridge which was strongly held by a force and had numerous anti-tank guns in depth along the road for 20 to 25 miles. This action resulted in the capture of some five hundred prisoners, destruction of much material and the capture of the Northern half of the city of ****, France. General Weaver's action and aggressive leadership was an inspiration to those under him and is in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 59 (September 12, 1944)

Born: November 24, 1888 at Louisville, Kentucky

Home Town: Louisville, Kentucky

Death: November 25, 1970 - Buried at: Cave Hill Cemetery - Louisville, Kentucky

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War I), Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

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***WEBB, CLYDE HENRY, JR. [MIA (WWII) KIA]**

Clyde Webb graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. After earning a Silver Star early in World War II, he received a second silver star, posthumously, for his last mission in which all members of his crew were lost, and each of them also awarded a posthumous Silver Star.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Clyde Henry Webb, Jr. (ASN: 0-22999), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber in the 93d Bombardment Squadron, 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTH Air Force, in aerial operations over Rabaul, New Britain, on 25 May 1942. En route to their target, First Lieutenant Webb and his air crew were intercepted by a dozen Zeros and continuous anti-aircraft fire. The B-17 fought off the attackers, reached the objective and dropped their bombs squarely on the enemy airfield at Rabaul, with telling effect. Three enemy Zeros were shot down. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Webb, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 43 (September 1, 1942)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Air Corps) Clyde Henry Webb, Jr. (ASN: 0-22999), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber of the 93d Bombardment Squadron, 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), FIFTH Air Force, in action at Milne Bay, New Guinea, on 26 August 1942. Captain Webb was Pilot of a B-17E type aircraft which was part of a formation of eight planes that attacked a Japanese convoy in Milne Bay. Adverse weather conditions forced it to approach the target from an altitude of 2,000 feet. Despite a heavy anti-aircraft barrage which was sent up by five enemy warships, Captain Webb continued on the bombing run until his plane received a direct hit and burst into flames, causing it to crash into the bay. Such courage and devotion to duty exemplify the finest traditions of the United States Army Air Corps.

- Headquarters, 5th Air Force, General Orders No. 38 (December 2, 1942)

Born: Letcher County, Kentucky

Home Town: Eldorado, Illinois

Death: MIA: August 26, 1942 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (WW II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, Air Medal

***WEBER, EDWARD ERNEST BRUNO [KIA (WWII)]**

Edward Weber graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Edward Ernest Bruno Weber (ASN: 0-19580), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 179th Infantry Regiment, 45th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on 30 May 1944, in Italy. Lieutenant Colonel Weber went

forward to the head of Company L of his battalion at a time when communications with the company were severed and the company was under severe artillery and machine gun fire. He personally manned the sole available observation post although under enemy observation and covered by fire from direct laying weapons. He was killed while conducting artillery fire on German installations. Lieutenant Colonel Weber's gallantry and leadership reflect high credit on the Armed Forces.

- Headquarters, 45th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 140 (1944)
Born: 1909 at Philippine Islands
Home Town: Portland, Oregon
Death: KIA: May 30, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Sicily-Rome - Nettuno, Italy
Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

***WEBSTER, THOMAS JAMES [KIA (WWII)]**

Thomas Webster graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Major during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Field Artillery) Thomas James Webster (ASN: 0-21831), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the Artillery Section, FIFTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy Italy, in September 1943. When it became necessary to ascertain the strength and enemy positions in a certain hamlet, Major Webster crawled on the ground across no man's land and into enemy territory, from time to time exposing himself to draw their fire. Then he crawled back to his own life with his right coat sleeve torn away from enemy fire, but with the information that the artillery needed in order to continue their campaign. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Webster, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 110 (1943)
Born: August 22, 1916 at Avon, New York
Home Town: Bath, New York
Death: KIA: October 27, 1943
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart



WELBORN, JOHN CLINTON

John Welborn graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel. His father, Colonel Ira C. Welborn (USMA 1898) earned a Medal of Honor in the Spanish-American War.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) John Clinton Welborn (ASN: 0-18863), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 70th Tank Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Sicily in July and August 1943. When sixteen enemy tanks suddenly attacked and disorganized his battalion while he was preparing an attack, Colonel Welborn commandeered a nearby tank and with



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utmost calm and skill, rallied his battalion and courageously led a counterattack which completely routed the enemy. Colonel Welborn's exceptional daring stimulated the morale in his unit. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Welborn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 44 (September 3, 1943)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) John Clinton Welborn (ASN: 0-18863), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 33d Armored Regiment, 3d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Welborn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 3d Armored Division, General Orders No. 50 (1945)

Born: May 15, 1909 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Home Town: South Portland, Maine

Death: March 15, 1995 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Silver Stars, 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star

*WELLS, RUSH SPENCER, JR. [KIA (WWII)]

Rush Wells graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Major during World War II.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Infantry), [then Captain] Rush Spencer Wells, Jr. (ASN: 0-23191), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 192d Infantry Regiment, 36th Infantry Division, in action from 15 November to 19 December 1943, in Italy. Major Wells led his men in the holding of the mountain and in the subsequent capture of another mountain, which permitted the expansion of the entire division front. Although operating for long periods over rocky terrain ingeniously mined and booby-trapped and under constant artillery, mortar and small arms fire from the enemy, he moved along with his front-line troops, encouraging them and directing them on to their ultimate achievement. Throughout the operations, where difficult trails were made tortuous by severe weather, he worked day and night with little or no rest, leading, supervising and directing his forces to the defeat of a well-entrenched enemy. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Wells, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 81 (1944)

Born: November 5, 1914 at Alabama

Home Town: Rosedale, Mississippi

Death: KIA: January 28, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Sicily-Rome - Nettuno, Italy

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Purple Hearts



WELSH, WILLIAM JOHN, JR.

William Welsh graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Infantry) William John Welsh, Jr. (ASN: 0-26339), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 647th Tank Destroyer Battalion, in action against the enemy in Belgium, in December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Welsh, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: March 14, 1920 at Newburgh, New York

Home Town: Newburgh, New York

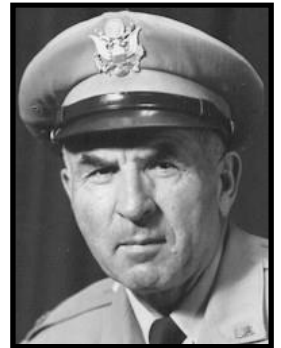
Death: May 31, 1981 – Buried at Arlington National Cemetery – Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

WESNER, CHARLES WILLIAM

Charlie Wesner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired in 1957 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Charles William Wesner, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 6th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, Combat Command "B" of the 9th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in Belgium, during the Battle of the Bulge in December 1944. All during the bitterly fought movement, Colonel Wesner visited his observer parties on the front lines with the 27th Armored Infantry Battalion and his presence and advice bolstered their morale. His personal supervision of the supply and expenditure of ammunition enabled the battalion to meet the urgent calls for fire in a highly satisfactory manner despite the harassment of enemy fire, the constant threat of capture and the loss of two urgently needed Service Battery trucks with personnel and ammunition. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Wesner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 9th Armored Division, General Orders No. 76 (1945)

Born: October 29, 1901 at Poysippi, Wisconsin

Home Town: Oshkosh, Wisconsin

Death: August 9, 1967 - Buried at: Plummer Cemetery - Oshkosh, Wisconsin

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

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WETHE, JAY DUANE

Jay Duane Wethe graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He resigned in 1954 as a U.S. Army Major

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Air Corps) Jay Duane Wethe (ASN: 0-25889), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as a member of the Air Crew of a Bomber in the 410th Bombardment Group (Light), NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Wethe, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 42 (March 5, 1945)

Born: May 21, 1921 at Mitchell, South Dakota

Home Town: Mitchell, South Dakota

Death: October 2, 2004 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Purple Hearts, 13@ Air Medals

WEYRAUCH, PAUL RUSSELL

Paul Weyrauch graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired with disability in 1958 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Paul Russell Weyrauch, United States Army, for gallantry in action with the SIXTH U.S. Army, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Weyrauch, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, SIXTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 210 (1944)

Born: January 2, 1908 at California

Home Town: Spokane, Washington

Death: May 6, 1959 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, Air Medal

WHEELER, LESTER LEWES

Lester Wheeler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Lester Lewes Wheeler (ASN: 0-19951), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 34th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy on the Philippine



Islands, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Wheeler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 171 (1945)

Born: November 26, 1910 at Baltimore, Maryland

Home Town: Baltimore, Maryland

Death: May 5, 1999 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), 2@ Legion of Merit, 5@ Bronze Stars w/V, Air Medal

WHEELER, PATRICK WESTER [KIA (WWII)]

Patrick Wheeler graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He was killed in action serving as a U.S. Army Captain in the Philippine Islands just two years after graduation.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Patrick Wester Wheeler (ASN: 0-25825), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Company G, 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, on 1 December 1944. With his company held up by close range machine gun and rifle fire, Captain Wheeler moved forward, with utter disregard for his own safety, and destroyed the enemy machine gun position, then dispersing the riflemen with bazooka fire. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Wheeler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 57 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Infantry) Patrick Wester Wheeler (ASN: 0-25825), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the Company G, 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, on 10 February 1945. Captain Wheeler's company was attacking strong and well fortified enemy positions, and heavy enemy mortar fire pinned the forward elements down. With utter disregard for his own safety, he braved the heavy machine gun fire and moved forward to his beleaguered troops. His courageous action and outstanding leadership were an inspiration to his men and resulted in their breaking the enemy line. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Wheeler, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: May 23, 1921 at Honolulu, Hawaii

Entered Service From Pennsylvania

Death: KIA: February 10, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts

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WHELCHEL, WILLIS WEBB

Willis Whelchel graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Field Artillery) Willis Webb Whelchel, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 280th Field Artillery Battalion, attached to the 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations in 1944 and 1945. Colonel Whelchel distinguished himself during a river crossing and forward reconnaissance operation. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Whelchel, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



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Born: January 5, 1901 at Georgia

Home Town: Jefferson, Georgia

Death: January 9, 1982 - Buried at: Pine Hill Cemetery - Auburn, Alabama

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

WHITE, ALPHEUS WRAY, JR.

Alpheus White graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1941. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) Alpheus Wray White, Jr. (ASN: 0-23829), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with the XII Bomber Command, TWELFTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major White, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, XII Bomber Command, General Orders No. 24 (October 2, 1943)

Born: 1917 at North Carolina

Home Town: Raleigh, North Carolina

Death: July 16, 2001 - Buried at: Rest Haven Memorial Park - Evendale, Ohio

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, 13@ Air Medals

*WHITE, CHARLES EDWARD [POW (WWII) MIA-KIA]

Charles White graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died in 1944 when the Shinyo Maru, a Japanese "Hell Ship" that was transporting him to Japan, was sunk by a U.S. Submarine that was unaware the vessel contained American Prisoners of War.

Citation Needed - SYNOPSIS: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes Pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) Charles Edward



SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

White, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 92d Coast Artillery Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain White, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

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Born: December 11, 1915 at North Bennington, Vermont

Home Town: North Bennington, Vermont

Death: MIA as a POW: September 7, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

WHITE, JAMES TODD, JR.

James White graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1944. He retired in 1973 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Corps of Engineers) James Todd White, Jr. (ASN: 0-26541), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company B, 1st Engineer Combat Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant White, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 121 (1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Corps of Engineers) James Todd White, Jr. (ASN: 0-26541), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company B, 1st Engineer Combat Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Uckerath, Germany, on 22 to 23 March 1945. Given the mission of clearing demolitions from a strategically important bridge, Lieutenant White, with utter disregard for his own personal safety, courageously led a squad across perilous open terrain swept by hostile machine gun and mortar fire, and after capturing the enemy forces left to guard the bridge, proceeded to remove and neutralize a large number of enemy mines, thereby greatly facilitating the rapid advance of friendly forces. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant White, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 28 (May 6, 1946)

Born: December 27, 1921 at Homestead, Florida

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: March 27, 2011 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts

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WHITE, JOHN WINTHROP

John White graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Winthrop White, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the G-3 Section, FOURTH Corps, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel White, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: September 25, 1900 at Cleveland, Ohio

Home Town: Cleveland, Ohio

Death: January 25, 1980 - Buried at: Unknown Cemetery - Middlebury, Vermont

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



WHITE, LAWRENCE KERMIT

Lawrence White graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1947 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Lawrence Kermit White (ASN: 0-19241), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 37th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Luzon, Philippine Islands, on 16 and 17 April 1945. When the advance of the Infantry regiment which he commanded was halted by intense enemy fire, Colonel White left his advance observation post, joined the forwardmost elements and took personal command of the situation. Although often exposed to the hostile fire, he so skillfully directed the attack that his regiment advanced 6,000 yards and the Japanese fire was effectively silenced. The next day enemy forces launched a strong tank-supported counterattack against Colonel White's leading Infantry and armored elements. The situation was perilous and called for immediate, vigorous action. Again leaving the comparative security of his advance observation post, Colonel White hastened to the front, personally directing countermeasures which resulted in the destruction of the attacking enemy tanks and the dispersion of the accompanying Japanese infantry. During the action Colonel White was struck and painfully wounded by hostile machine gun bullets, which fractured his left leg. Refusing to be evacuated until the men who had been wounded beside him were first given attention, Colonel White outlined his final order to the officer succeeding him in command before permitting himself to be removed from the field of battle. His gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 37th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 157 (June 16, 1945)

Born: June 10, 1912 at Tennessee

Home Town: Troy, Tennessee

Death: April 5, 2006 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



WHITEHOUSE, THOMAS BERNARD

Thomas Whitehouse graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. After serving as a Fighter Pilot in the Army Air Forces in World War II, where he was credited with destroying four enemy aircraft in aerial combat, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) Thomas Bernard Whitehouse (ASN: 0-21958), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a Fighter Airplane and as Commanding Officer of the 14th Fighter Group, FIFTEENTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Whitehouse, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 15th Air Force, General Orders No. 2591 (April 21, 1945)

Born: 1914 at Rochester, New York

Home Town: Rochester, New York

Death: July 23, 2015

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 11@ Air Medals

WHITELAW, JOHN LEONARD

John Whitelaw graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1955 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General John Leonard Whitelaw, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General of the 17th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Whitelaw, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 17th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 38 (1945)

Born: September 18, 1899 at Savannah, Georgia

Home Town: Charleston, South Carolina

Death: April 26, 1970 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart

WHITLOW, ROBERT VICTOR

Robert Whitlow graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Air Force Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) Robert Victor Whitlow (ASN: 0-25763), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-51 Mustang Fighter Airplane of the 355th Fighter Group, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant

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actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Whitlow, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 20 (February 2, 1945)

Born: November 7, 1918 at Calwa, California

Home Town: Hollywood, California

Death: July 11, 1997

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Distinguished Service Crosses, 8@ Air Medals

WICKBOLDT, WALTER CHARLES

Walter Wickboldt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Walter Charles Wickboldt, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 19th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Wickboldt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 156 (1945)

Born: May 13, 1914 at Louisiana

Home Town: New Orleans, Louisiana

Death: May 17, 1996 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal



WIEGAND, CHARLES DUDLEY

Charles Wiegand graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Charles Dudley Wiegand, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 179th Infantry Regiment, 45th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa and Sicily, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Wiegand, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 45th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 37 (1943)

Born: Maryland

Home Town: Baltimore, Maryland

Death: March 7, 1972

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), BSM



WILBOURN, DONALD EUGENE

Donald Wilbourn graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1973 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Field Artillery) Donald Eugene Wilbourn (ASN: 0-25606), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 915th Field Artillery Battalion, 90th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France, on 7 August 1944. First Lieutenant Wilbourn's field artillery participated in the VIII Corps attack south of Seves Island. When 359th Infantry Regiment met heavy enemy resistance, First Lieutenant Wilbourn directed the artillery fire that enabled the 359th to overtake the enemy rear guard south of Perriers, and resulted in the ultimate capture and occupation of St. Sauveur de Lendelin. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Wilbourn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 72 (September 22, 1944)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Field Artillery) Donald Eugene Wilbourn (ASN: 0-25606), United States Army, for gallantry in action against an armed enemy while serving with the 915th Field Artillery Battalion, 90th Infantry Division, near the town of L'Arche, France, on 26 July 1944. First Lieutenant Wilbourn's battalion was supporting Task Force Weaver in its advance to Le Mans and onward to the Mayenne River Crossing. Company A, 359 Infantry Regiment held, lost, then ultimately regained the town of Le Bourg, as a vastly superior force from the SS Panzer Division, Das Reich, desperately tried to open an escape route. First Lieutenant Wilbourn and his forward observer team were able to stop successive German counterattacks by directing critical Artillery fire from a position in the attic of a house within the enemy-occupied town. This culminated in the decisive Battle of the Falaise Gap, resulting in the capture of more than 13,000 German soldiers. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Wilbourn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 94 (October 20, 1944)

Born: October 10, 1918 at Kennett, Missouri

Home Town: El Paso, Texas

Death: April 13, 1996 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star w/V, Purple Heart



WILBUR, WILLIAM HALE

William Wilbur graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1912 and retired with disability in 1947 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General. His son, William H. Wilbur, Jr. graduated from the U.S. Military Academy with the Class of 1949, and earned a Posthumous Distinguished Service Cross in the Korean War.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General William Hale Wilbur, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Commanding General of the 36th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1943 and 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated



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devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Wilbur, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 36th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 8 (1944)

Born: September 24, 1888 at Palmer, Massachusetts

Home Town: Palmer, Massachusetts

Death: December 27, 1979 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Medal of Honor (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star w/V

WILCOX, WILLIAM WILBUR

William Wilcox graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Air Force Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) William Wilbur Wilcox (ASN: 0-23020), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving with Pilot of a B-25 Mitchell Bomber of the 81st Bombardment Squadron, 12th Bombardment Group (Medium), TWELFTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Wilcox, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 12th Air Force, General Orders No. 18 (May 19, 1943)

Born: September 11, 1915 at Oskaloosa, Iowa

Home Town: Oskaloosa, Iowa

Death: August 24, 2010 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal



WILLIAMS, DONALD GLAZIER

Donald Williams graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Donald Glazier Williams, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 25th Armored Engineer Battalion, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Williams, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 90 (1944)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Donald Glazier Williams, United States Army, for



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gallantry in action while serving with the 25th Armored Engineer Battalion, 6th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Williams, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 6th Armored Division, General Orders No. 71 (1945)

Born: August 31, 1914 at Kansas City, Missouri

Home Town: Kansas City, Missouri

Death: October 24, 1998 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star w/V

WILLIAMS, GERALD EVAN [DNB (1949)]

Gerald Williams graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1931. He died in an Air Crash in Argentina while serving as a U.S. Army Colonel in 1949.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Gerald Evan Williams (ASN: 0-18604), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-26 Marauder Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 391st Bombardment Group (Heavy), NINTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Williams, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.



- Headquarters, 9th Air Force, General Orders No. 42 (March 5, 1945)

Born: December 7, 1907 at Bridgewater, Maine

Home Town: Bridgewater, Maine

Death: DNB: February 17, 1949 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, Bronze Star, 13@ Air Medals

WILLIAMS, JOHN MARVIN

John Williams graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) John Marvin Williams, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 383d Infantry Regiment, 96th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Williams, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.



- Headquarters, 96th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 519 (1945)

Born: Kentucky

Home Town: Bowling Green, Kentucky

Death: March 12, 2002

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Air Medal

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***WILLIAMS, JOSEPH ERMINE [KIA (WWII)]**

Joseph Williams graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Joseph Ermine Williams (ASN: 0-19279), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 334th Infantry Regiment, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Williams, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 84th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 13 (1945)

Born: Arkansas

Home Town: Newport, Arkansas

Death: KIA: January 28, 1945 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Henri-Chapelle - Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart



WILLIAMS, ROBERT LAMAR [MIA (WWII) KIA]

Robert Williams graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was missing following an air mission while serving as a U.S. Army Captain and B-17 Pilot in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Air Corps) Robert Lamar Williams (ASN: 0-23070), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber of the 30th Bombardment Squadron, 19th Bombardment Group (Heavy), Far East Air Force, in aerial operations Rabaul, New Britain, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Williams, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific Area, General Orders No. 42 (August 27, 1942)

Born: December 5, 1918 at Pauline, South Carolina

Home Town: Spartanburg, South Carolina

Death: MIA: September 16, 1942 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart



WILLIAMS, URQUHART PULLEN

Urquhart Williams graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Urquhart Pullen Williams, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 81st Field Artillery Battalion, in support of VII Corps and XXI Corps, in the European Theater of Operations, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by



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Lieutenant Colonel Williams, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, VIII Corps, General Orders No. 116 (1945)

Born: September 27, 1910 at Georgia

Home Town: Memphis, Tennessee

Death: August 20, 1989 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II)

WILLIAMS, WARREN RAND, JR.

Warren Williams graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Warren Rand Williams, Jr. (ASN: 0-21250), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 82d Airborne Division, in action near ****, Italy, on 6 February 1944. Lieutenant Colonel Williams, Commanding, led the First Battalion by night through a maze of irrigation canals and under enemy artillery fire to within striking distance of his objective. With the coming of dawn, enemy resistance and artillery fire increased in intensity and inflicted heavy casualties. Lieutenant Colonel Williams personally led his supporting tanks down a road interdicted by 20-mm. and artillery fire. While shells were bouncing off a "buttoned up" tank, he unhesitatingly climbed aboard, secured the crew's attention and directed their fire so accurately that the enemy guns were knocked out. Inspired by his gallant action and his constant presence with the forward elements, his battalion won their objectives and held them against bitter counterattacks. Lieutenant Colonel Williams' skillful and courageous leadership reflect the highest standards of the United States Airborne Forces.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 109 (July 16, 1945)

Born: June 11, 1916 at North Carolina

Home Town: Sanford, North Carolina

Death: May 11, 1986 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

WILLIAMSON, JOHN

John Williamson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Williamson (ASN: 0-19900), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Williamson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 61 (August 11, 1944)

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Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) John Williamson (ASN: 0-19900), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 2d Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations during the period from June to December 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Williamson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 137 (December 4, 1944)

Born: July 4, 1909 at Brooklyn, New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: December 18, 1992 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars

WILLIAMSON, RAYMOND ECCLESTON SERVEIRA

Raymond Williamson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of August 1917. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Raymond Eccleston Serveira Williamson, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Deputy Commanding General of the 91st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Vede-Lago, Italy, on 22 June 1945. When an enemy strong point held up forward Infantry elements of his Division, Brigadier General Williamson went forward through machine gun and small arms fire to determine the best method of meeting the situation. He called for tanks and personally directed mortar fire and promptly routed the enemy force. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Williamson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, II Corps, General Orders No. 24 (1945)

Born: September 1, 1894 at Brooklyn, New York

Home Town: White Plains, New York

Death: September 27, 1957 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars



WILLIS, JAMES TILLMAN

James Willis graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. He retired with disability in 1957 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) James Tillman Willis, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 274th Infantry Regiment, 70th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Phillipsburg, France, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Willis, without regard for his own life, were



in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 100th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 37 (1945)
Born: October 4, 1913 at Columbus, Georgia
Home Town: Rome, Georgia
Death: November 21, 2000 - Buried at: Memorial Oaks Cemetery - Houston, Texas
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart

WILSON, ARTHUR HARRISON, JR.

Arthur Wilson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Colonel. His father by the same name (USMA 1904) earned the Medal of Honor during the Philippine Insurrection.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Arthur Harrison Wilson, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 187th Glider Infantry Regiment, 11th Airborne Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Wilson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Airborne Division, General Orders No. 26 (1945)
Born: December 15, 1912 at Washington, D.C.
Home Town: Fort Bliss, Texas
Death: November 17, 2004 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

WILSON, JAMES WALTER

James Wilson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. After serving in the Army Air Forces in World War II, he transferred to the U.S. Air Force when it became a separate branch of service in 1947. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Air Force Lieutenant General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Air Corps) James Walter Wilson (ASN: 0-22174/FR-1711), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Co-pilot of a B-17 Heavy Bomber in the 423d Bombardment Squadron, 306th Bombardment Group (H), EIGHTH Air Force on a bombing mission over enemy-occupied Europe, on 13 May 1943. Under the inspiring leadership of Colonel Wilson an important and heavily defended military installation was successfully bombed. The courage, skill and brilliant leadership displayed by Colonel Wilson on this occasion are an inspiration to all members of his command and reflect the highest credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 120 (August 5, 1943)

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Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) James Walter Wilson (ASN: 0-22174/FR-1711), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action while serving as Division Air Commander in the EIGHTH Air Force, on a bombing mission over Germany, 2 November 1944. Arriving in the vicinity of the target, Colonel Wilson's formation encountered intense and accurate ground fire. The intensity of the barrage increased to such a degree that the combined efforts of Colonel Wilson and the pilot were required to hold the plane on its course. Despite the fact that five crew members were wounded and only two motors of the plane were operating, he tenaciously held his position and maintained a tight formation until the bomb run was successfully completed. Realizing that the safety of the other planes would be jeopardized if he continued to lead the formation with his crippled aircraft, he called for the deputy leader to take over and left the protection of the formation. When the two remaining motors developed malfunctions and caused the plane to go into a violent spin, Colonel Wilson remained cool, and expertly assisted the pilot in bringing the aircraft under control. Ignoring the fact that he was flying over terrain suitable for a crash landing, he continued to England where he landed at an emergency air base. Colonel Wilson's courage, skill, and gallant leadership on this date are in keeping with the high traditions of the Armed Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 534 (December 16, 1944)

Born: March 7, 1917 at Rawlins, Wyoming

Home Town: Bowling Green, Ohio

Death: October 5, 2001 - Buried at: United States Air Force Academy Cemetery - Colorado Springs, Colorado

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Air Force Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ SS (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart, 6@ Air Medals

WILSON, JASPER JACKSON

Jasper Wilson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1939. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Cavalry) Jasper Jackson Wilson (ASN: 0-21829), United States Army, for gallantry in action while as Commanding Officer of the 82d Reconnaissance Battalion, 2d Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Wilson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XIX Corps, General Orders No. 32 (1944)

Born: September 30, 1916 at Sikeston, Missouri

Home Town: Sikeston, Missouri

Death: January 17, 1986 - Buried at: Fort Huachuca Cemetery - Sierra Vista, Arizona

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Air Medals



*WILSON, JOHN NEWTON [KIA (WWII)]

John Wilson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) John Newton Wilson (ASN: 0-19803), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 219th Field Artillery Battalion, 35th Infantry Division, in action in the vicinity of *****, France, 11 July 1944. When the infantry regiment which his artillery battalion was supporting directly moved to its initial contact with the enemy, without regard for his own safety, Colonel Wilson moved aggressively forward with the infantry commander's party as an example to his artillery liaison officer and forward observers and other troops on their initial day of combat, and in an effort to locate appropriate artillery targets, thereby assisting the advance of the infantry. His actions reflect credit upon his character as an officer and are in accord with the highest traditions of the military service.

- Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 32 (September 14, 1944)
 Born: November 26, 1913 at Fort Hunt, Virginia
 Home Town: Cornwall, New York
 Death: KIA: July 11, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Normandy - Colleville-sur-Mer, France
Personal Awards: Silver Star (WW II), Purple Heart

WILSON, RUSSELL ALGER [MIA (WWII) KIA]

Russell Wilson graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1928. The Pilot of the B-17 in which Colonel Wilson was flying when he was lost in action was John C. "Red" Morgan, who months earlier earned the Medal of Honor. Morgan survived the shoot-down and served the remainder of the war in a Prisoner of War camp. Wilson was posthumously promoted to Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Russell Alger Wilson (ASN: 0-17164), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while flying as an observer in a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber of the 326th Bombardment Squadron, 92d Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1943. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Wilson, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 223 (December 8, 1943)
 Born: December 18, 1905 at Illinois
 Home Town: Hurst, Illinois
 Death: MIA: March 6, 1944 - Buried at: Rose Hill Cemetery - Marion, Illinois
Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), Purple Heart, 2@ Air Medals

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WING, FRANKLIN FEARING, JR.

Franklin Wing graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He went to the regular course at the Cavalry School, was selected for the Advanced Equitation course and later selected for the U.S. Army Equestrian Team, a prized assignment in that day. He rode for the U.S. in many international competitions, including the Olympic Games of 1948, winning a fourth place in a field of top-notch riders from around the world. Later that year he won the Agha Khan trophy in London, this being the world championship of show jumping under the rules of the Federation Equestre Internationale. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Franklin Fearing Wing, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action in connection with combat operations against the enemy while serving as Commanding Officer of the 5th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Cavalry Division in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Wing, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Cavalry Division, General Orders No. 211 (1945)

Born: January 6, 1908 at Philippine Islands

Home Town: Washington, D. C.

Death: July 6, 1994 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Air Medal

WINN, WALTER SCOTT, JR.

Walter Winn graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. He retired in 1946 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Walter Scott Winn, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 105th Infantry Regiment, 27th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy at Okinawa, Ryukyu Islands, on 20 April 1945. When the left flank of a battalion of the regiment he commanded was driven back with heavy losses and in great confusion, Colonel Winn immediately grasped the seriousness of the situation, and proceeded at once to the front line. He halted the retreating riflemen, appointed new commanders to replace officers who had become casualties, redistributed the remaining noncommissioned officers, and having reorganized the battalion, led it in the attack. During this period he was continuously subjected to hostile artillery, mortar, and small arms fire. By his personal example, his fearlessness and calm leadership, he restored a critical situation. Later that night he again proceeded to the front line to restore order after his position was threatened. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Winn, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 27th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 31 (1945)

Born: November 19, 1897 at Bridgeport, Alabama

Home Town: Florence, Alabama

Death: June 26, 1973 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star

WINTON, WALTER FERRELL, JR.

Walter Winton graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Walter Ferrell Winton, Jr. (ASN: 0-22966), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, in action against the enemy at Ste. Mere Eglise, Normandy, France, from 6 to 7 June 1944. On the night of D + 1, Lieutenant Colonel Winton led a patrol through German lines to Utah Beach to inform the 4th Infantry Division commander that St. Mere Eglise was in friendly hands. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Winton, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 82d Airborne Division, General Orders No. 34 (July 14, 1944)

Born: July 23, 1917 at Nashville, Tennessee

Home Town: Nashville, Tennessee

Death: May 19, 2007 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart



WIRT, CHARLES ALVIN

Charles Wirt graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry), [then First Lieutenant] Charles Alvin Wirt (ASN: 0-25725), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company G, 2d Battalion, 16th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 7 March 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Wirt, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 150 (August 10, 1945)

Born: April 16, 1920 at Cookeville, Tennessee

Home Town: Nashville, Tennessee

Death: August 14, 1981 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, 2@ Purple Hearts



WITHERS, WILLIAM PRICE

William Withers graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1920. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) William Price Withers, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 37th Armored Regiment, 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of



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Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Withers, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 4th Armored Division, General Orders No. 17 (1944)

Born: September 18, 1896 at Ashland, Wisconsin

Home Town: Ashland, Wisconsin

Death: March 27, 1978

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Silver Star (Korea), Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, 5@ Air Medals

WOHNER, JOHN HAROLD

John Wohner graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) John Harold Wohner (ASN: 0-23142), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 407th Infantry Regiment, 102d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Wohner, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: December 31, 1915 at Mississippi

Home Town: Canton, Mississippi

Death: December 16, 2005 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal



WOLF, KARL EVERETT

Karl Wolf graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of June 1943. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Infantry) Karl Everett Wolf (ASN: 0-26202), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company I, 3d Battalion, 16th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 27 February 1945. When the tank in which he was riding was hit, Captain Wolf, although painfully wounded, dismounted and courageously led his company forward. Then, despite intense enemy cannon, automatic weapons, and small arms fire, he fearlessly directed a successful attack upon an important position. Captain Wolf's gallant actions and exemplary leadership reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

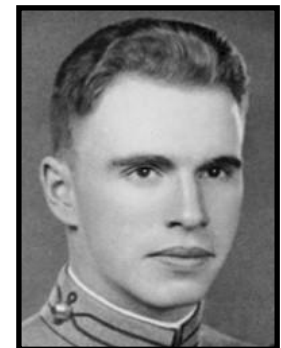
- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 150 (August 10, 1945)

Born: August 19, 1921 at Connecticut

Entered Service From Connecticut

Death: June 12, 2012

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



WOOD, JAMES NORWOOD

James Wood graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1942. As a fighter pilot in World War II, he was credited with destroying 4.5 enemy aircraft in aerial combat. He resigned in 1946 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Air Corps) James Norwood Wood (ASN: 0-24881), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Pilot of a P-51 Mustang Fighter Airplane of the 360th Fighter Squadron, 356th Fighter Group, EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, on 4 May 1944. Major Wood led his squadron in attacking a group of 40 German FW-190s and personally shot down three. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Wood, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 500 (September 27, 1944)
Born: July 19, 1919 at Mena, Arkansas
Home Town: Rogers, Arkansas
Death: February 17, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Distinguished Flying Crosses, 5@ Air Medals

WOOD, JOHN SHIRLEY

John Wood graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1912. He retired with disability in 1946 as a U.S. Army Major General.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General John Shirley Wood (ASN: 0-3352), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 4th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations during 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Wood, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 10 (August 18, 1944)
Born: January 11, 1888 at Monticello, Arkansas
Home Town: Little Rock, Arkansas
Death: July 2, 1966 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Air Medals

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WOOD, ROBERT MORSE

Robert Wood graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He resigned in 1948 as a U.S. Army Captain but was recalled to active duty from 1951 to 1953.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to First Lieutenant (Corps of Engineers) Robert Morse Wood (ASN: 0-25506), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with Company A, 33d Armored Engineer Battalion, 7th Armored Division, in action in Holland, on 14 October 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by First Lieutenant Wood, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 7th Armored Division, General Orders No. 91 (November 21, 1944)

Born: October 9, 1920 at New Jersey

Home Town: Hackensack, New Jersey

Death: September 20, 2019 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart*

WOOD, STERLING ALEXANDER

Sterling Wood graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of April 1917. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Sterling Alexander Wood (ASN: 0-5308), United States Army, for gallantry in action as Regimental Commander of the 313th Infantry Regiment, 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in France. On the morning of 23 June 1944, strong enemy patrols had infiltrated to the rear of the regiment. Realizing the seriousness of a break in the line of communication, Colonel Wood immediately organized and personally commanded a patrol which proceeded to attack the enemy group. The surprise attained resulted in the killing of three and the capturing of nine of the enemy and enabled the patrol to pass through the enemy positions to the regimental motor pool. Colonel Wood immediately organized a force composed of troops from the regimental supply train, called for a platoon of tanks, and resumed the attack on the strong point established by the enemy. This action reduced the strong point and re-established the line of communication. The personal initiative, leadership, and the disregard for his own safety displayed by Colonel Wood on this occasion was typical of his conduct during the entire campaign, thus setting an inspiring example to the officers and men of his regiment.

- Headquarters, 79th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 27 (1944)

Born: September 14, 1895 at Alabama

Home Town: Birmingham, Alabama

Death: March 6, 1963 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: *Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart*

***WOODBIDGE, JOHN PRICHARD [POW (WWII) MIA-KIA]**

John Woodbridge graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1926. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he was held as a Prisoner of War. In 1944 he survived the sinking of the Japanese "Hell Ship" Oryoku Maru, but was transferred a Japanese freighter and was killed when that ship was bombed in 1945 in Formosa.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Colonel (Field Artillery) John Prichard Woodbridge (ASN: 0-16478), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 81st Field Artillery Regiment, 81st Philippine Division, in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Woodbridge, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: January 11, 1903 at Newark, Ohio

Home Town: Newark, Ohio

Death: MIA as a POW: January 9, 1945 - Buried at: Fort Scott National Cemetery (Cenotaph) - Fort Scott, Kansas

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

WOODRUFF, ROSCOE BARNETT

Roscoe Woodruff graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He retired in 1953 as a U.S. Army Major General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Roscoe Barnett Woodruff (ASN: 0-3819), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Woodruff, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Major General Roscoe Barnett Woodruff (ASN: 0-3819), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Woodruff, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, EIGHTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 45 (1946)

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Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Major General Roscoe Barnett Woodruff (ASN: 0-3819), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Woodruff, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, EIGHTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 45 (1946)

Born: February 9, 1891 at Oskaloosa, Iowa

Home Town: Oskaloosa, Iowa

Death: July 24, 1975 - Buried at: Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery - San Antonio, Texas

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 3@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, 2@ Air Medals

WOODS, RALPH NISLEY

Ralph Woods graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Ralph Nisley Woods, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 363d Infantry Regiment, 91st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Woods, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army, General Orders No. 14 (1945)

Born: June 12, 1903 at Russell County, Kansas

Home Town: Gering, Nebraska

Death: December 20, 1956 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star



WOODYARD, THOMAS WASHINGTON, JR.

Thomas Woodyard graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1935. He was killed in action while serving as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel during World War II.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Thomas Washington Woodyard, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Executive Officer of an Infantry Battalion of the 333d Infantry Regiment, 84th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Ardennes Forest in Belgium, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel



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Woodyard, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 84th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 30 (1945)

Born: July 11, 1911 at Kentucky

Home Town: Frankfort, Kentucky

Death: May 13, 1982 - Buried at: Frankfort Cemetery - Frankfort, Kentucky

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart

WOOLNOUGH, JAMES KARRICK

James Woolnough graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1970 as a U.S. Army General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) James Karrick Woolnough (ASN: 0-18709), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 393d Infantry Regiment, 99th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Woolnough, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 99th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 78 (1945)

Born: October 24, 1910 at Mindanao, Philippine Islands

Home Town: Arlington, Virginia

Death: May 30, 1996 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ BSM, PH



WOOTEN, SIDNEY CLAY

Sidney Wooten graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1930. He retired in 1965 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Sidney Clay Wooten (ASN: 0-18126), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 5th Infantry Regiment, 71st Infantry Division, on 24 March 1945, in the vicinity of Lingenfeld, Germany. On that date, the 5th Infantry Regiment was attacking a strong enemy force in the town of Lingenfeld. Colonel Wooten, Commanding Officer of the 5th Infantry, established his Command Post on an exposed slope overlooking the town. Despite intense artillery fire, he steadfastly remained at his post where he could best control the operation of his forces. Before the town of Lingenfeld was cleared of the enemy and while our forces were subject to intense enemy artillery and sniper fire, Colonel Wooten, with complete disregard for his personal safety, advanced into the town where he set an inspiring example of leadership in the control of his regiment. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Wooten, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 71st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 24 (1945)



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Born: May 16, 1907 at Lexington, Kentucky

Home Town: Washington, D.C.

Death: December 26, 2003 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V

WORKS, ROBERT CHILTON

Robert Works graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1963 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Robert Chilton Works, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 97th Mountain Infantry Regiment, 10th Mountain Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Works, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Mountain Division, General Orders No. 43 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Robert Chilton Works, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 3d Battalion, 97th Mountain Infantry Regiment, 10th Mountain Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Works, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 10th Mountain Division, General Orders No. 111 (1945)

Born: May 18, 1914 at Minnesota

Home Town: Tracyton, Washington

Death: October 25, 2003 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit



WRAY, STANLEY TANNER

Stanley Wray graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1932. He retired in 1962 as a U.S. Air Force Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Air Corps) Stanley Tanner Wray (ASN: 0-18657), United States Army Air Forces, for gallantry in action against the enemy while serving as Command Pilot of a B-17 Flying Fortress Bomber and as Commanding Officer of the 91st Bombardment Group (Heavy), EIGHTH Air Force, in aerial operations in the European Theater of Operations, in 1942 and 1943. The gallant actions and



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dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Wray, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army Air Forces.

- Headquarters, 8th Air Force, General Orders No. 35 (March 26, 1943)

Born: September 15, 1907 at Muncie, Indiana

Home Town: Muncie, Indiana

Death: September 13, 1986 - Buried at: Elmwood Cemetery - Birmingham, Alabama

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Purple Heart, 2@ Air Medals

WRIGHT, EDGAR, JR.

Edgar Wright graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1929. After the fall of the Philippine Islands in World War II, he worked from 1942 to 1945 with the Philippine Guerilla resistance. He retired in 1959 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Edgar Wright, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 45th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy in the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Wright, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Volume 4: PC1, General Orders No. 11 (1942)

Born: October 19, 1907 at Paris, Texas

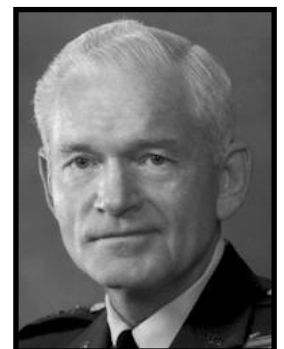
Home Town: Paris, Texas

Death: February 20, 1997 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Purple Heart

WRIGHT, JOHN MACNAIR, JR. [POW (WWII)]

John Wright graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. Captured on Corregidor at the fall of the Philippine Islands in May 1942, he was held as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese until the end of the war. He retired in 1972 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) John MacNair Wright, Jr. (ASN: 0-23057), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 91st Coast Artillery Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy at Corregidor, Manila Harbor, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Wright, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, Philippine Coast Artillery Command, General Orders No. 29 (1942)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in Lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) John MacNair Wright, Jr. (ASN: 0-23057), United States Army,

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for gallantry in action while serving with the 91st Coast Artillery Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy at Corregidor, Manila Harbor, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Wright, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Pacific, General Orders No. 260 (1945)

Born: April 14, 1916 at California

Home Town: Hollywood, California

Death: January 27, 2014 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, 2@ Purple Hearts, 60@ Air Medals

WYCHE, IRA THOMAS

Ira Wyche graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1911. He retired with disability in 1948 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major General Ira Thomas Wyche (ASN: 0-3112), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the 79th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major General Wyche, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, VII Corps, General Orders No. 56 (1944)

Born: October 16, 1887 at Ocracoke, North Carolina

Home Town: Charlotte, North Carolina

Death: July 8, 1981 - Buried at: Fort Bragg Main Post Cemetery - Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars



WYMAN, WILLARD GORDON

Willard Wyman graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1919. Originally members of that class were the Class of 1921, but because of World War I were graduated early in 1918, and subsequently graduated again in 1919. He retired in 1958 as a U.S. Army General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Willard Gordon Wyman (ASN: 0-12356), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Assistant Commanding General, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Germany, on 12 September 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Wyman, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 98 (October 5, 1944)



SILVER STAR (WORLD WAR II)

Born: March 21, 1898 at Augusta, Maine

Home Town: Augusta, Maine

Death: March 29, 1969 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 3@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V

***WYNKOOP, HUESTON RICHARD [POW (WWII) MIA-KIA]**

Hueston Wynkoop graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1937. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he died aboard a Japanese "Hell Ship" when it was sunk while transporting American Prisoners of War to Japan in 1944.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pride in presenting the Silver Star (Posthumously) to Major (Infantry) Hueston Richard Wynkoop (ASN: 0-20790), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 57th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy during the defense of Bataan, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Wynkoop, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- American Battle Monuments Commission

Born: September 16, 1913 at Bridgeport, Connecticut

Home Town: Bridgeport, Connecticut

Death: MIA as a POW: December 15, 1944 - Buried at: A.B.M.C. Manila (Wall of the Missing) - Manila, Philippine Islands

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Bronze Stars, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal

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YALE, WESLEY WOODWORTH

Wesley Yale graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1922. He retired in 1954 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

First Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Wesley Woodworth Yale, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 11th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Yale, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Armored Division, General Orders No. 9 (1945)

Second Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Cavalry) Wesley Woodworth Yale, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 11th Armored Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Yale, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 11th Armored Division, General Orders No. 53 (1945)

Born: October 6, 1900 at New York

Home Town: Buffalo, New York

Death: June 14, 2001 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star w/V



YARBOROUGH, WILLIAM PELHAM

William Yarborough graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1936. In the early 1960s he was Commandant of the US Army's Special Warfare Center and School at Fort Bragg, NC, where he oversaw the buildup of the Army's Special Forces, and is generally considered the "Father of U.S. Army Special Forces (Green Berets)." He retired in 1971 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) William Pelham Yarborough (ASN: 0-202362), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 473d Infantry Regiment, 92d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in Italy, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel Yarborough, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 92d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 41 (1945)



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Born: May 12, 1912 at Seattle, Washington

Home Town: Seattle, Washington

Death: December 7, 2005 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: 4@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, Silver Star (World War II), 4@ Legion of Merit

YARBROUGH, SAMUEL KNOX, JR.

An Eagle Scout in his youth, Samuel Yarbrough graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1934. He retired in 1964 as a U.S. Army Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Field Artillery) Samuel Knox Yarbrough, Jr., United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 61st Field Artillery Battalion, 1st Cavalry Division, in action against the enemy in the Philippine Islands, in 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Yarbrough, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

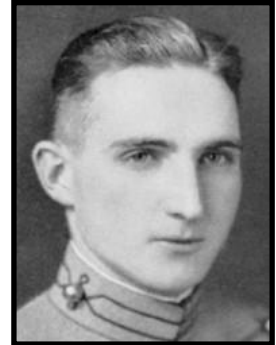
- Headquarters, 1st Cavalry Division, General Orders No. 226 (1945)

Born: Alabama

Home Town: Guntersville, Alabama

Death: June 28, 2002

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 2@ Bronze Stars w/V, Air Medal



YATES, JULES DAVID [POW (WWII)]

Jules Yates graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He was captured at Corregidor after the surrender of the Philippine Islands in May 1942, and spent the next three years as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. He retired in 1961 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Coast Artillery Corps) Jules David Yates (ASN: 0-23127), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving with the 92d Coast Artillery (Philippine Scouts), in action against the enemy at Corregidor, Manila Harbor, Luzon, Philippine Islands, in 1942. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Captain Yates, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- United States Military Academy Register of Graduates

Born: November 2, 1916 at Savannah, Georgia

Home Town: Yardville, New Jersey

Death: August 10, 1996 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Prisoner of War Medal



YEAGER, FREDERICK JACOB [POW (WWII)]

Frederick Yeager graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. Captured after the fall of the Philippine Islands in 1942, he spent the remainder of the war as a Prisoner of War of the Japanese. While imprisoned he learned the Russian language, generously taught by a fellow POW. After the war he earned two masters degrees and a doctorate in Political Science from Princeton University in 1959. He retired in 1969 as a U.S. Army Colonel. In retirement began teaching the Russian Language and Political Science at Rider College (now Rider University). His innovative teaching tactics earned him the distinguished teacher award from the university in 1980.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress, July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Frederick Jacob Yeager (ASN: 0-22969), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Company A, 57th Infantry Regiment (Philippine Scouts), in action at Bataan, Philippine Islands, on 7 and 8 April 1942. During an ordered withdrawal, Major Yeager saw a soldier severely wounded by a mortar fragment, who had been overlooked in the evacuation of casualties. Without regard for his own safety and under heavy enemy mortar and rifle fire, Major Yeager returned to the wounded soldier and carried him away from danger. Again, on 8 April, while under heavy enemy fire, Major Yeager lifted a soldier who had fainted and carried him along a jungle trail to a place of safety. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Yeager, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- War Department, General Orders No. 69 (July 1946)
 Born: November 19, 1915 at New York, New York
 Home Town: New York, New York
 Death: February 20, 2009 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Prisoner of War Medal

YEUELL, DONOVAN PAUL, JR.

Donovan Yeuell graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1940. He retired in 1960 as a U.S. Army Colonel.



Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Field Artillery) Donovan Paul Yeuell, Jr. (ASN: 0-23084), United States Army, for gallantry in action with the Division Artillery, 29th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major Yeuell, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 103d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 91 (1945)
 Born: November 8, 1918 at Harrodsburg, Kentucky
 Home Town: Harrodsburg, Kentucky
 Death: July 17, 1973 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York
Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star w/V, Purple Heart

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YORK, ROBERT HOWARD

Robert York graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1938. He retired in 1968 as a U.S. Army Lieutenant General.



First Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Major (Infantry) Robert Howard York (ASN: 0-21341), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, at Saint Cloud, Algeria, 8, 9, and 10 November 1942. During the Oran offensive, on 8 November 1942, Major York, under constant fire by the enemy, encouraged and assisted the forward movement of his battalion. On 9 November 1942, Major York led a detachment of troops which succeeded in entering the town of Saint Cloud. This detachment was cut off for an entire day, but finally escaped under cover of darkness and rejoined its battalion. On the final day of the Oran offensive, Major York again directed his troops from the front lines under heavy enemy fire. During all three days of battle, Major York's bravery and leadership, above the call of duty, were an inspiration and example to the men of his battalion. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Major York, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 33 (December 7, 1942)

Second Award

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Second Award of the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Robert Howard York (ASN: 0-21341), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 18th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in North Africa and Sicily, during the period from April through August 1943. Although subjected to heavy enemy fire, Colonel York personally reconnoitered favorable positions for his battalion. His fearless and brilliant leadership under exceptionally adverse conditions, coupled with his keen tactical judgment, greatly assisted in the defeat of the enemy forces. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel York, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 1st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 51 (September 25, 1943)

Third Award

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting a Second Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a Third Award of the Silver Star to Colonel (Infantry) Robert Howard York (ASN: 0-21341), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 331st Infantry Regiment, 83d Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the European Theater of Operations, in 1944 and 1945. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Colonel York, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 83d Infantry Division, General Orders No. 32 (1945)

Born: April 23, 1913 at Birmingham, Alabama

Home Town: Hartsell, Alabama

Death: April 15, 1988 - Buried at: United States Military Academy Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Distinguished Service Cross (World War II), 2@ Army Distinguished Service Medals, 2@ Silver Stars (World War II), Legion of Merit, 4@ Bronze Stars, 2@ Purple Hearts

YOUNG, MASON JAMES

Mason Young graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.



The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Colonel (Corps of Engineers) Mason James Young (ASN: 0-3788), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Engineer Officer for the SEVENTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy at Normandy, France, on 6 June 1944. Landing early at Utah Beach on D-Day, Colonel Young supervised the clearing of beach obstacles and preparation of roads inland. When the advance command post of the 4th Infantry Division came ashore he reported to the Division Commander, Major General Raymond A. Barton, and briefed him on the engineer situation and the availability of roads inland. The command post and the beach area were being shelled by German artillery at the time and Colonel Young led the command post group to a safer location, an area which his engineers had cleared and marked in the middle of a mine field. Colonel Young's conduct materially contributed to the success of the operation. The courage, coolness and complete disregard of personal safety displayed by this officer reflects the highest credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, VII Corps, General Orders No. 33 (1944)

Born: February 9, 1894 at Londonderry, New Hampshire

Home Town: Londonderry, New Hampshire

Death: October 27, 1982 - Buried at: Glenwood Cemetery - Londonderry, New Hampshire

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), Legion of Merit

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ZECHER, SIDNEY

Sidney Zecher graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of January 1943. He resigned in 1947 as a U.S. Army Major.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Captain (Cavalry) Sidney Zecher (ASN: 0-25685), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of Troop B, 42d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron (Mechanized), 2d Cavalry Group, XII Corps, in action against an armed enemy on 14 April 1945, in Germany. While Bayreuth was being attacked by the 42d Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, and other friendly forces, Captain Zecher, in command of Troop B received the mission of proceeding around the city and blocking the exits to the east and southeast. Despite continuous opposition from numerous groups of enemy, Captain Zecher vigorously advanced his troop into the zone overcoming all enemy encountered and blocking the required roads. Despite the small force at his disposal, Captain Zecher succeeded in preventing any enemy withdrawal to the south and east and captured over 400 prisoners. During the entire action Captain Zecher was with the leading or most engaged elements of his command, in many instances his unit being under enemy fire from two or three directions. The coolness, bravery, and skill with which Captain Zecher successfully executed his mission with a small force, greatly outnumbered by the enemy, was in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the Military Forces of the United States.

- Headquarters, XII Corps, General Orders No. 44 (June 3, 1945)

Born: March 23, 1919 at New York

Home Town: Brooklyn, New York

Death: July 28, 2012 - Buried at: U.S. Military Academy Post Cemetery - West Point, New York

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), Bronze Star, Purple Heart



ZIERATH, FREDERICK ROBERT

Frederick Zierath graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1933. He retired in 1967 as a U.S. Army Major General.

Synopsis: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Frederick Robert Zierath (ASN: 0-19211), United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion, 19th Infantry Regiment, 24th Infantry Division, in action against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific Theater of Operations, in 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Zierath, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 24th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 33 (1944)



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Born: Wisconsin

Home Town: Sheboygan, Wisconsin

Death: March 18, 1999

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 3@ Legion of Merit

ZUNDEL, EDWIN ALBERT

Edwin Zundel graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1915. He retired with disability in 1953 as a U.S. Army Brigadier General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Brigadier General Edwin Albert Zundel, United States Army, for gallantry in action while serving as Commanding General of the Division Artillery, 41st Infantry Division, in action against the enemy near Ibodi, Biak Island, on 29 May 1944. Heavy enemy fire had caused an infantry battalion to withdraw thus exposing the artillery battalions to considerable danger. Upon being notified of this, Brigadier General Zundel immediately went forward under enemy fire to confer with his battalion commanders and obtain first hand information as to the safety of the troops. At the time of his arrival one of the artillery battalions was receiving heavy fire, and infantry positions were being hard pressed by the enemy 50 yards away. After issuing orders for effective artillery support, Brigadier General Zundel returned to his command post encountering additional enemy fire. His calm leadership under fire was a great contribution to the successful completion of the mission. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Brigadier General Zundel, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, 41st Infantry Division, General Orders No. 67 (1944)

Born: March 29, 1893 at Pennsylvania

Home Town: Greensburg, Pennsylvania

Death: February 13, 1985 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Air Medal



ZWICKER, RALPH WISE

The first Eagle Scout in his home state of Wisconsin, Ralph Zwicker graduated from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, Class of 1927. He retired with disability in 1960 as a U.S. Army Major General.

The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Silver Star to Lieutenant Colonel (Infantry) Ralph Wise Zwicker (ASN: 0-16878), United States Army, for gallantry in action as an Observer attached to Headquarters, FIFTH U.S. Army Corps, in action against the enemy on the coast of France, on 6 June 1944. The gallant actions and dedicated devotion to duty demonstrated by Lieutenant Colonel Zwicker, without regard for his own life, were in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

- Headquarters, V Corps, General Orders No. 2A (June 20, 1944)

Born: April 17, 1903 at Stoughton, Wisconsin

Home Town: Madison, Wisconsin

Death: August 9, 1991 - Buried at: Arlington National Cemetery - Arlington, Virginia

Personal Awards: Army Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star (World War II), 2@ Legion of Merit, 3@ Bronze Stars



APPENDIXES

List of Recipients by Class Year

Most Decorated

Recipients by Rank

Recipients Who Were KIA or MIA

WWI & WWII Recipients by Unit

Recipients by State & Home Town

Burial Locations of Deceased Recipients

LIST OF RECIPIENTS BY CLASS YEAR

Year	Pre- WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	Cong 1964	Dom Rep	RVN	Kor DMZ	GULF	SOM	WOT	Total
1861	1											1
1862	1											1
1870	2											2
1872	2											2
1874	1											1
1875	3											3
1876	6											6
1877	4											4
1879	2											2
1880	4											4
1881	7											7
1882	3											3
1883	6											6
1884	4											4
1885	1											1
1886	9											9
1887	7	3										10
1888	11	1										12
1889	5											5
1890	7	3										10
1891	11	2										13
1892	15	2										17
1893	7	2										9
1894	11	7										18
1895	8											8
1896	13	2										15
1897	10	1										11
1898	16	6										22
1899	4	2										6
1900	2	1										3

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Year	Pre-WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	Cong 1964	Dom Rep	RVN	Kor DMZ	GULF	SOM	WOT	Total
1901	3	1										4
1902		2										2
1903	2	12										14
1904	2	7	1									10
1905		4										4
1906		3										3
1907		9										9
1908		8	1									9
1909		9	8									17
1910	1	3	3									7
1911		7	7									14
1912		11	14									25
1913		3	11									14
1914	1	10	8	1								20
1915		15	24									39
1916		14	14	1								29
1917		41	41	2								84
1918			38	5								43
1919			49	9								58
1920			32	5								37
1921			2									2
1922		3	23	1								27
1923			27	7								34
1924		1	46	11								58
1925			30	7								37
1926			18	6								24
1927			43	3								46
1928			35	2								37
1929			41	8								49
1930			48	11								59
1931			54	7								61
1932			49	10								59
1933			68	13								81
1934			54	4			1					59
1935			68	12								80
1936			62	13								75
1937			84	11								95

Year	Pre-WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	Cong 1964	Dom Rep	RVN	Kor DMZ	GULF	SOM	WOT	Total
1938			91	7			2					100
1939			131	19			1					151
1940			100	9			1					110
1941			66	19			5					90
1942			48	5			13					66
1943			102	11			23					136
1944			24	10			9					43
1945			3	48	1		37					89
1946			1	38			40					79
1947				25			16					41
1948				22			27					49
1949				49			31					80
1950				75			39					114
1951				10			22					32
1952			1	7		1	63					72
1953							42					42
1954							39					39
1955							34					34
1956						1	48					49
1957							34					34
1958							43					43
1959							32					32
1960							56					56
1961							48					48
1962							67					67
1963						1	74					75
1964						1	82					83
1965							93					93
1966							80					80
1967							64					64
1968							62					62
1969							18					18
1970							1					1
1971							1					1
1972									1			1
1973							1					1
1974									1	1		2

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Year	Pre-WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	Cong 1964	Dom Rep	RVN	Kor DMZ	GULF	SOM	WOT	Total
1975											1	1
1976									1			1
1979								1				1
1980											1	1
1981									1		1	2
1982									1			1
1983									1			1
1984									2		1	3
1985											1	1
1986											1	1
1987										2		2
1988									1			1
1989									3			3
1993											2	2
1994											1	1
1995											3	3
1996											3	3
2000											2	2
2001											4	4
2002											2	2
2005											4	4
2007											1	1
2008											2	2
2011											2	2
Total	192	195	1,570	503	1	4	1,249	1	12	3	32	3,762

MOST DECORATED

TWO West Point graduates earned at least one of the three top combat awards for valor:

	Class	MOH	DSC	SS
MacArthur, Douglas	1903	WWII	2 DSC (WWI) DSC (WWII)	7 SS (WWI)
Puckett, Ralph, Jr.	1949	Korea	RVN	2 SS (RVN)

In addition to these two men, two other USMA graduates earned the Medal of Honor and the Distinguished Service Cross:

	Class	MOH	DSC
Bell, James F.	1878	PI Insur.	Span-Am War
Wainwright, Jonathan M., IV	1906	WWII	WWII

In addition to the four men above, 256 USMA Alumni received the Distinguished Service Cross and the Silver Star:

Name/Class	DSC	SS
Abrams, Creighton W., Jr. (1936)	DSC(2)	SS(2)
Alexander, Irvin (1919)	DSC	SS
Bahnsen, John C., Jr. (1956)	DSC	SS(5)
Baldwin, Geoffrey P. (1916)	DSC	SS
Barker, Joseph R., II (1938)	DSC	SS
Barth, George B. (1918)	DSC	SS(2)
Bell, Raymond E. (1927)	DSC	SS(4)
Benedict, Calvert P. (1946)	DSC	SS(3)
Benson, John O. (1968)	DSC	SS(2)
Besson, Robert (1937)	DSC	SS
Bingham, Sidney V., Jr. (1940)	DSC	SS
Blesse, Frederick C. (1945)	DSC	SS(2)
Bluemel, Clifford (1909)	DSC	SS
Bolles, Frank C. (1896)	DSC(2)	SS
Bowen, Frank S., Jr. (1926)	DSC(2)	SS(4)
Bradley, Joseph S. (1919)	DSC(2)	SS(4)
Breitung, Howard E. (1923)	DSC	SS(2)

Name/Class	DSC	SS
Brooks, John A., III (1941)	DSC	SS
Brown, George S. (1941)	DSC	SS
Browne, Barry D. (1938)	DSC	SS
Butler, Charles L. (1950)	DSC	SS
Byers, Clovis E. (1920)	DSC	SS(2)
Caffey, Eugene N. (1918)	DSC	SS
Cagwin, Leland G. (1940)	DSC	SS
Canham, Charles D. (1926)	DSC	SS
Carlson, Gary W. (1967)	DSC	SS
Carmichael, Richard H. (1936)	DSC(2)	SS(2)
Carpenter, William S., Jr. (1960)	DSC	SS
Carr, Warner W. (1916)	DSC	SS
Casey, Hugh J. (1918)	DSC	SS
Chamberlain, Smith B. (1945)	DSC	SS(2)
Cherry, Henry T., Jr. (1935)	DSC	SS(3)
Chiles, John H. (1936)	DSC	SS(2)
Clapp, Wadsworth P. (1941)	DSC	SS

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Name/Class	DSC	SS
Clark, William D. (1945)	DSC	SS(2)
Clarke, Bruce C. (1925)	DSC	SS(3)
Clarke, Christian H., Jr. (1930)	DSC	SS(2)
Clarkson, Gordon N. (1938)	DSC	SS
Clement, Wallace L. (1940)	DSC	SS
Clifford, Thomas E. (1936)	DSC(2)	SS
Corley, John T. (1938)	DSC(2)	SS(8)
Cota, Norman D. (1917)	DSC	SS(2)
Coughlin, John G. (1932)	DSC	SS(2)
Crawford, Joseph B. (1933)	DSC	SS(2)
Crombez, Marcel G. (1925)	DSC	SS
Dalton, James L., II (1933)	DSC	SS
Daly, Paul G. (1916)	DSC	SS(2)
Darby, William O. (1933)	DSC(2)	SS
Deane, John R., Jr. (1942)	DSC(2)	SS(3)
Denholm, Charles J. (1938)	DSC	SS(2)
Denno, Bryce F. (1940)	DSC	SS(2)
Doan, Leander L. (1927)	DSC	SS(3)
Doe, Jens A. (1914)	DSC	SS(4)
Doleman, Edgar C. (1933)	DSC	SS(2)
Dolvin, Welborn G. (1939)	DSC	SS(4)
Drake, Charles B. (1892)	DSC	SS(2)
Dunwoody, Harold H. (1943)	DSC	SS
Eareckson, William O. (1924)	DSC	SS
Eichelberger, Robert L. (1909)	DSC(2)	SS(3)
Ely, Hanson E. (1891)	DSC	SS(2)
Emerson, Henry E. (1947)	DSC(2)	SS(5)
Ewell, Julian J. (1939)	DSC	SS(2)
Farrell, Thomas F., Jr. (1942)	DSC	SS
Fechet, D'Alary (1912)	DSC	SS
Fisher, Henry G. (1923)	DSC	SS
Fitch, Alva R. (1930)	DSC	SS
Flint, Harry A. (1912)	DSC(2)	SS(3)
Fowler, Halstead C. (1920)	DSC(2)	SS
Franklin, Joseph R. (1950)	DSC	SS
Frederick, John D. (1919)	DSC	SS
Frederick, Robert T. (1928)	DSC(2)	SS
Freeman, Paul L., Jr. (1929)	DSC	SS(2)

Name/Class	DSC	SS
Fry, James C. (1922)	DSC	SS
Ganahl, Joseph (1927)	DSC	SS
Gatsis, Andrew J. (1945)	DSC	SS(2)
Gavin, James N. (1929)	DSC(2)	SS
Getz, Charles E. (1959)	DSC	SS(6)
Gibbs, George W. (1930)	DSC	SS(2)
Gibney, Jesse L. (1918)	DSC	SS
Gillis, William G., Jr. (1941)	DSC	SS
Ginder, Philip D. (1927)	DSC	SS
Goodpaster, Andrew J., Jr. (1939)	DSC	SS
Gorman, Paul F. (1950)	DSC	SS
Granberry, Hal C. (1923)	DSC	SS(2)
Gray, Stephen E. (1946)	DSC	SS
Griffith, Welborn B., Jr. (1925)	DSC	SS
Grogan, Timothy J. (1963)	DSC	SS
Haig, Alexander N., Jr. (1947)	DSC	SS(2)
Hall, Charles P. (1911)	DSC	SS(4)
Ham, Samuel V. (1892)	DSC	SS
Hamilton, Edward S. (1939)	DSC	SS
Hanna, Mark J. (1950)	DSC	SS
Harmon, Ernest NA. (1917)	DSC	SS(2)
Harrell, William F. (1902)	DSC	SS(2)
Harris, Charles D. (1917)	DSC	SS
Harris, William A. (1933)	DSC	SS
Harrison, William K., Jr. (1917)	DSC	SS
Harvey, Thomas H., Jr. (1958)	DSC	SS
Hays, John H. (1965)	DSC	SS
Hemphill, John A. (1951)	DSC	SS(2)
Herkness, Lindsay C., Jr. (1939)	DSC	SS
Higgins, Walter N., Jr. (1939)	DSC	SS
Hightower, Louis V. (1931)	DSC	SS(2)
Hill, John G., Jr. (1946)	DSC	SS
Hine, Henry C., Jr. (1920)	DSC	SS
Hines, John L., Jr. (1927)	DSC(2)	SS
Hines, John L., Sr. (1891)	DSC	SS
Hodges, Courtney H. (1908)	DSC	SS
Hoge, William N. (1916)	DSC	SS(2)
Horner, Charles T., Jr. (1939)	DSC	SS(2)

Name/Class	DSC	SS
Hovde, William J. (1943)	DSC	SS
Hudson, Claude K. (1965)	DSC	SS(2)
Hughes, David R. (1950)	DSC	SS(3)
Hunter, Francis R. (1909)	DSC	SS
Hutchin, Claire E., Jr. (1938)	DSC(2)	SS
Jackson, Charles L. (1938)	DSC	SS
Johnson, John C. (1956)	DSC	SS
Jones, George N. (1935)	DSC	SS
Kaiser, James L. (1941)	DSC	SS
Kelly, John E. (1936)	DSC	SS
Kendall, Paul W. (1918)	DSC	SS(3)
Keyes, Geoffrey (1913)	DSC	SS(2)
King, Edward L. (1896)	DSC	SS
Kinnard, Harry W. (1939)	DSC	SS
Koehler, Elmer J. (1935)	DSC	SS
Kotrc, James C. (1964)	DSC	SS
Kress, John A. (1862)	DSC	SS
Langdon, Russell C. (1896)	DSC	SS
Lanham, Charles T. (1924)	DSC	SS(2)
Larsen, Stanley R. (1939)	DSC	SS
Lawton, John P. (1961)	DSC	SS(2)
Leary, Edmund N. (1892)	DSC	SS(3)
Leonard, John W. (1915)	DSC	SS
Lewis, Evan E. (1907)	DSC(2)	SS(3)
Lewis, John L. (1925)	DSC	SS
Litton, William P. (1940)	DSC	SS(2)
Luckett, James S. (1930)	DSC	SS(2)
Lundquist, Carl E. (1927)	DSC	SS(2)
MacLean, Allan D. (1930)	DSC	SS(2)
Magoffin, Morton D. (1937)	DSC	SS
Malone, Paul B. (1894)	DSC	SS(2)
March, Peyton C. (1888)	DSC	SS(5)
Marlin, Raymond B. (1939)	DSC	SS
Maroun, Autrey J. (1935)	DSC	SS
Massello, William , Jr. (1932)	DSC	SS(2)
Mathews, John H. (1931)	DSC	SS
Mattfeldt, John P. (1943)	DSC	SS
Maxey, Robert J. (1898)	DSC	SS

Name/Class	DSC	SS
McAlexander, Ulysses G. (1887)	DSC	SS
McAuliffe, Anthony C. (1919)	DSC	SS
McCabe, Robert C. (1938)	DSC	SS
McCaffrey, Barry R. (1964)	DSC(2)	SS(2)
McDaniel, William T. (1941)	DSC	SS
McDonald, John B. (1881)	DSC	SS
McEnery, John W. (1948)	DSC	SS(2)
McGarr, Lionel C. (1928)	DSC	SS(2)
McGowan, Robert S. (1952)	DSC	SS(3)
McMaster, George H. (1892)	DSC	SS
Melasky, Harris N. (1917)	DSC	SS
Mellnik, Stephen N. (1932)	DSC	SS
Meloy, Guy S., III (1953)	DSC	SS
Messinger, Edwin J. (1931)	DSC(2)	SS(2)
Meyer, Charles R. (1937)	DSC	SS(2)
Michaelis, John H. (1936)	DSC	SS(2)
Miller, Claude H. (1897)	DSC	SS
Milton, Theodore R., Sr. (1940)	DSC	SS
Moore, Ned D. (1930)	DSC	SS(2)
Morris, William H., Jr. (1911)	DSC	SS
Mucci, Henry A. (1936)	DSC	SS
Mudge, Verne D. (1920)	DSC	SS
Muir, Charles H. (1885)	DSC	SS
Newman, Aubrey S. (1925)	DSC	SS
Noble, Arthur K. (1929)	DSC	SS
Nolan, Dennis E. (1896)	DSC	SS(2)
Oden, Delk N. (1937)	DSC	SS(2)
O'Donnell, Emmett , Jr. (1928)	DSC	SS
Otis, Glenn K. (1953)	DSC	SS
Overton, Dolphin D., III (1949)	DSC	SS(4)
Pace, Herbert E., Jr. (1940)	DSC	SS
Parker, John H. (1892)	DSC(4)	SS
Partridge, Earle E. (1924)	DSC	SS
Patch, Alexander N., III (1942)	DSC	SS
Patton, George S. (1946)	DSC(2)	SS(2)
Patton, George S., Jr. (1909)	DSC(2)	SS
Paulick, Michael (1940)	DSC	SS(3)
Peale, James NI., Jr. (1937)	DSC	SS

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Name/Class	DSC	SS
Peck, Robert H. (1899)	DSC	SS
Peploe, George B. (1925)	DSC	SS(3)
Pershing, John J. (1886)	DSC	SS
Phillips, James H. (1919)	DSC	SS
Poore, Benjamin A. (1886)	DSC	SS(2)
Postlethwait, Edward N. (1937)	DSC	SS
Reed, Charles H. (1922)	DSC	SS(2)
Reeder, Russell P., Jr. (1926)	DSC	SS
Reeves, James H. (1892)	DSC	SS(2)
Reidy, Richard F. (1931)	DSC	SS
Rhodes, Charles D. (1899)	DSC	SS
Richardson, John B. (1904)	DSC	SS
Ridgway, Matthew B. (1917)	DSC(2)	SS(2)
Riley, Ronald J. (1965)	DSC	SS(2)
Robertson, Walter N. (1912)	DSC	SS
Rogers, Bernard W. (1943)	DSC	SS
Rogers, Gordon B. (1924)	DSC(2)	SS(2)
Rowan, Andrew S. (1881)	DSC	SS
Rozelle, George F., Jr. (1903)	DSC	SS
Russ, Joseph R. (1935)	DSC	SS
Ryder, Charles W. (1915)	DSC(2)	SS(4)
Schimmelpfennig, Irvin R. (1930)	DSC	SS
Scott, James A., III (1961)	DSC	SS
Shinberger, John B. (1933)	DSC	SS
Simpson, Everett S. (1938)	DSC	SS
Skeldon, James H. (1937)	DSC(2)	SS
Smith, Charles B. (1939)	DSC	SS
Smythe, George W. (1924)	DSC	SS(2)
Snow, William A. (1916)	DSC	SS
Stephens, Richard W. (1924)	DSC	SS(2)
Sternberg, Ben (1938)	DSC	SS
Summerall, Charles P., Sr. (1892)	DSC	SS(4)
Sweeney, Walter C., Jr. (1930)	DSC	SS
Swing, Joseph N. (1915)	DSC	SS(3)
Taylor, Ewing N. (1917)	DSC	SS(4)
Taylor, Maxwell D. (1922)	DSC	SS(2)

Name/Class	DSC	SS
Teeters, Bernard G. (1939)	DSC	SS
Throckmorton, John L. (1935)	DSC	SS
Timothy, James S. (1942)	DSC	SS(2)
Tolson, John J., III (1937)	DSC	SS
Trapnell, Thomas J. (1927)	DSC	SS(2)
Travis, Robert F. (1928)	DSC	SS(3)
Tucker, Reuben H. (1935)	DSC(2)	SS
Tucker, Robert E. (1935)	DSC	SS
Tuttle, Paul V., Jr. (1939)	DSC	SS
Upton, LaRoy S. (1891)	DSC	SS
Van Deusen, Frederick F. (1953)	DSC	SS
Van Fleet, James A. (1915)	DSC(3)	SS(3)
Vidmer, George (1894)	DSC	SS(2)
Volckmann, Russell W. (1934)	DSC(2)	SS
Wagner, Louis C. (1954)	DSC	SS
Walker, Walton H. (1912)	DSC(2)	SS(3)
Ward, Orlando (1914)	DSC	SS(2)
Waters, John K. (1931)	DSC	SS(3)
Weaver, James R. (1911)	DSC	SS
Weaver, William G. (1912)	DSC(2)	SS
Weems, George H. (1917)	DSC	SS
Welborn, John C. (1932)	DSC	SS(2)
Wetzel, Allan R. (1961)	DSC	SS
White, Lawrence K. (1933)	DSC	SS
Whitman, Walter N. (1891)	DSC	SS
Whitson, Robert K. (1916)	DSC	SS(2)
Wilson, James W. (1939)	DSC	SS(2)
Wilson, Russell A. (1928)	DSC	SS
Wirt, Charles A. (1943)	DSC	SS
Wohner, John H. (1940)	DSC	SS
Wood, John S. (1912)	DSC	SS
Wooten, Sidney C. (1930)	DSC	SS
Wyman, Willard G. (1919)	DSC	SS
York, Robert H. (1938)	DSC	SS(3)

MULTIPLE AWARDS OF THE SILVER STAR

The record number of Silver Stars awarded to a single individual are the TEN Silver Stars awarded to David Haskell Hackworth (3 in Korea and 7 in Vietnam), who received a battlefield commission. USMA Alumni John T. Corley (1938) is one of two men to received EIGHT Silver Stars. Douglas MacArthur (1903) is one of two men to receive seven Silver Stars, and Charles Gezt (1959) is one of five men to get SIX Silver Stars. Thirty USMA Alumni received FOUR Silver Stars, 101 USMA Alumni received THREE Silver Stars, and 481 USMA Alumni received TWO Silver Stars. Below are all of the USMA Alumni to received three or more Silver Stars:

Name/Class	Pre- WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	RVN	Total
Corley, John T. (1938)			5	3		8
MacArthur, Douglas (1903)		7				7
Getz, Charles E. (1959)					6	6
Bahnsen, John C., Jr. (1956)					5	5
Emerson, Henry E. (1947)				2	3	5
Leggett, William T., Jr. (1952)					5	5
March, Peyton C. (1888)	5					5
Mildren, Frank T. (1939)			2	3		5
Yuill, Charles W. (1917)		5				5
Bell, Raymond E. (1927)			4			4
Berry, Sidney B. (1948)				2	2	4
Bond, Van H. (1931)			4			4
Bowen, Frank S., Jr. (1926)			3	1		4
Bradley, Joseph S. (1919)			2	2		4
Callaway, John W. (1941)				4		4
Clay, Frank B. (1942)			1		3	4
Cleary, Thomas J., Jr. (1941)				4		4
Crow, James E. (1952)			1		3	4
Dodds, William H., Jr. (1905)		4				4
Doe, Jens A. (1914)		1	3			4
Dolvin, Welborn G. (1939)			1	3		4
Hall, Charles P. (1911)		3	1			4
Hinds, Sidney R. (1920)			4			4
Johnson, Walter M. (1927)			4			4
Klein, William E. (1954)					4	4

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Name/Class	Pre-WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	RVN	Total
Loeffke, Bernard (1957)					4	4
Lynch, John M. (1936)			1	3		4
McChrystal, Herbert J., Jr. (1945)				1	3	4
Meyer, Henry J. (1919)			1	3		4
Nuttman, Louis M. (1895)	4					4
Olds, Robin (1943)			2		2	4
Overton, Dolphin D., III (1949)				4		4
Pendleton, Elmer D., Jr. (1951)					4	4
Ryder, Charles W. (1915)		3	1			4
Sears, Hayden A. (1920)			4			4
Slavens, Thomas H. (1887)	2	2				4
Summerall, Charles P., Sr. (1892)	4					4
Swanton, Donovan (1917)		2	2			4
Taylor, Ewing M. (1917)		4				4
Wahl, George D. (1917)		4				4
Babcock, Conrad S. (1898)	1	2				3
Barber, Henry A., III (1943)			1	1	1	3
Barth, George B. (1918)			1	2		3
Beach, Karl L. (1963)					3	3
Bechtold, Edward S. (1935)			3			3
Benedict, Calvert P. (1946)					3	3
Bixby, Ernest A. (1919)			3			3
Bolling, Alexander R., Jr. (1943)			1		2	3
Bowen, Orloff L., Jr. (1940)			3			3
Burris, James C. (1954)					3	3
Caldwell, William B., III (1948)				2	1	3
Carpenter, John W., III (1939)			3			3
Casey, George W. (1945)				1	2	3
Chamberlain, Thomas C. (1940)			3			3
Cherry, Henry T., Jr. (1935)			3			3
Clainos, Peter D. (1933)			1	2		3
Clarke, Bruce C. (1925)			3			3
Clifford, Paul T. (1939)				3		3
Cole, George R. (1937)			1	2		3
Cole, Richard B. (1963)					3	3
Collier, John H. (1919)			3			3

Name/Class	Pre-WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	RVN	Total
Conley, Edgar T., Jr. (1929)			3			3
Conmy, Joseph B., Jr. (1943)				1	2	3
Daly, Michael J. (1945)			3			3
Daum, Richard S. (1960)					3	3
Deane, John R., Jr. (1942)			1		2	3
DeLuca, Anthony P. (1953)					3	3
Doan, Leander L. (1927)			3			3
Duquemin, Gordon J. (1947)				1	2	3
Edson, Hallett D. (1934)			2	1		3
Edwards, Clarence R. (1883)	3					3
Eichelberger, Robert L. (1909)			3			3
Ellsworth, Robert A. (1924)			3			3
Ely, Hanson E. (1891)	1	2				3
Exton, Hugh M. (1935)			3			3
Finn, John M. (1938)			3			3
Fitzpatrick, Thomas E. (1952)					3	3
Flint, Harry A. (1912)			3			3
Forrest, John F. (1949)				2	1	3
Grant, Walter H. (1939)			3			3
Hale, Glynn W. (1967)					3	3
Harrington, John B. (1965)					3	3
Hart, Franklin A. (1954)					3	3
Hawkins, Hamilton S. (1894)	2	1				3
Higinbotham, Lewis (1962)					3	3
Hillyard, Harry L. (1934)			3			3
Hoblitt, Jerry N. (1958)					3	3
Hoge, William M. (1916)		1	2			3
Hughes, David R. (1950)				2	1	3
Hutcheson, Grote (1884)	3					3
Irving, Frederick A. (1917)		1	2			3
Jenna, William W. (1917)			3			3
Johnson, Marshall B. (1962)					3	3
Kalakuka, Theodore (1927)			3			3
Kendall, Paul W. (1918)			3			3
Kennedy, John T. (1908)		3				3
Kern, William B. (1934)			2	1		3
Kerth, Monroe C. (1898)	3					3

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Name/Class	Pre-WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	RVN	Total
Knowlton, William A. (1943)			1		2	3
Krawciw, Nicholas S. (1959)					3	3
Leahy, Osmund A. (1940)			3			3
Leary, Edmund M. (1892)	3					3
Lenhart, George D. (1961)					3	3
Lewis, Evan E. (1907)		3				3
Lowder, Henry I. (1952)					3	3
Madden, Jim L. (1961)					3	3
McArthur, John C. (1894)	2	1				3
McCaffrey, William J. (1939)			1	2		3
McDowell, John M. (1909)		3				3
McGowan, Robert S. (1952)					3	3
McInerney, James E., Jr. (1952)					3	3
Mead, Armistead D. (1924)			1	2		3
Moore, William C. (1952)					3	3
O'Grady, George L., Jr. (1957)					3	3
Parker, James (1876)	3					3
Paulick, Michael (1940)			3			3
Peploe, George B. (1925)				3		3
Phelan, John J. (1936)			3			3
Pugh, John R. (1932)			3			3
Purdue, Branner P. (1925)			3			3
Rattan, Donald V. (1945)					2	3
Richardson, Jack J. (1935)			3			3
Rippert, Jacob K. (1939)			3			3
Rowny, Edward L. (1941)			2	1		3
Ryder, Charles W., Jr. (1942)			1		2	3
Schelter, Louis J., Jr. (1945)				1	2	3
Schwarzkopf, H. N. (1956)					3	3
Simpson, William C. (1946)				1	2	3
Sink, Robert F. (1927)			2	1		3
Sloane, Charles C., Jr. (1926)				3		3
Stannard, John E. (1946)			1		2	3
Swing, Joseph M. (1915)			3			3
Todd, Henry D., Jr. (1890)		3				3
Travis, Robert F. (1928)			3			3
Van Fleet, James A. (1915)		1	2			3

Name/Class	Pre-WWI	WWI	WWII	KOR	RVN	Total
Verbeck, William J. (1927)			3			3
Walker, Walton H. (1912)		2	1			3
Ward, Brien D. (1955)					3	3
Waters, John K. (1931)			3			3
Watson, Numa A. (1922)			2	1		3
Wayne, Robert E. (1946)					3	3
Westbrook, Joseph A. (1963)					3	3
Woodruff, Roscoe B. (1915)			3			3
York, Robert H. (1938)			3			3

RECIPIENTS WHO WERE KIA OR MIA

The following are the USMA Silver Star recipients who made the ultimate sacrifice, sorted by Class Year. An asterisk (*) following the class year indicates a non-graduating member of that class.:

Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1877	Mann, James Defrees	SS	KIA (Indian Campaigns)	January 15, 1891
1898	Maxey, Robert Jayne	SS	KIA (WWI)	May 28, 1918
1912	Flint, Harry Albert	3@ SS	KIA (WWII)	July 24, 1944
1914	Weissheimer, John Warren	SS	KIA (WWI)	October 18, 1918
1915	Mendenhall, John Ross	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 27, 1945
1918	Cothran, Wade Rushton, Jr.	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1918	Searby, Edmund Wilson	SS	KIA (WWII)	September 14, 1944
1918	Vesey, Robert Hale	SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	July 3, 1942
1919	Newcomer, David Albert	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	August 25, 1944
1919	Sheehy, John Wyville	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 15, 1944
1920	Roberts, Thomas Arnett, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 4, 1944
1923	Barton, David Barbour	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 3, 1944
1923	Breitung, Howard Edward C.	2@ SS	POW (WWII) KIA	September 29, 1942
1923	Granberry, Hal Clark	2@ SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	January 27, 1945
1923	Silverthorne, Carl Douglas	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 26, 1944
1923	Storck, Louis John	SS	KIA (WWII)	July 30, 1944
1924	Cornog, William Wallace, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 10, 1944
1924	Hadsell, George Arthur, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 7, 1944
1924	Mitchell, Floyd Allen	SS	POW (WWII) KIA-KK	December 15, 1944
1925	Bennett, John Howard	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1925	Griffith, Welborn Barton, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 16, 1944
1925	Ketchum, Hubert Whitney	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 24, 1941
1925	Lewis, John Llewellyn	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 25, 1945
1926	O'Connor, Richard Edward	SS	KIA (WWII)	July 18, 1943
1926	Smith, George Albert, Jr.	2@ SS	KIA (WWII)	March 1, 1945
1926	Woodbridge, John Prichard	SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	January 9, 1945
1927	Ganahl, Joseph	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	February 11, 1945
1927	Kalakuka, Theodore	3@ SS	POW (WWII) KIA	October 31, 1942
1928	Davis, Leroy Cullom	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 31, 1943
1928	Lewis, Eugene Thomas	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 31, 1945
1928	Mansfield, Clayton John	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 9, 1945

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Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1928	McNair, Douglas Crevier	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 6, 1944
1928	Montgomery, Hampden Eugene	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	February 5, 1945
1928	Ross, Leslie George	2@ SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 9, 1945
1928	Thayer, Allen	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 18, 1945
1928	Wilson, Russell Alger	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	March 6, 1944
1929	Forney, Frank Hartman	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	November 29, 1950
1929	Grier, James Leitch	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 30, 1944
1929	Johnson, Robert Campbell	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 3, 1944
1929	Latimer, William James, Jr.	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 23, 1945
1929	Moseley, Eugene Louis	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 26, 1944
1929	Noble, Arthur Knight	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	November 1, 1943
1930	Castle, Frederick Walker	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 24, 1944
1930	Haggerty, Robert Foster	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1930	Haugen, Orin Doughty	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 12, 1945
1930	Hurt, Marshall Hill, Jr.	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	April 3, 1945
1930	Lothrop, Robert Blake	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	October 15, 1944
1930	MacLean, Allan Duard	2@ SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	November 29, 1950
1930	Ohme, Herman William	SS	KIA (WWII)	October 14, 1944
1930	Packard, Harry Brown	2@ SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 27, 1945
1930	Schimmelpennig, Irvin Rudolph	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 4, 1945
1930	Simpson, Frederick James	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 14, 1945
1930	Walsh, Birrell	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	February 10, 1945
1931	Frederick, Charles Elder	2@ SS	KIA (WWII)	October 20, 1943
1931	Marshall, Alfred Cookman, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 4, 1944
1931	Mathews, John Hubert	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 6, 1944
1931	Saint, Frederick Gilman	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 24, 1945
1932	Glassburn, Robert Douglass	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 30, 1945
1932	Jones, David Emory	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 10, 1945
1932	Maguire, William Halford	SS	POW-KIA (WWII)	February 9, 1945
1932	McQuade, Bernard William	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 6, 1944
1932	Spengler, Daniel Stickley	SS	KIA (WWII)	July 8, 1944
1933	Ball, William Harris	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	May 20, 1942
1933	Blatt, Richard Allen	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 7, 1944
1933	Bonner, Marshall	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	June 26, 1944
1933	Dalton, James Leo, II	SS	KIA (WWII)	May 16, 1945
1933	Darby, William Orlando	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 30, 1945
1933	Gregory, Roy Dunscomb	SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	October 24, 1944
1933	Hall, Thomas Burns	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	February 11, 1951

Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1933	Hawkins, Jesse Martin, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 31, 1944
1933	Schenck, Harry Winfield	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	February 21 1945
1933	Warren, Miller Payne, Jr.	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 9, 1945
1933	Williams, Joseph Ermine	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 28, 1945
1934	Cleary, Joseph Aloysius	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	January 16, 1942
1934	Cummins, Joseph Michael, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	March 1, 1945
1934	Merrill, John Wentworth	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 24, 1944
1934	Van Nostrand, William Starr	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	MIA (as a POW): 1945
1934	Weber, Edward Ernest Bruno	SS	KIA (WWII)	May 30, 1944
1935	Burley, Wilson Larzelere, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 15, 1944
1935	Herold, William Lee	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 20, 1944
1935*	Hilgard, Carter Dexter	SS	KIA (Korea)	August 26, 1950
1935	Jones, Paul Montgomery	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	October 24, 1944
1935	Koehler, Elmer John	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 16, 1945
1935	Neiger, John	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1935	Richardson, Jack Jones	3@ SS	KIA (WWII)	April 22, 1945
1935	Smith, Edwin Major	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 13, 1944
1935	Treacy, Edgar Joseph, Jr.	2@ SS	POW (Korea) MIA	May 31, 1951
1935	Wilson, John Newton	SS	KIA (WWII)	July 11, 1944
1936	Clifford, Thomas Edgar	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 24, 1945
1936	Godfray, Leonard Clement	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	June 6, 1944
1936	Goldtrap, John Clarke	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1936	Kellam, Frederick Caesar Augustus	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 6, 1944
1936	Oliver, Francis McDonald	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 9, 1944
1936	Phelan, John James	3@ SS	KIA (WWII)	April 15, 1945
1936	Prichard, Lawrence Frederick	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 9, 1945
1937	Ames, Godfrey Roland	2@ SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 31, 1945
1937	Browne, Charles Janvrin	SS	POW (WWII) MIA	January 9, 1945
1937	Crawford, William Riddick	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 6, 1945
1937	Dunmyer, William James	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1937	Greeley, Horace John	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 31, 1945
1937	Hill, Richard Frederick	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1937	Joerg, Wood Guice	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 7, 1945
1937	Lauman, Philip Gatch, Jr.	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 15, 1944
1937	Little, Augustine Patterson, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 29, 1944
1937	Maybach, Alfred Allen	SS	KIA (WWII)	November 12, 1944
1937	Quillian, Amzi Rudolph	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 4, 1944

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Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1937	Robinson, William Leslie	SS	POW (WWII) MIA	January 21 1945
1937	Truxtun, Thomas	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 6, 1945
1937	Uglow, Homer Harvey	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	January 28, 1945
1937	Wynkoop, Hueston Richard	SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	December 15, 1944
1938	Barbour, Samuel Llewellyn, Jr.	2@ SS	POW (WWII) KIA	February 13, 1945
1938	Barker, Joseph Rhett, II	SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	November 1943
1938	Barker, Robert Allois	SS	POW (WWII) MIA	January 17, 1945
1938	Browne, Barry Duran	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 25, 1944
1938	Clarkson, Gordon Madison	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 28, 1944
1938	Holmes, James Russell	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	October 24, 1944
1938	Kappes, George	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	October 24, 1944
1938	Shiley, Earle Metzger	2@ SS	POW-KIA (WWII)	February 2, 1945
1938	Taber, Morris Frederick	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 8, 1944
1938	Talbott, Coral Max	2@ SS	POW (WWII) KIA	KIA (as a POW):
1939	Bowman, Charles Henry	2@ SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	January 11, 1945
1939	Christian, Thomas Jonathan J., Jr.	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	August 12, 1944
1939	Davis, John Tyler	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 8, 1945
1939	Huse, John Ernest Linwood	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	February 3, 1942
1939	Jones, William Charles	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	June 13, 1943
1939	LaPrade, James Louis	2@ SS	KIA (WWII)	December 19, 1944
1939	Lehr, Philip Henry	SS	POW (WWII) KIA	December 31, 1944
1939	McCray, James Oren	SS	KIA (WWII)	October 26, 1944
1939	Scott, Stanley Clippinger	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 3, 1944
1939	Webster, Thomas James	SS	KIA (WWII)	October 27, 1943
1939	White, Charles Edward	SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	September 7, 1944
1940	Bowen, Orloff Lake, Jr.	3@ SS	KIA (WWII)	January 30, 1944
1940	Colby, Ralph Adair	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 2, 1943
1940	Gerald, John Paul	SS	KIA (WWII)	October 17, 1944
1940	Johnson, Carter Burdeau	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 28, 1943
1940	McGinity, James Edward	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 6, 1944
1940	Meigs, Montgomery Cunningham	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 11, 1944
1940	Pace, Herbert Edward, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 28, 1942
1940	Peter, Howard Lewis	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	January 28, 1943
1940	Pitman, James Harold	SS	KIA (WWII)	September 18, 1944
1940	Schwab, Virgil Alvin	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	July 29, 1942
1940	Stablein, Milford Franklin	SS	KIA (WWII)	November 13, 1944
1940	Toth, Jerry Geza	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	April 7, 1942
1940	Wald, Walter Israel	SS	POW (WWII) MIA-KIA	September 7, 1944

Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1940	Webb, Clyde Henry, Jr.	2@ SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	August 26, 1942
1940	Wells, Rush Spencer, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 28, 1944
1940	Williams, Robert Lamar	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	September 16, 1942
1941	Austin, Emory Ashel, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	May 15, 1943
1941	Boggs, Edgar Clayton	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 5, 1945
1941	Clapp, Wadsworth Paul	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 22, 1945
1941	Cummings, Robert Lloyd	SS	KIA (WWII)	November 30, 1944
1941	Dienelt, James Henderson	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	June 11, 1943
1941	Gillis, William Graham, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	October 10, 1944
1941*	Harwood, Jonathan Hartwell, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 6, 1944
1941	Jones, Perry Thompson	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 12, 1945
1941	Kromer, William Annesley	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 30, 1944
1941	McDaniel, William Thomas	SS	POW (Korea) KIA	October 20, 1950
1941	Polla, Hector John	SS	POW (WWII) MIA	December 15, 1944
1941	Rosen, Robert Harold	SS	KIA (WWII)	September 20, 1944
1941	Tate, Joseph Scranton, Jr.	SS	MIA (WWII) KIA	December 22, 1943
1941	Ward, Joseph Hester	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 5, 1945
1942	Berra, Charles	SS	KIA (WWII)	November 18, 1944
1942	Chatfield, Keith Grayson	SS	KIA (WWII)	November 29, 1944
1942	Dziuban, Thaddeus Francis	SS	KIA (WWII)	June 18, 1944
1942	Farrell, Thomas Francis, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 25, 1944
1942	Horan, Philip Edward, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 15, 1945
1942	McKee, John Lloyd, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 12, 1945
1942	Patch, Alexander McCarrell, III	SS	KIA (WWII)	October 22, 1944
1943	Abbott, John Edward, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 5, 1945
1943	Burdett, Edward Burke	SS	POW (RVN) KIA	November 18, 1967
1943	Clemenson, Wendell Lapsley	SS	KIA (WWII)	November 6, 1944
1943	Combs, Richard Maddox	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 28, 1944
1943	Davis, Lawton	SS	KIA (WWII)	January 16, 1945
1943	Derouin, Frank David	2@ SS	KIA (WWII)	November 13, 1944
1943	Featherston, John Henry, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	March 24, 1945
1943	Field, Fearn	SS	KIA (WWII)	March 6, 1945
1943	Finley, Charles Robert, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	August 8, 1944
1943	Hall, Dick Elmo	SS	KIA (WWII)	July 30, 1944
1943	Kenyon, Harry Jesse, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	March 24, 1945
1943	Martin, Thomas Hutson, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 8, 1945
1943	Mattfeldt, John Price	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 25, 1945
1943	Mills, Benjamin Willis, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	September 7, 1944

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Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1943	Pratt, Woodrow Wilson	SS	KIA (WWII)	November 20, 1944
1943	Rumbough, James Edwin Hickey	SS	KIA (WWII)	December 3, 1944
1943	Susank, Firman Edward	SS	KIA (WWII)	May 26, 1944
1943	Wheeler, Patrick Wester	2@ SS	KIA (WWII)	February 10, 1945
1944	Cowherd, Richard Mansur	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 21, 1945
1944	Hazen, John Livermore, Jr.	SS	KIA (WWII)	February 24, 1945
1944	Huling, John William	SS	KIA (WWII)	April 5, 1945
1944	Milam, James Thomas	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 5, 1950
1944	Wells, John Thomas, III	SS	KIA (Korea)	June 1, 1951
1945	Bruckner, John Adam, IV	SS	KIA (Korea)	December 31, 1951
1945	Casey, George William	3@ SS	KIA (RVN)	July 7, 1970
1945	Crary, William Burton	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 14, 1950
1945	Horan, Robert Marshall	SS	KIA (Korea)	October 17, 1950
1945	Howe, Louis William	SS	KIA (Korea)	January 31, 1951
1945	Hynds, Wallace Gourley, Jr.	SS	MIA (RVN) KIA	August 2, 1967
1945	McCarrell, Raymond James	SS	KIA (Korea)	March 2, 1951
1945	McElroy, Edward Rexford	2@ SS	KIA (Korea)	September 2, 1951
1945	Morrow, Jared William	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 1, 1950
1945	Poston, Edmund David	SS	KIA (Korea)	May 19, 1951
1945	Slack, Clarence Virgil, Jr.	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	March 14, 1951
1945	Truxes, Arthur Henry, Jr.	2@ SS	KIA (Korea)	November 30, 1950
1946	Cavanaugh, Edward Joseph	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	July 29, 1971
1946*	Frost, William Russell, Jr.	SS	KIA (Korea)	August 21, 1950
1946	Miller, George Livingston	SS	KIA (RVN)	December 6, 1969
1947	Crosby, Stanley Warfield, Jr.	SS	KIA (Korea)	August 10, 1950
1947	Majeske, LeRoy Emil	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 1, 1950
1947	Strong, Gordon Malin	SS	KIA (Korea)	August 7, 1950
1948	Anthis, Louis Leland	SS	KIA (Korea)	August 23, 1950
1948	Ross, Tenney Kutz	SS	KIA (Korea)	November 6, 1950
1949	Cummings, Barnard, Jr.	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	November 26, 1950
1949	Ford, Wallace Addison	SS	MIA (RVN) KIA	May 24, 1968
1949	Giddings, Joseph Attwood, Jr.	SS	KIA (Korea)	November 30, 1950
1949	Hardaway, Thomas Gray	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 8, 1950
1949	Harris, Leslie Earle, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	May 5, 1968
1949	Kirkpatrick, Leslie Whittington	SS	KIA (Korea)	November 5, 1950
1949	Marshburn, Herbert Edgar, Jr.	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	December 3, 1950
1949	Odell, Fenton McGlachlin	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 2, 1950
1949	Paden, Jerome Jay	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 20, 1950

Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1949*	Spraker, Harry William, Jr.	SS	KIA (Korea)	February 4, 1951
1949	Toomey, Joseph Daniel	SS	POW (Korea) MIA	November 28, 1950
1950	Bates, John Olin, Jr.	SS	KIA (Korea)	June 12, 1952
1950	Butler, Charles Lewis	SS	KIA (RVN)	June 21, 1972
1950	Christensen, Frank Peter	SS	KIA (Korea)	February 13, 1951
1950	Coates, Willard Holbrook	SS	KIA (Korea)	November 28, 1950
1950	Greene, Thomas Patrick	SS	KIA (Korea)	February 10, 1951
1950	Hagler, Carter Burdell	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	November 28, 1950
1950	Kellum, William Harold	SS	POW (Korea) KIA	June 15, 1951
1950	Lilly, Edmund Jones, III	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	September 3, 1950
1950	Osborne, Stanley David	SS	KIA (Korea)	July 17, 1953
1950	Pierce, James Robinson, Jr.	SS	KIA (Korea)	June 16, 1952
1950	Robinson, Robert Webb	SS	KIA (Korea)	September 21, 1950
1950	Webster, Warren, III	2@ SS	KIA (Korea)	February 21, 1953
1951	Barott, William Chauncey	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	November 4, 1966
1951	Cooper, Roland Eugene	SS	KIA (Korea)	October 26, 1952
1951	Lutterloh, Samuel Ayer	SS	POW (Korea) KIA	September 2, 1952
1951	Storck, Louis John	SS	KIA (Korea)	October 6, 1952
1952	Austin, Joseph Clair	2@ SS	MIA (RVN) KIA	March 19, 1967
1952	Cummings, Thompson	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	July 24, 1953
1952	Good, Kenneth Newlon	SS	KIA (RVN)	January 2, 1963
1952	Inman, Richard George	SS	MIA (Korea) KIA	July 7, 1953
1953	O'Connor, Mortimer Lelane	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	April 1, 1968
1953	Van Deusen, Frederick French	SS	KIA (RVN)	July 3, 1968
1954	Lucas, Andre Cavaro	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	July 23, 1970
1956	Stewart, Robert Allan	SS	MIA (RVN) KIA	May 12, 1967
1957	Hanawald, Len Martin	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	September 3, 1969
1958	Lynch, Richard Thomas	SS	KIA (RVN)	September 10, 1964
1958	Malone, Lawrence Michael	SS	KIA (RVN)	January 7, 1968
1958	Morrill, Merwin Lamphrey	SS	MIA (RVN) KIA	August 21, 1967
1958	Spencer, Floyd Brown, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	January 31, 1968
1959	Quinn, Roger Allan	SS	KIA (RVN)	April 3, 1968
1960	Boyd, Richard Klemm, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	October 26, 1967
1960	Bunting, Bertram Arnold	SS	KIA (RVN)	February 12, 1968
1960	Field, Michael Finlay	SS	KIA (RVN)	October 16, 1967
1960	McInerney, Richard Nash	SS	KIA (RVN)	March 11, 1967
1961	Hines, Ronald Dickerson	SS	KIA (RVN)	April 26, 1964
1961	Pusser, Thomas Wilson	SS	KIA (RVN)	October 22, 1965

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Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1962	Hoos, William Arthur, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	February 14, 1966
1962	Reach, William Thomas	SS	KIA (RVN)	January 9, 1965
1963	Alakulppi, Vesa Juhani	SS	KIA (RVN)	May 14, 1968
1963	Bentson, Peter Morgan	SS	KIA (RVN)	July 9, 1972
1963	Childers, Stephen Andrew	SS	KIA (RVN)	January 19, 1967
1963	Kilroy, Michael Winston	SS	KIA (RVN)	May 19, 1966
1963	McCord, Burton Kyle	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	April 14, 1966
1963	Walker, Ralph Bamford, II	SS	KIA (RVN)	May 29, 1967
1964	Graham, John Meigs	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	January 16, 1971
1964	Green, Martin Levering, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	May 11, 1969
1964	Hottell, John Alexander, III	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	July 7, 1970
1964	Kaufman, Harold James	SS	KIA (RVN)	November 20, 1967
1964	Kiley, Michael James	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	November 20, 1967
1964	Kotrc, James Carl	SS	KIA (RVN)	July 29, 1969
1964	Nawrosky, Michael Robert	SS	KIA (RVN)	July 6, 1968
1964	Ramsay, David LeRoy	SS	KIA (RVN)	August 17, 1970
1964	Serio, Robert Frank, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	April 17, 1968
1964	Szekely, Akos Dezso	SS	KIA (RVN)	September 11, 1968
1965	Arvin, Carl Robert	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	October 8, 1967
1965	Davis, Leonard Douglas	SS	KIA (RVN)	August 2, 1966
1965*	Harper, Richard Walker	SS	KIA (RVN)	January 31, 1968
1965	Hays, John Hulsey	SS	KIA (RVN)	November 8, 1968
1965	Keats, Robert George	SS	KIA (RVN)	February 2, 1968
1965	Kistler, Bernard Francis	SS	KIA (RVN)	November 8, 1966
1965	O'Toole, George Patrick, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	December 12, 1967
1965	Wuertenberger, Charles Edgar	SS	KIA (RVN)	January 17, 1968
1966	Fera, John Anthony	SS	KIA (RVN)	March 18, 1968
1966	Hayes, Thomas Jay, IV	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	April 17, 1968
1966	Hood, Richard Elmo, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	June 22, 1967
1966	Judd, Donald Richard	SS	KIA (RVN)	June 22, 1967
1966	Kimbrell, Gordon Talmage, Jr.	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	June 11, 1970
1966	Lantz, Peter James	SS	KIA (RVN)	November 20, 1967
1966	McKibbin, Hugh Robert, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	February 2, 1968
1966	Meszar, Frank, III	SS	KIA (RVN)	March 2, 1969
1966	Thompson, Richard William	SS	KIA (RVN)	November 19, 1967
1967	Adams, James Robert	SS	KIA (RVN)	March 20, 1968
1967	Carlson, Gary William	SS	KIA (RVN)	June 19, 1969
1967	Corley, John Thomas, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	September 8, 1968

Year	Name	SS	KIA-MIA-POW	Died
1967	Frazer, Ronald Lloyd	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	May 24, 1968
1967	Nathe, Michael Leo	SS	KIA (RVN)	August 29, 1968
1967	Parr, Michael Gramling	SS	KIA (RVN)	November 27, 1968
1967	Thompson, Thomas Donald, Jr.	2@ SS	KIA (RVN)	March 2, 1969
1968	Darling, John Edward, Jr.	SS	KIA (RVN)	May 18, 1970
1968	Ericson, William Forsell, II	SS	KIA (RVN)	July 15, 1969
1968	Maddux, David Thornton	SS	KIA (RVN)	August 9, 1970
1968	Riek, Jeffry Randal	SS	KIA (RVN)	February 25, 1970
1969	Bass, George Clinger	SS	KIA (RVN)	March 6, 1971
2001	Bernstein, David Richard	SS	KIA (GWOT)	October 18, 2003
2005	Ferrara, Matthew Charles	SS	KIA (GWOT)	November 9, 2007
2008	Byers, Andrew David	SS	KIA (GWOT)	November 2, 2016

RECIPIENTS BY RANK

The following table illustrates the disbursement of Silver Star awards to all USMA alumni by their rank at the time of their action:

Lieutenant General	7
Major General	87
Brigadier General	168
Colonel	669
Lieutenant Colonel	958
Major	465
Captain	80
First Lieutenant	493
Second Lieutenant	90
Lieutenant	1
The following are Enlisted Men who earned Silver Stars before attending the U.S. Military Academy.	
Sergeant Major	1
Sergeant	2
Specialist Four	1
Private First Class	1
Private	4
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The table below breaks down awards by rank at the time of action, sorted by war:

Indian Campaigns	
Major	1
Captain	2
First Lieutenant	6
Second Lieutenant	2

Spanish-American War	
Colonel	5

Lieutenant Colonel	3
Major	20
Captain	20
First Lieutenant	35
Second Lieutenant	1

Philippine Insurrection	
Brigadier General	1

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Colonel	1
Lieutenant Colonel	4
Major	21
Captain	26
First Lieutenant	18
Second Lieutenant	8

China (Boxer Rebellion)

Major	2
Captain	6
Second Lieutenant	2

Mexican Border Wars

Major	2
Captain	2
First Lieutenant	2
Second Lieutenant	1

World War I

Major General	1
Brigadier General	12
Colonel	49
Lieutenant Colonel	30
Major	48
Captain	45
First Lieutenant	4
Second Lieutenant	2
Lieutenant	1
Sergeant	1
Private	3

World War II

Lieutenant General	5
Major General	69
Brigadier General	94
Colonel	406
Lieutenant Colonel	561
Major	189
Captain	153
First Lieutenant	67
Second Lieutenant	21
Sergeant Major	1

Sergeant	1
Private First Class	1
Private	1

Korean War

Lieutenant General	1
Major General	12
Brigadier General	33
Colonel	85
Lieutenant Colonel	69
Major	23
Captain	75
First Lieutenant	168
Second Lieutenant	37

Congo (1964)

Lieutenant Colonel	1

Dominican Republic

Colonel	1
Captain	3
Second Lieutenant	1

Vietnam War

Lieutenant General	1
Major General	5
Brigadier General	27
Colonel	119
Lieutenant Colonel	284
Major	158
Captain	460
First Lieutenant	181
Second Lieutenant	12
Specialist Four	1

Korean DMZ

Captain	1

Gulf War (1991)

Lieutenant Colonel	2
Major	1
Captain	5

First Lieutenant	2
Second Lieutenant	2

Somalia (1993)	
Lieutenant Colonel	1
Captain	3

War on Terrorism	
Brigadier General	1
Colonel	2
Lieutenant Colonel	3
Captain	14
First Lieutenant	11
Second Lieutenant	1
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WWI & WWII RECIPIENTS BY UNIT

World War I

U.S. Army Air Service	
135th Aero Squadron	1
Pursuit Group	1
U.S. Army	
American Expeditionary Forces	
Division Artillery	1
Unknown	14
Unknown Field Artillery Bn.	1
2d Engineer School	1
63d Infantry Brigade	1
154th Infantry Brigade	1
Tank Corps	1
1st Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
3d Machine Gun Bn.	5
5th Field Artillery Regiment	4
6th Field Artillery Regiment	6
7th Field Artillery Regiment	8
16th Infantry Regiment	6
18th Infantry Regiment	8
26th Infantry Regiment	2
28th Infantry Regiment	4
2d Division, A.E.F.	
12th Field Artillery Regiment	10
15th Field Artillery Regiment	5
17th Field Artillery Regiment	1
2d Field Artillery Brigade	1
2d Engineer Regiment	2
9th Infantry Regiment	5
23d Infantry Regiment	2
3d Infantry Brigade	4

3d Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
Unknown	2
7th Machine Gun Bn.	2
10th Field Artillery Regiment	1
18th Field Artillery Regiment	1
76th Field Artillery Regiment	3
6th Engineer Regiment	2
4th Infantry Regiment	1
7th Infantry Regiment	2
30th Infantry Regiment	2
38th Infantry Regiment	6
6th Infantry Brigade	2
4th Division A.E.F.	
4th Engineer Regiment	1
47th Infantry Regiment	1
58th Infantry Regiment	2
59th Infantry Regiment	3
5th Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	2
Unknown	5
13th Machine Gun Bn.	2
15th Machine Gun Bn.	1
7th Engineer Regiment	2
6th Infantry Regiment	1
11th Infantry Regiment	2
60th Infantry Regiment	1
6th Division, A.E.F.	
17th Machine Gun Bn.	1
7th Division, A.E.F.	
34th Infantry Regiment	2
56th Infantry Regiment	2
64th Infantry Regiment	1

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16th Division, A.E.F.	
Unknown	1
26th Division, A.E.F.	
51st Field Artillery Brigade	1
102d Infantry Regiment	4
27th Division, A.E.F.	
105th Infantry Regiment	1
32d Division, A.E.F.	
127th Infantry Regiment	1
33d Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
124th Field Artillery Regiment	1
58th FA Brigade	3
35th Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
36th Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
142d Infantry Regiment	1
37th Division, A.E.F.	
146th Infantry Regiment	1
42d Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	6
Unknown	1
51st Infantry Regiment	2
77th Division, A.E.F.	
Unknown	1
152d FA Brigade	1
306th Infantry Regiment	1

78th Division, A.E.F.	
309th Infantry Regiment	1
310th Infantry Regiment	1
79th Division, A.E.F.	
157th Infantry Brigade	1
313th Infantry Regiment	1
81st Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
82d Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
326th Infantry Regiment	1
89th Division, A.E.F.	
354th Infantry Regiment	2
90th Division, A.E.F.	
Unknown	2
359th Infantry Regiment	1
91st Division, A.E.F.	
Headquarters	1
Unknown	1
362d Infantry Regiment	2
92d Division, A.E.F.	
Unknown	1
Total	196

World War II

Marines

4th Marine Regiment	1

Army Air Forces

5th Air Force	
Unknown	1
1st Air Group	1
808th Bomb Wing	1
49th Fighter Group	1
3d Bomb Group (L)	1
19th Bomb Group (H)	8
345th Bomb Group (M)	1
380th Bomb Group (H)	1
7th Air Force	
18th Recon. Squadron	1
15th Pursuit Group	1
11th Bomb Group (H)	1
8th Air Force	
Headquarters	2
VIII Bomber Command	1
1st Bombardment Division	2
Bomber Division	1
1st Combat Wing	1
2d Bombardment Wing	1
13th Combat Bomb Wing	1
41st Bombardment Wing	3
99th Bombardment Wing	1
101st Combat Wing	1
96th Combat Bomb Wing	1
VIII Fighter Command	1
55th Fighter Group	1
353d Fighter Group	1
355th Fighter Group	2
356th Fighter Group	1
479th Fighter Group	4
44th Bomb Group (H)	2

100th Bomb Group (H)	2
305th Bomb Group (H)	2
306th Bomb Group (H)	1
322d Bomb Group (M)	1
351st Bomb Group (H)	1
379th Bomb Group (H)	2
381st Bomb Group (H)	2
385th Bomb Group (H)	1
389th Bomb Group (H)	2
401st Bomb Group (H)	2
447th Bomb Group (H)	2
457th Bomb Group (H)	2
487th Bomb Group (H)	1
91st Bomb Group (H)	2
92d Bomb Group (H)	2
93d Bomb Group (H)	2
94th Bomb Group (H)	1
95th Bomb Group (H)	2
97th Bomb Group (H)	1
9th Air Force	
Unknown	1
363d Tac. Recon. Group	1
57th Fighter Group	1
358th Fighter Group	1
362d Fighter Group	2
365th Fighter Group	2
366th Fighter Group	4
367th Fighter Group	1
368th Fighter Group	1
406th Fighter Group	1
474th Fighter Group	1
34th Bomb Group (M)	1
93d Bomb Group (H)	2

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98th Bomb Group (H)	1
322d Bomb Group (M)	1
386th Bomb Group (M)	1
391st Bomb Group (H)	1
394th Bomb Group (M)	1
397th Bomb Group (H)	1
410th Bomb Group (L)	1
10th Air Force	
Headquarters	1
Ferry Command	1
23d Fighter Group	2
51st Fighter Group	1
7th Bomb Group (H)	5
9th Bomb Group (H)	1
12th Air Force	
Headquarters	1
31st Fighter Group	2
79th Fighter Group	1
XII Bomber Command	3
12th Bomb Group (M)	1
47th Bomb Group (L)	4
321st Bomb Group (M)	2
350th Fighter Group	1
13th Air Force	
5th Bomb Group (H)	2
11th Bomb Group (H)	1
14th Air Force	
3d Fighter Group	1
23d Fighter Group	1
341st Bomb Group (M)	1
15th Air Force	
XV Fighter Command	1
14th Fighter Group	3
31st Fighter Group	2
82d Fighter Group	2
332d Fighter Group	1
47th Bomb Wing	1
304th Bomb Wing (H)	1
Bomb Group	1
2d Bomb Group (H)	3

97th Bomb Group (H)	2
98th Bomb Group (H)	4
301st Bomb Group (H)	3
325th Fighter Group	1
376th Bomb Group (H)	3
449th Bomb Group (H)	1
450th Bomb Group (H)	3
451st Bomb Group (H)	3
456th Bomb Group (H)	4
460th Bomb Group (H)	2
461st Bomb Group (H)	3
463d Bomb Group (H)	2
464th Bomb Group (H)	2
483d Bomb Group (H)	2
491st Bomb Group	1
20th Air Force	
XX Bomber Command	2
XXI Bomber Command	1
40th Bomb Wing	1
73d Bomb Wing	1
39th Bomb Group (VH)	1
500th Bomb Group (VH)	1
Far East Air Force	
Headquarters	2
Unknown	3
40th Recon. Squadron	2
Engineer Regiment	2
3d Bomb Group (L)	1
19th Bomb Group (H)	7
24th Pursuit Group	1
V Interceptor Command	1
Other	
1st Air Commando Group	1
Allied AF in the S.W.P.	1
Hickam Air Field, Hawaii	1
NW Strategic African AF	1
V Amphibious Group	1
Total	214

ARMY

Infantry Divisions	
1st Infantry Division	
Headquarters	4
1st Signal Company	1
1st Engineer Bn.	2
70th Tank Bn.	1
601st Tank Destroyer Bn.	2
7th Field Artillery Bn.	4
5th Field Artillery Bn.	2
32d Field Artillery Bn.	4
33d Field Artillery Bn.	2
16th Infantry Reg.	18
18th Infantry Reg.	10
26th Infantry Reg.	21
2d Infantry Division	
Headquarters	4
102d Cavalry Group	1
2d Engineer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
12th Field Artillery Bn.	1
38th Field Artillery Bn.	1
9th Infantry Reg.	6
23d Infantry Reg.	3
38th Infantry Reg.	5
3d Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
10th Engineer Bn.	1
756th Tank Bn.	2
VI Corps Artillery	1
39th Field Artillery Bn.	2
7th Infantry Reg.	6
15th Infantry Reg.	10
30th Infantry Reg.	7
4th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
87th Chem. Mortar Bn.	1

4th Engineer Bn.	1
159th Engineer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
12th Infantry Reg.	4
22d Infantry Reg.	4
8th Infantry Reg.	4
5th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
50th Field Artillery Bn.	1
2d Infantry Reg.	2
10th Infantry Reg.	1
11th Infantry Reg.	1
6th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	3
716th Tank Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
53d Field Artillery Bn.	1
1st Infantry Reg.	2
20th Infantry Reg.	4
7th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	4
7th Cavalry Recon. Troop	1
Division Artillery	1
48th Field Artillery Bn.	1
4th Infantry Reg.	1
17th Infantry Reg.	3
32d Infantry Reg.	6
8th Infantry Division	
12th Engineer Bn.	1
644th Tank Destroyer Bn.	2
Division Artillery	1
28th Field Artillery Bn.	2
56th Field Artillery Bn.	2
13th Infantry Reg.	4
28th Infantry Reg.	5
121st Infantry Reg.	2

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9th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
899th Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
15th Engineer Bn.	1
20th Engineer Group	1
Division Artillery	2
34th Field Artillery Bn.	1
212th Field Artillery Group	1
<i>Unknown Infantry Reg.</i>	1
47th Infantry Reg.	2
60th Infantry Reg.	2
391st Infantry Reg.	1
39th Infantry Reg.	8
10th Mountain Division	
Headquarters	1
604th Field Artillery Bn.	1
605th Field Artillery Bn.	1
87th Infantry Reg.	4
97th Infantry Reg.	2
23d Infantry Division (Americal)	
Headquarters	5
Division Artillery	1
245th Field Artillery Bn.	1
247th Field Artillery Bn.	1
132d Infantry Reg.	2
164th Infantry Reg.	7
182d Infantry Reg.	6
24th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	5
Division Artillery	1
11th Field Artillery Bn.	1
19th Infantry Reg.	4
21st Infantry Reg.	6
34th Infantry Reg.	11
25th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	3
89th Field Artillery Bn.	2
27th Infantry Reg.	3
35th Infantry Reg.	7

161st Infantry Reg.	2
26th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
601st Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
101st Engineer Bn.	1
180th Field Artillery Bn.	1
101st Infantry Reg.	2
104th Infantry Reg.	1
328th Infantry Reg.	1
27th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
105th Infantry Reg.	1
165th Infantry Reg.	1
28th Infantry Division	
112th Infantry Reg.	6
29th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	3
747th Tank Bn.	1
121st Engineer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
<i>Unknown Infantry Reg.</i>	1
115th Infantry Reg.	2
116th Infantry Reg.	2
175th Infantry Reg.	5
407th Infantry Reg.	2
30th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	4
744th Tank Bn.	1
118th Field Artillery Bn.	1
117th Infantry Reg.	4
119th Infantry Reg.	4
120th Infantry Reg.	4
31st Infantry Division	
124th Infantry Reg.	1
32d Infantry Division	
Headquarters	6
114th Engineer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
126th Field Artillery Bn.	1

126th Infantry Reg.	1
127th Infantry Reg.	4
128th Infantry Reg.	1
33d Infantry Division	
122d Field Artillery Bn.	1
210th Field Artillery Bn.	1
123d Infantry Reg.	1
130th Infantry Reg.	1
34th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
252d Field Artillery Group	2
151st Field Artillery Bn.	1
133d Infantry Reg.	2
135th Infantry Reg.	2
168th Infantry Reg.	5
35th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	4
<i>Unknown Tank Destroyer Bn.</i>	2
Division Artillery	3
161st Field Artillery Bn.	1
219th Field Artillery Bn.	1
134th Infantry Reg.	3
137th Infantry Reg.	2
320th Infantry Reg.	5
36th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
36th Sig. Co.	1
753d Tank Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
14th Infantry Reg.	1
141st Infantry Reg.	3
142d Infantry Reg.	4
143d Infantry Reg.	4
192d Infantry Reg.	1
37th Infantry Division	
Division Artillery	1
129th Infantry Reg.	3
148th Infantry Reg.	1

38th Infantry Division	
149th Infantry Reg.	1
41st Infantry Division	
Headquarters	6
2d Engineer Bde.	1
52d Engineer Reg.	1
Division Artillery	1
167th Field Artillery Bn.	1
205th Field Artillery Bn.	1
162d Infantry Reg.	1
163d Infantry Reg.	1
186th Infantry Reg.	3
42d Infantry Division	
402d Field Artillery Bn.	1
222d Infantry Reg.	2
232d Infantry Reg.	1
242d Infantry Reg.	2
43d Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
<i>Unknown Infantry Reg.</i>	1
172d Infantry Reg.	3
44th Infantry Division	
217th Field Artillery Bn.	1
71st Infantry Reg.	1
45th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
44th Recon. Troop	1
191st Tank Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
29th Field Artillery Bn.	1
12th Infantry Reg.	2
179th Infantry Reg.	3
180th Infantry Reg.	2
63d Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
862d. Field Artillery Bn.	1
863d. Field Artillery Bn.	1
253d Infantry Reg.	1
254th Infantry Reg.	4

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255th Infantry Reg.	2
64th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
65th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
260th Infantry Reg.	1
261st Infantry Reg.	2
66th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
15th Cavalry Reg.	1
262d Infantry Reg.	1
69th Infantry Division	
273d Infantry Reg.	4
70th Infantry Division	
<i>Unknown Engineer Bn.</i>	1
882d Field Artillery Bn.	1
274th Infantry Reg.	6
275th Infantry Reg.	3
276th Infantry Reg.	2
71st Infantry Division	
<i>Unknown Field Artillery Bn.</i>	1
609th Field Artillery Bn.	2
5th Infantry Reg.	1
14th Infantry Reg.	3
66th Infantry Reg.	5
75th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
898th Field Artillery Bn.	1
899th Field Artillery Bn.	1
389th Infantry Reg.	1
291st Infantry Reg.	1
76th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
901st Field Artillery Bn.	1
<i>Unknown Infantry Reg.</i>	1
417th Infantry Reg.	1
77th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
Infantry Bn.	1

305th Infantry Reg.	3
306th Infantry Reg.	5
307th Infantry Reg.	1
78th Infantry Division	
309th Infantry Reg.	5
310th Infantry Reg.	1
311th Infantry Reg.	1
79th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
<i>Unknown Field Artillery Bn.</i>	1
310th Field Artillery Bn.	1
904th Field Artillery Bn.	1
313th Infantry Reg.	6
314th Infantry Reg.	2
315th Infantry Reg.	3
80th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	5
Division Artillery	1
610th Tank Destroyer Bn.	2
314th Field Artillery Bn.	1
317th Infantry Reg.	2
318th Infantry Reg.	2
319th Infantry Reg.	2
81st Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
32d Infantry Reg.	1
83d Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
<i>Unknown Recon. Troop</i>	1
308th Engineer Bn.	2
329th Infantry Reg.	2
330th Infantry Reg.	2
331st Infantry Reg.	6
84th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
309th Engineer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	2
<i>Unknown Field Artillery Bn.</i>	1
280th Field Artillery Bn.	1

325th Field Artillery Bn.	2
333d Infantry Reg.	1
334th Infantry Reg.	6
335th Infantry Reg.	1
85th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
329th Field Artillery Bn.	1
337th Infantry Reg.	3
339th Infantry Reg.	1
338th Infantry Reg.	1
86th Infantry Division	
341st Infantry Reg.	2
343d Infantry Reg.	1
87th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
<i>Unknown Tank Bn.</i>	1
345th Infantry Reg.	4
346th Infantry Reg.	5
347th Infantry Reg.	1
88th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
349th Infantry Reg.	1
350th Infantry Reg.	2
351st Infantry Reg.	4
89th Infantry Division	
341st Field Artillery Battalion	1
90th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	4
607th Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
315th Engineer Reg.	1
Division Artillery	2
695th Armored FA Bn.	1
915th Field Artillery Bn.	2
<i>Unknown Infantry Bn.</i>	1
357th Infantry Reg.	4
358th Infantry Reg.	3
359th Infantry Reg.	6

91st Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
363d Infantry Reg.	2
92d Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
317th Engineer Bn.	2
370th Infantry Reg.	2
442d Regimental Combat Team	1
473d Infantry Reg.	1
94th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
301st Infantry Reg.	2
302d Infantry Reg.	2
376th Infantry Reg.	4
95th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	2
607th Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
358th Field Artillery Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
378th Infantry Reg.	6
379th Infantry Reg.	2
96th Infantry Division	
Division Artillery	1
381st Infantry Reg.	1
382d Infantry Reg.	1
383d Infantry Reg.	2
97th Infantry Division	
387th Infantry Reg.	1
99th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
Division Artillery	1
370th Field Artillery Bn.	1
924th Field Artillery Bn.	1
<i>Unknown Infantry Bn.</i>	1
393d Infantry Reg.	4
394th Infantry Reg.	1
395th Infantry Reg.	2

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100th Infantry Division	
Division Artillery	1
925th Field Artillery Bn.	1
397th Infantry Reg.	2
398th Infantry Reg.	3
399th Infantry Reg.	2
102d Infantry Division	
701st Tank Bn.	1
406th Infantry Reg.	1
407th Infantry Reg.	2
103d Infantry Division	
410th Infantry Reg.	1
411th Infantry Reg.	1
104th Infantry Division	
Headquarters	1
100th Infantry Bn.	1
413th Infantry Reg.	1
414th Infantry Reg.	3
415th Infantry Reg.	1
106th Infantry Division	
106th Cavalry Recon. Squad.	1
424th Infantry Reg.	1

Airborne Division	
11th Airborne Division	
Headquarters	6
127th Airborne Engineer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
674th Glider Infantry Bn.	2
187th Glider Infantry Reg.	2
188th Glider Infantry Reg.	1
511th Parachute Infantry Reg.	9
17th Airborne Division	
Headquarters	4
Division Artillery	1
680th Glider Field Artillery Bn.	2
507th Parachute Infantry Reg.	2

513th Parachute Infantry Reg.	5
517th Parachute Infantry Reg.	1
193d Glider Infantry Reg.	2
194th Glider Infantry Reg.	1
82d Airborne Division	
Headquarters	6
307th Airborne Engineer Bn.	2
Division Artillery	2
325th Glider Infantry Reg.	2
401st Glider Infantry Reg.	2
504th Parachute Infantry Reg.	2
505th Parachute Infantry Reg.	6
507th Parachute Infantry Reg.	1
508th Parachute Infantry Reg.	5
551st Parachute Infantry Reg.	1
101st Airborne Division	
Headquarters	4
Division Artillery	1
377th Para. Infantry Bn.	1
54th Armored Infantry Bn.	1
401st Glider Infantry Reg.	1
501st Parachute Infantry Reg.	4
502d Parachute Infantry Reg.	2
506th Parachute Infantry Reg.	6

Cavalry Division	
1st Cavalry Division	
Headquarters	1
2d Cavalry Brigade	2
Division Artillery	1
61st Field Artillery Bn.	1
5th Cavalry Reg.	1
7th Cavalry Reg.	1
8th Cavalry Reg.	1
12th Cavalry Reg.	3

Armor Divisions	
1st Armored Division	
Headquarters	3
Combat Command	1
81st Cavalry Squadron	1
<i>Unknown Tank Bn.</i>	1
13th Tank Bn.	1
16th Engineer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
27th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1
91st Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1
424th Field Artillery Bn.	1
68th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	2
6th Infantry Reg.	3
1st Armored Reg.	5
13th Armored Reg.	1
2d Armored Division	
Headquarters	3
Combat Command A	2
Combat Command B	1
<i>Unknown Unit</i>	1
702d Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
Division Artillery	2
65th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1
78th Field Artillery Bn.	3
82d Recon. Bn.	1
92d Armored Field Artillery Bn.	2
195th AA Bn.	1
<i>Unknown Infantry Reg.</i>	1
41st Armored Infantry Reg.	6
66th Armored Regiment	5
67th Armored Regiment	3
3d Armored Division	
Headquarters	3
Combat Command A	1
Combat Command B	2
83d Armored Recon. Bn.	1
67th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1

44th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	2
391st Field Artillery Bn.	1
36th Armored Infantry Reg.	3
32d Armored Reg.	6
33d Armored Reg.	3
4th Armored Division	
Headquarters	2
Combat Command A	3
Combat Command B	6
10th Armored Infantry Bn.	1
8th Tank Bn.	3
35th Tank Bn.	2
37th Tank Bn.	3
701st Tank Bn.	1
Division Artillery	2
439th AAA Bn.	1
66th Field Artillery Bn.	1
94th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1
51st Armored Infantry Bn.	1
37th Armored Regiment	1
5th Armored Division	
Headquarters	1
Combat Command B	2
Combat Command R	1
85th Cavalry Recon. Bn.	1
34th Tank Bn.	1
6th Armored Division	
Combat Command A	3
25th Armored Engineer Bn.	3
603d Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
15th Tank Bn.	1
68th Tank Bn.	1
Division Artillery	1
128th Armored FA Bn.	1
212th Armored FA Bn.	1
231st Field Artillery Bn.	1
44th Armored Bn.	1
50th Armored Infantry Bn.	1

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7th Armored Division	
Headquarters	2
Combat Command A	2
Combat Command B	1
Combat Command R	2
7th Armored Division Trains	1
87th Cavalry Recon. Squadron	3
33d Armored Engineer Bn.	2
31st Tank Bn.	1
40th Tank Bn.	2
38th Armored Infantry Bn.	3
Division Artillery	1
434th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1
489th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1
8th Armored Division	
Combat Command A	1
7th Armored Infantry Bn.	1
9th Armored Division	
Headquarters	3
Combat Command	1
Combat Command A	1
Combat Command B	1
6th Cavalry Group	1
3d Armored Cavalry Squad.	1
811th Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
52d Armored Infantry Bn.	2
60th Armored Infantry Bn.	1
10th Armored Division	
Headquarters	3
Combat Command	1
Combat Command A	2
Combat Command B	1
90th Cavalry Recon Squadron	3
55th Armored Engineer Bn.	1
3d Tank Bn.	3
12th Tank Bn.	3
419th Armored Field Artillery Bn.	1
420th Field Artillery Bn.	1
423d Field Artillery Bn.	2

20th Armored Infantry Bn.	4
11th Armored Division	
Headquarters	1
Combat Command A	2
Combat Command B	2
41st Cavalry Recon. Squadron	1
705th Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
42d Tank Bn.	1
21st Armored Infantry Bn.	1
12th Armored Division	
Combat Command A	1
Combat Command B	1
<i>Unknown Field Artillery Battery</i>	1
119th Armored Engineer Bn.	1
22d Tank Bn.	1
13th Armored Division	
Headquarters	1
Division Artillery	1
93d Cavalry Recon. Bn.	1
14th Armored Division	
Headquarters	1
Division Artillery	1
94th Cavalry Recon. Squadron	2
20th Armored Division	
Combat Command A	1
20th Tank Bn.	1

Special Units	
Ranger	
1st Ranger Bn.	3
2d Ranger Bn.	1
5th Ranger Bn.	2
6th Ranger Bn.	1
1st Special Service Force	
Headquarters	1
1st Regiment	1
3d Regiment	1

5307th Composite Unit	
Headquarters	2
Philippine Scouts	
Headquarters	13
14th Engineer Reg.	1
Provisional Tank Group	1
88th Field Artillery Bn.	1
23d Field Artillery Reg.	2
24th Field Artillery Reg.	5
61st Field Artillery Reg.	2
71st Field Artillery Reg.	1
81st Field Artillery Reg.	1
88th Field Artillery Reg.	1
91st Field Artillery Reg.	1
59th Coast Arty. Reg.	1
91st Coast Arty. Reg.	8
92d Coast Arty. Reg.	5
26 Cavalry Reg.	1
101st Infantry Reg.	1
11th Infantry Reg.	1
1st Infantry Reg.	1
21st Infantry Reg.	1
26th Cavalry Reg.	6
31st Infantry Reg.	1
43d Infantry Reg.	3
45th Infantry Reg.	9
51st Infantry Reg.	2
57th Infantry Reg.	6
61st Infantry Reg.	1
62d Infantry Reg.	1
73d Infantry Reg.	1
91st Infantry Reg.	1
92nd Infantry Reg.	1
Manila Harbor Defense	
Headquarters	3
Corregidor	
Headquarters	1
Visayan Forces	
Headquarters	1

Philippine Guerillas	3
<i>Unidentified Unit</i>	2
Mindanao Force	1
107th Infantry Reg.	1
Prisoner of War	1

Army & Corps	
First Army	3
Headquarters	1
18th AA Arty. Group	1
49th AA Arty. Brigade	1
Second Army	1
Third Army	
207th AAA Group	1
3d Cavalry Group	1
8th Tank Destroyer Group	1
Fifth Army	
93d Field Artillery Bn.	1
Artillery Section	1
Headquarters	2
Anti-Aircraft Artillery	1
Sixth Army	
Headquarters	8
Task Force	1
2d Engineer Brigade.	1
Seventh Army	
Headquarters	2
36th Engineer Reg.	1
Eighth Army	4
Ninth Army	1
I Corps	9
II Corps	1
II Amphibious Corps	1
III Corps	6
IV Corps	3
V Corps	2
VI Corps	1
VII Corps	7

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XI Corps	2
XII Corps	1
XIII Corps	1
XIV Corps	5
XVIII Airborne Corps	1
XIX Corps	4
XX Corps	4
XXI Corps	1
XXIII Corps	1

Independent/Separate	
Armor	
13th Armored Regiment	2
17th Armored Group	2
Artillery	
7th Field Artillery Obs. Bn.	1
17th Field Artillery Bn.	1
18th Field Artillery Bn.	1
58th Arm. Field Artillery Bn.	1
59th Coast Arty. Reg.	1
60th Coast Arty. Reg.	14
81st Field Artillery Bn.	1
693d Field Artillery Bn.	1
228th Field Artillery Bn.	1
261st Field Artillery Bn.	1
397th AAA Bn.	1
705th AAA Batt.	1
738th Field Artillery Bn.	1
961st Field Artillery Bn.	1
975th Field Artillery Bn.	1
976th Field Artillery Bn.	1
17th Field Artillery Regiment	1
71st Field Artillery Brigade	1
12th AAA Arty. Group	2
17th Field Artillery Group	1
107th AA Artillery Group	1
174th Field Artillery Group	2
183d Field Artillery Group	1

183d Field Artillery Group	1
228th Field Artillery Group	2
407th Field Artillery Group	1
177th Field Artillery Group	1
Cavalry	
3d Cavalry Reg.	1
2d Cavalry Group	5
3d Cavalry Group	1
11th Cavalry Group	1
101st Cavalry Group	1
113d Cavalry Group	4
124th Cavalry Reg.	2
Cavalry Reconnaissance	
3d Cav Recon. Squad.	2
4th Cav. Recon. Squadron	4
12th Cav. Recon. Squad.	1
38th Cav. Recon. Squad.	1
91st Cav. Recon. Squadron	1
106th Cav. Recon. Squad.	1
Engineer	
48th Engineer Bn.	1
179th Engineer Bn.	2
209th Engineer Bn.	2
532d Engineer B&S Reg.	2
922d Engineer Reg., Aviation	1
4th Engineer Brigade	1
117th Engineer Group	1
1106th Engineer Group	1
1108th Engineer Group	1
1110th Engineer Group	1
1120th Engineer Group	1
1139th Engineer Group	1
1141st Engineer Group	1
1159th Engineer Group	1
Infantry	
58th Armored Infantry Bn.	1
31st Infantry Reg.	5
81st Infantry Reg.	1

Parachute Infantry	
503d Parachute Infantry Reg.	3
507th Parachute Infantry Reg.	1
509th Parachute Infantry Reg.	1
517th Parachute Infantry Reg.	1
Tank Destroyer	
647th Tank Destroyer Bn.	1
2d Tank Destroyer Group	1
5th Tank Destroyer Group	1

Command HQ	
Army Ground Forces, Pacific	1
China-Burma-India Theater	3
Northern Combat Area, Burma	1
South West Pacific	1
Army Forces in New Caledonia	1
Army Forces in the Far East.	3
Army Forces in the S.W.P.	1
Army Forces, Far East	1
Army Forces, Pacific	1
Allied Forces in China	1
Army Forces in the Far East	1
Total	1,354

RECIPIENTS BY STATE AND HOMETOWN

A large number of the USMA Silver Star recipients grew up in military families that served all over the United States and around world, hence they find it difficult to pinpoint any specific hometown. The hometowns listed in these volumes often come from the USMA year books, The Howitzer, and sometimes reflect the state from which the cadet was appointed. World War II general orders for awards, and some Korean War general orders, often reflect the recipients hometown at the time of service. The following listing of recipients by their hometown is based on the best information available, and in the case of living recipients, often by their listed preference.

The list, broken down by state, first lists the recipients hometown in that state when known, followed by their name. A number in parenthesis indicates those recipients who received multiple Silver Stars The number in brackets [] indicates the recipients class year, and I have further noted those recipients who were killed in action, missing in action, and/or prisoners of war.

Alabama

Burkhardt, Ellwood W. [1950]
Abbeville - McDaniel, Edward H. (2@) [1926]
Alexander City - Ohme, Herman W. [1930] (KIA)
Anniston - Morgan, John F. [1963]
Anniston - Shamblee, George L. [1961]
Athens - McDonald, John B. [1881]
Atmore - Beck, Clarence E. [1938]
Auburn - Adams, Andrew J. [1931]
Auburn - Pick, Lewis A., Jr. [1950]
Auburn - Wallace, George M., II [1945]
Bessemer - Lipscomb, Andy A. [1938]
Birmingham - Ayers, Thomas D. [1952]
Birmingham - Bare, Walter E., Jr. [1935] (POW)
Birmingham - Barker, Joseph R., II [1938] (POW-MIA)
Birmingham - Doty, Mercer M. [1948]
Birmingham - Ellis, James R. [1962]
Birmingham - Gatsis, Andrew J. (2@) [1945]
Birmingham - Green, James L. [1928]
Birmingham - Newman, George E. (2@) [1943]
Birmingham - Pearson, James P., Jr. [1933]
Birmingham - Walker, John B. [1962]
Birmingham - Wood, Sterling A. [1917]
Center - Reeves, James H. (2@) [1892]
Centerville - Hobson, Victor W., Jr. [1940]
Demopolis - Collins, John W., III (2@) [1943] (POW)

Enterprise - Brown, Arthur E., Jr. [1953]
Eufaula - Joerg, Wood G. [1937] (KIA)
Florence - Calhoun, William R. [1933]
Florence - Winn, Walter S., Jr. [1919]
Guntersville - Yarbrough, Samuel K., Jr. [1934]
Hartsell - York, Robert H. (3@) [1938]
Huntsville - Mitchell, Clair B. [1935]
Huntsville - Spragins, Robert L. [1913]
Marion - Horan, Earl C., Jr. [1961]
Mobile - Clarke, Logan [1929]
Mobile - Clarke, William E., Jr. [1959]
Mobile - Juvenal, Michael P. [1952]
Mobile - Mickle, Gerald S. (2@) [1919]
Mobile - Sibbles, Graham M. (2@) [1950]
Mobile - Vidmer, George (2@) [1894]
Monterallo - deShazo, Thomas E. [1926]
Montgomery - Duncan, George T. (2@) [1932]
Montgomery - Elmore, John A. [1924]
Montgomery - Jordan, Clarence E., Jr. [1946]
Montgomery - Pickett, George B., Jr. [1941]
Montgomery - Tyson, Robert N. [1934]
Opelika - Rawlinson, William E., Jr. [1953]
Selma - Kirkpatrick, Graham [1925]
Selma - Stewart, George C. (2@) [1923]
Tuscaloosa - Caldwell, John S., Jr. [1967]
Tuscaloosa - Howard, Claude M. [1934]
Tuscaloosa - Meszar, Frank, III [1966] (KIA)
Tuscaloosa - Ward, Joseph H. [1941] (KIA)

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Tuskegee - Hurt, Marshall H., Jr. [1930] (POW-KIA)

Alaska

Chilcoot Barracks - Neilson, Henry (2@) [1934]

Fort Richardson - Wiegand, Robert D. [1955]

Nenana - Coghill, William F. [1947]

Ninilchik - Hawkins, Charles F. [1968]

Arizona

Bisbee - Coughlin, John G. (2@) [1932]

Bisbee - Coughlin, Robert L. [1935]

Bisbee - Davis, Leonard D. [1965] (KIA)

Douglas - Doan, Leander L. (3@) [1927]

Douglas - Prothero, Michael B. (2@) [1964]

Douglas - Scott, Jean D. [1924]

Nogales - Hoy, Charles J. [1935]

Phoenix - Fairbank, Leigh C., III (2@) [1963]

Phoenix - Hoblit, Jerry N. (3@) [1958]

Phoenix - McGarr, Lionel C. (2@) [1928]

Phoenix - Phillips, Robert L. [1962]

Phoenix - Pixler, Ross C. (2@) [2005]

Phoenix - Worthen, James K. [1968]

Prescott - Love, Joseph B. [1950]

Thatcher - Curtis, Coy L. [1937]

Tucson - Martling, John E. [1955]

Tucson - O'Connor, Mortimer L. (2@) [1953] (KIA)

Tucson - Swenholt, Donald B. [1948]

Yuma - Adair, Don W. [1946]

Yuma - Tijerina, Gilbert [1968]

Arkansas

Gibson, Edward S. (2@) [1922]

Raaen, John C., Jr. [1943]

Vesey, Robert H. [1918] (POW-MIA)

Bentonville - Sneed, Albert L. [1908]

Dardanelle - Meek, Carroll S. (2@) [1949]

Fayetteville - Bowen, Thomas W. [1948]

Fort Smith - Darby, William O. [1933] (KIA)

Fort Smith - Hoffman, Hugh F. (2@) [1919]

Fort Smith - Sample, William R. [1888]

Haines - Gorder, Charles R. [1945]

Helena - Coolidge, Joseph B. [1931]

Henderson - Hewitt, Lansing T. [1965]

Hot Springs - Maxey, Robert J. [1898] (KIA)

Hot Springs - Rhiddlehoover, Loyd P., Jr. [1952]

Hot Springs - Smith, William Y. [1948]

Lake Village - Lewis, John L. [1925] (POW-KIA)

Little Rock - Bracy, Alfred M. [1952]

Little Rock - Clark, Wesley K. [1966]

Little Rock - Scott, Stanley C. [1939] (KIA)

Little Rock - Wood, John S. [1912]

Littlerock - Kirkpatrick, Leslie W. [1949] (KIA)

Malvern - Hedges, William H. [1981]

Newport - Thomas, Richard G., Jr. [1924]

Newport - Williams, Joseph E. [1933] (KIA)

Osceola - Benefield, Michael E. [1968]

Paragould - Partain, Edward A. [1951]

Pine Bluff - Cone, John D. [1929]

Pine Bluff - Seawell, William T. [1941]

Prescott - Denman, Dale, Jr. [1942]

Pulaski - Brandon, Harry N. [1939]

Rogers - Rozelle, George F., Jr. [1903]

Rogers - Wood, James N. [1942]

Russellville - Crocker, George A. [1966]

Texarkana - Cook, Gilbert R. (2@) [1912]

Texarkana - Noble, Arthur K. [1929] (POW-KIA)

California

Byrne, Bernard A. [1919]

Hannum, Warren T., Jr. [1938]

Altadena - Matheson, Donald R. (2@) [1938]

Altadena - Peters, Ernest C. [1931]

Banning - Cartwright, Thomas F. [1958]

Benicia - Quandt, Douglass P. [1937]

Bergenfield - Mesereau, Thomas A. [1943]

Berkeley - Dwyre, Douglas G. [1929]

Berkeley - McEnery, John W. (2@) [1948]

Berkeley - Smith, Lowell B. [1943]

Beverly Hills - Cook, Lyndol L. [1963]

Burbank - Nason, Alan B. [1966]

Carmel - Freeman, Paul L., Jr. (2@) [1929]

Carmel - Norman, William C. (2@) [1949]

Carmel - Sibert, Franklin C. [1912]

Carmel - Wilson, Ernest B. [1956]

Carmel-by-the-Sea - Harrell, Ben [1933]

Cerritos - Hayes, James M. [1966]

Coronado - Geary, Edward M. [1939]

Dunsmuir - Fischer, Harvey H. [1932]

El Monte - Shuler, William R. [1936]

El Segundo - Dessert, Kenneth O. [1941]

Eureka - Monroe, Thomas H. [1940]

- Fremont** - Davis, Donald C. [1968]
Fresno - Garwick, Keith R. [1988]
Fresno - Nidever, David F. [1958]
Glendale - Gillem, Dennis J. [1964]
Glendale - Sawyer, Willis B. [1941]
Hamilton Field - Davies, John M., III [1942]
Hollywood - Bringham, Robert M. [1942]
Hollywood - Sheridan, Stan R. [1951]
Hollywood - Whitlow, Robert V. [1943]
Hollywood - Wright, John M., Jr. (2@) [1940] (POW)
Kelseyville - Crockett, Edward P. [1950]
La Crescenta - Calvert, Parker (2@) [1937]
Long Beach - Harding, James R. [1964]
Long Beach - Kiley, Michael J. (2@) [1964] (KIA)
Long Beach - McClelland, William J. [1952]
Los Alamitos - Kruger, John D. [1968]
Los Altos - Beach, John B. (2@) [1943] (POW)
Los Altos - Conrad, Donald H. [1963]
Los Angeles - Cababa, Robin R. [1968]
Los Angeles - Cornwall, Paul R. [1938] (POW)
Los Angeles - Crenshaw, John C. [1968]
Los Angeles - Duffie, Claire A. (2@) [1942]
Los Angeles - Fisher, Henry G. [1923]
Los Angeles - Hallenbeck, Ralph A., III [1965]
Los Angeles - Hawes, Philip R. [1938]
Los Angeles - Langdon, Wendell H. [1930]
Los Angeles - Paden, Jerome J. [1949] (KIA)
Los Angeles - Purdue, Branner P. (3@) [1925]
Los Angeles - Terrell, Frederick R. [1936]
Los Angeles - Webb, Ernest L. (2@) [1962]
Los Gatos - Hadly, David M. [1967]
Manteca - Lambert, Franklin P. [1964]
Monterey - Gillis, Thomas D. (2@) [1935]
National City - Bramlett, David A. [1964]
Nevada City - Chapman, Warren C. [1939]
Newport Beach - Dock, William E. [1966]
Oakland - Cheal, Robert M. [1931] (POW)
Oakland - Fintel, Arthur T. [1962]
Palo Alto - Searles, Jonathan W. [1960]
Pasadena - Boswell, James O. (2@) [1933]
Pasadena - Howell, John M. [1965]
Pasadena - O'Connor, George G. (2@) [1938]
Pasadena - Robinson, Warren A. (2@) [1923]
Point Arena - Hunt, Ora E. (2@) [1894]
Pomona - Carr, Richard L., Jr. (2@) [1964]
Quincy - Miller, Allen C., II [1936]
Redlands - Cairns, Robert B. [1961]
Redwood City - West, Lowry A. [1965]
- Rialto** - Murphy, Maurice E., II [1968]
Riverside - Beeson, Thomas H. [1943] (POW)
Riverside - Learmonth, Allen F. [1947]
Roseville - Amick, Elliott W. [1938]
Sacramento - Cassidy, Benjamin B., Jr. [1943]
Sacramento - Hoover, William O., Jr. [1964]
Sacramento - Kessler, Alfred A., Jr. [1922]
Sacramento - Lower, Robert S. [1968]
Sacramento - Mackert, John R. [1949]
Salinas - Scott, Loxley R. [1945]
San Bernardino - Neyses, David A. [1968]
San Bernardino - Taylor, John N. (2@) [1960]
San Bernardino - Urbach, Walter, Jr. [1956]
San Carlos - Morrill, Merwin L. [1958] (MIA-KIA)
San Diego - Abbott, John E., Jr. [1943] (KIA)
San Diego - Dunn, Robert H. [1952]
San Diego - Fern, Albert J., Jr. [1950]
San Diego - Harrold, Thomas L. (2@) [1925]
San Diego - MacLachlan, Clifton L. [1931]
San Diego - Peck, Robert H. [1899]
San Diego - Pitts, Younger A., Jr. [1943]
San Diego - Rigley, Orin H., Jr. (2@) [1939]
San Diego - Ruhlen, George [1935]
San Francisco - Adams, James Y. [1935]
San Francisco - Bertsch, William H. [1924]
San Francisco - Dorn, Frank [1923]
San Francisco - Drake, Robert E. (2@) [1944]
San Francisco - Ferenbaugh, Claude B. (2@) [1919]
San Francisco - Frederick, Robert T. [1928]
San Francisco - Freeman, Waldo D., Jr. [1964]
San Francisco - Fuller, William H. (2@) [1933]
San Francisco - Griffin, Thomas H. [1963]
San Francisco - Hulse, Allen D. (2@) [1938]
San Francisco - Ketchum, Hubert W. [1925] (KIA)
San Francisco - McGregor, George W. [1927]
San Francisco - McKee, John L., Jr. [1942] (KIA)
San Francisco - Nourse, Robert H. [1955]
San Francisco - Odom, Ronald G. (2@) [1964]
San Francisco - Pryor, Ralph W. [1962]
San Francisco - Root, James T. [1945]
San Francisco - Thoreson, David P. [1954]
San Gabriel - Lenhart, George D. (3@) [1961]
San Gabriel - Patton, George S., Jr. [1909]
San Jose - Leslie, Robert L. [1969]
San Jose - Thompson, Jerald L. [1971]
San Marino - Good, Kenneth N. [1952] (KIA)
San Marino - Patton, David W. [1955]
San Pedro - Gray, Stephen E. [1946]

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San Rafael - Serff, Paul C. [1923]
Santa Anna - Keeley, John B. [1952]
Santa Barbara - Clapp, Wadsworth P. [1941] (KIA)
Santa Barbara - Smith, Charles R., Jr. (2@) [1950]
Sausalito - Ames, Godfrey R. (2@) [1937] (POW-KIA)
Sausalito - Green, Malcolm D., Jr. [1937]
Sonoma - Searby, Edmund W. [1918] (KIA)
Stockton - Ivy, William L. [1963]
Stockton - Sanderson, Alfred L. [1950]
Torrance - Ferrara, Matthew C. [2005] (KIA)
Tracy - Lynch, James R. [1944]
Tulare - Brown, Gary L. [1962]
Tulare - Preston, Maurice A. (2@) [1937]
Vallejo - Klein, Donald D. [1949]
Venice - Hine, John A., Jr. [1943]
Ventura - Willoughby, William H., Jr. [1960]
Visalia - Murray, Peter [1890]

Colorado

Rhoads, Edwin M. [1943]
Vote, Gary F. [1963]
Canon City - Hutchison, Jarold L. [1956]
Chipita Park - Van Arsdale, Lee Arnold [1974]
Colorado Springs - Phillips, James H. [1919]
Denver - Fink, George B. [1946]
Denver - Franklin, Joseph R. [1950]
Denver - Franz, Jay C. [1959]
Denver - Hardin, Donald C. [1919]
Denver - Hattan, Roy E. [1929]
Denver - Hickey, Sanford W. [1939]
Denver - Hughes, David R. (3@) [1950]
Denver - Kleitz, Anthony F. [1933]
Denver - Kolb, Herbert G. [1943]
Denver - Moore, James E., Jr. [1954]
Denver - Mucci, Henry A. [1936]
Denver - Niles, John S. [1918]
Denver - Peck, Allen L. (2@) [1936] (POW)
Denver - Perry, William O., Jr. [1945]
Denver - Phillips, Paul D. [1940] (POW)
Denver - Smith, George A., Jr. (2@) [1926] (KIA)
Denver - Smith, Wayne R. [1955]
Denver - Smither, Henry C. (2@) [1897]
Denver - Ward, Orlando (2@) [1914]
Denver - Watlington, Thomas M. [1927]
Fort Collins - Ham, Lewis H., Jr. [1954]
Fort Lyon - Tuttle, Paul V., Jr. [1939]

Grand Junction - Samuel, Robert W. [1944]
La Junta - Guthrie, John S. (2@) [1930]
La Junta - Taylor, James, Jr. [1938]
Lamar - Williams, George K. (2@) [1968]
Las Animas - Moore, John G. [1924]
Las Animas - Moore, Thomas E., Jr. [1944]
Meeker - Wear, George E. [1944]
Monte Vista - Corlett, Charles H. [1913]
Montrose - Heath, Louis T. [1930]
Pueblo - Dickerson, Charles F., Jr. [1950]
Pueblo - McKinney, William R. [1966]
Pueblo - Stillman, Robert M. [1935] (POW)
Sanford - Garretson, Ralph B., Jr. [1961]
Sedalia - Manhart, Ashton H. [1932]
Steamboat Springs - Heid, Henry P., Jr. [1940]
Sterling - Coats, Wendell J. [1940]
Wheat Ridge - Cummings, Barnard, Jr. [1949] (MIA-KIA)

Connecticut

Jones, Frank W., Jr. [1943]
Wolf, Karl E. [1943]
Ansonia - Tucker, Reuben H. [1935]
Bridgeport - Wynkoop, Hueston R. [1937] (POW-MIA)
East Hartford - DiNeno, William T. [1964]
Fairfield - Smith, Scott B. [1956]
Fairfield County - Mathews, John H. [1931] (KIA)
Farmington - Ingram, Paul M. [1950]
Greenwich - Bull, Harold R. [1914]
Hartford - Weissheimer, John W. [1914] (KIA)
Lakesville - Robertson, Edwin W. [1947]
Middletown - Steuart, Richard G. (2@) [1950]
Naugatuck - Donnelly, Howard [1915]
New Britain - Ondrick, John G. [1932]
New Britain - Steele, Howard M., Jr. [1951]
New Britain - Carlson, Adolf [1969]
New Haven - Kissner, August W. [1928]
Newington - Teich, Frederic C., Jr. [1938]
Norwalk - Genuario, Louis V. [1950]
Norwalk - LaVoy, Alan A. [1963]
Norwich - Evans, William J. [1946]
Norwich - Mahoney, William J. [1931]
Putnam - Davis, John N. (2@) [1939]
Putnam - Thayer, Allen [1928] (POW-KIA)
Quaker Hill - Bentson, Peter M. [1963] (KIA)
Roxbury - Ericson, William F., II [1968] (KIA)

South Norwalk - Mayer, Frederick F. [1958]
Southport - Daly, Michael J. (3@) [1945]
Torrington - Gatesy, John T. [1966]
Torrington - Skarupa, Ronald A. [1962]
Waterbury - St. John, Richard L. [1966]
Waterbury - Truxtun, Thomas [1937] (KIA)
Waterbury - Watt, John (2@) [1939]
Watertown - Sugdinis, Joel E. [1960]
West Hartford - Coates, Willard H. [1950] (KIA)
West Hartford - Cope, John A., Jr. [1964]
Westport - Arthur, David W. [1966]
Wilton - Holcomb, Leslie P., Jr. [1950]

District of Columbia

Washington - Adams, Walter E. [1950]
Washington - Bechtold, Edward S. (3@) [1935]
Washington - Bolte, Philip L. (2@) [1950]
Washington - Booth, Robert M. [1935]
Washington - Bradshaw, Aaron [1917]
Washington - Bruckner, John A., IV [1945] (KIA)
Washington - Bryde, Walter J. (2@) [1935]
Washington - Burdett, Allen M., Jr. (2@) [1943]
Washington - Burr, William E. [1914]
Washington - Carns, Edwin H., Jr. [1963]
Washington - Carver, George A., Jr. [1964]
Washington - Caudill, Watson G., Jr. (2@) [1964]
Washington - Clarke, Carter W., Jr. (2@) [1948]
Washington - Clay, Frank B. (4@) [1942]
Washington - Claybrook, John H. [1952]
Washington - Collins, Joseph E. (2@) [1946]
Washington - Cook, Bailey C. [1936]
Washington - Cousland, Walter C. (2@) [1953]
Washington - Crittenberger, Dale J. (2@) [1950]
Washington - Daniel, Charles D., Jr. [1946]
Washington - Davison, Michael S. [1939]
Washington - Doleman, Edgar C. (2@) [1933]
Washington - Dreisonstok, Thomas F. [1950]
Washington - Duncan, James W. [1937]
Washington - Fries, Stuart G. [1935]
Washington - Gard, Robert G. [1919]
Washington - Grier, James L. [1929] (KIA)
Washington - Hackett, Jerome R. [1969]
Washington - Hamilton, Adna C. [1919]
Washington - Harris, Hugh P. [1931]
Washington - Hatch, John E., Jr. [1943]
Washington - Hoge, William M., Jr. [1941]
Washington - Howard, Charles E., Jr. [1931] (POW)

Washington - Hunt, Henry J., Jr. [1920]
Washington - Marshburn, Herbert E., Jr. [1949] (MIA-KIA)
Washington - McKinley, William D. (2@) [1937]
Washington - Miley, William M. [1918]
Washington - Newman, Oliver P. (2@) [1922]
Washington - O'Hara, James [1934]
Washington - Palmer, Charles D. (2@) [1924]
Washington - Parmly, Eleazar, IV [1946]
Washington - Pence, Arthur W., Jr. [1946]
Washington - Pope, Phillip H. [1933]
Washington - Porte, William L. [1940]
Washington - Powell, Edwin L., Jr. [1941]
Washington - Prince, Altus E. (2@) [1943] (POW)
Washington - Pritchett, Harry H., Jr. [1943]
Washington - Reed, Robert D. [1950]
Washington - Rehkopf, George D. [1942]
Washington - Rehm, Thomas A. [1952]
Washington - Rhoades, John F. (2@) [1935]
Washington - Roper, Harry M. [1923]
Washington - Rumbough, James E. [1943] (KIA)
Washington - Russ, Joseph R. [1935]
Washington - Seaman, Jonathan O. [1934]
Washington - Shoemaker, Raymond L., Jr. [1940]
Washington - Sill, Louis F., Jr. [1963]
Washington - Simpson, Charles M., III [1946]
Washington - Smith, Stephen H. [1944]
Washington - Snow, William A. [1916]
Washington - Stewart, Robert A. [1956] (MIA-KIA)
Washington - Stokes, John H., Jr. (2@) [1918]
Washington - Strong, Gordon M. [1947] (KIA)
Washington - Swift, Innis P. [1904]
Washington - Taylor, Thomas H. [1960]
Washington - Taylor, William N. [1930]
Washington - Vandenberg, Hoyt S., Jr. [1951]
Washington - Weaver, James R. [1936]
Washington - Wedemeyer, Albert D. [1946]
Washington - White, James T., Jr. (2@) [1944]
Washington - Wing, Franklin F., Jr. [1930]
Washington - Zais, Barrie E. [1965]
Washington - Aleshire, Joseph P. [1910]
Washington - Alvord, Benjamin, Jr. [1882]
Washington - Besson, Robert [1937] (POW)
Washington - Calnan, William M. [1943]
Washington - Casey, Hugh J. [1918]
Washington - Ewell, Julian J. (2@) [1939]
Washington - McAuliffe, Anthony C. [1919]
Washington - Meloy, Guy S., III [1953]

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Washington - Milton, Theodore R., Sr. [1940]
Washington - Thompson, Robert I. [1945]
Washington - Wood, Robert S. [1950] (POW)
Washington - Wooten, Sidney C. [1930]
Washington - Yacker, Everett J. [1949]

Delaware

Hawkins, Hamilton S. (3@) [1894]
Cheswold - Boggs, Edgar C. [1941] (KIA)
Magnolia - Collins, Kenneth W. [1939]
New Castle - Ianni, Francis A. [1954]
Newark - Miller, John Z., Jr. [1960]
Wilmington - Glassburn, Robert D. [1932] (POW-KIA)
Wilmington - Raign, Phillip H. [1958]
Wilmington - Seitz, John F. (2@) [1929]

Florida

Allen, Terry D. [1911]
Frear, Seth R. [1943]
Lawton, John P. (2@) [1961]
Apalachicola - Hodges, Joseph H., Jr. [1937]
Apalachicola - Warren, Shields, Jr. [1939]
Apopka - McBride, Thomas E., Jr. [1950]
Arcadia - Dozier, James L. [1956]
Astatula - Summerall, Charles P., Sr. (4@) [1892]
Bartow - Adams, James R. [1967] (KIA)
Bartow - Reaves, Kelsie L. [1937]
Bartow - Van Fleet, James A. (3@) [1915]
Bokeelia - Hains, Peter C., III [1924]
Bradenton - Griffin, Robert F. [1967]
Chipley - Watts, George W., III [1967]
Cocoa Beach - Bolling, Alexander R., Jr. (3@) [1943] (POW)
Fellsmere - Mudge, Verne D. [1920]
Fort Lauderdale - Jones, Paul G. [1969]
Gainesville - Boyt, John T., III [1967]
Gainesville - de Czege, Huba W. [1964]
Gainesville - Greer, Thomas U. [1950]
Gainesville - Meyer, John H. [1939]
Gainesville - Yon, Everett M., Jr. [1956]
Jacksonville - Fechet, D'Alary [1912]
Jacksonville - Howell, Martin D. (2@) [1949]
Jacksonville - Kernan, Francis J. [1881]
Jacksonville - Mason, Lassiter A. [1933] (POW)
Jupiter - Meyerowich, Drew R. [1987]

Key West - Brooks, Bruce S. [1968]
Lake City - Dickens, Randolph C. [1936]
Lake City - Ives, Washington M., Jr. [1924]
Lake Worth - Wetzel, Allan R. [1961]
Lakeland - Brett, Devol [1945]
Leesburg - Strong, Kenneth D. [1967]
Melbourne - Blesse, Frederick C. (2@) [1945]
Melbourne - Guilhaus, Howard H. [1963]
Miami - Arango, Roger J., Jr. (2@) [1967]
Miami - Balluff, James G. [1935]
Miami - Carpenter, Thomas E., III (2@) [1958]
Miami - Hart, Franklin A. (3@) [1954]
Miami - Hunt, Lynn J. [1966]
Miami - Jones, George S., III [1945]
Miami - Landry, John R. (2@) [1962]
Miami - McChristian, Joseph A. [1939]
Miami - Peter, Edward C., II (2@) [1951]
Orlando - Lantz, Peter J. [1966] (KIA)
Orlando - Parker, Paul B. [1916]
Panama City - Bailey, Max P., III [1967]
Panama City - Turner, Richard A. [1982]
Pensacola - Bell, Raymond E. (4@) [1927]
Pensacola - Sherburne, Thomas N. (2@) [1961]
Pensacola - Varnum, Charles A. [1872]
Sarasota - Higgins, Gerald J. [1934]
Sarasota - Newman, Aubrey S. [1925]
St. Augustine - Tate, Joseph S., Jr. [1941] (MIA-KIA)
St. Petersburg - Decker, James G. (2@) [1968]
St. Petersburg - Riddell, Robert C., II [1968]
Starke - Sternberg, Ben [1938]
Tallahassee - Dickens, James A. [1966]
Tallahassee - Lowry, Dexter [1929]
Tallahassee - Van Brunt, Rinaldo (2@) [1925]
Tampa - Adams, Paul D. [1928]
Tampa - Silverthorne, Carl D. [1923] (KIA)
Tarpon Springs - Visconti, Joseph, Jr. [1967]
Vero Beach - Buckingham, Clay T. [1949]
Williston - Sullivan, Milton D. [1952]
Winter Haven - Frederick, Charles E. (2@) [1931] (KIA)
Winter Haven - Hays, John H. [1965] (KIA)
Winter Haven - Hood, Richard E., Jr. [1966] (KIA)
Winter Park - Palmer, Robert C. [1963]

Georgia

Alapaha - Shearer, Irvine H. [1940]
Athens - Harris, Hunter, Jr. [1932]

- Athens** - Kimbrell, Gordon T. (2@) [1937]
Athens - Kimbrell, Gordon T., Jr. (2@) [1966] (KIA)
Atlanta - Abrams, Bernard W. [1947]
Atlanta - Brace, Robert A., II [1968]
Atlanta - Clarke, Christian H., Jr. (2@) [1930]
Atlanta - Cunningham, William A., III [1934]
Atlanta - Davis, John S. [1965]
Atlanta - Exton, Hugh M. (3@) [1935]
Atlanta - Gage, Philip S., Jr. [1936] (POW)
Atlanta - Gallogly, James A. [1907]
Atlanta - Gerhardt, Igor D. [1959]
Atlanta - Hill, Richard F. [1937] (POW-KIA)
Atlanta - McQuarrie, Claude M., Jr. (2@) [1945]
Atlanta - Norton, George E., III [1966]
Atlanta - Reeves, James H., Jr. [1937]
Atlanta - Ryan, William O. [1914]
Atlanta - Saine, Harold J. [1943]
Atlanta - Truxes, Arthur H., Jr. (2@) [1945] (KIA)
Atlanta - Wood, McKinley C. [2001]
Augusta - Hagler, Carter B. [1950] (MIA-KIA)
Augusta - Richardson, William R. (2@) [1951]
Baldwin - Tanksley, Jephtha C. [1943]
Boston - Watkins, Gaulden M. [1928]
Brunswick - Ervin, William J., III [1967]
Butler - Gerhardt, Charles H. [1917]
Cartersville - Elliott, Joe F. [1950]
Cartersville - Fite, William C., II (2@) [1938]
Cedartown - Harris, William A. [1933]
Cedartown - Mundy, George W. [1928]
Chibley - Murrah, Charles R. [1941]
College Park - Mount, Charles M., Jr. [1939]
Columbus - Baker, Russell A. [1924]
Columbus - Evans, Andrew J., Jr. [1941] (POW)
Columbus - Gatewood, Moses J., Jr. [1943]
Columbus - Lowrey, Mark P. [1960]
Columbus - Lynch, William R., III [1968]
Columbus - Munson, Delbert E. [1940]
Columbus - Skelton, Winfred G., Jr. [1950]
Columbus - Smithers, Samuel W., Jr. [1950]
Cordele - Brown, Charles E. [1934]
Cordelo - Wood, Robert H. [1963]
Decatur - Caffey, Eugene M. [1918]
Decatur - Reach, William T. [1962] (KIA)
Decatur - Westbrook, Joseph A. (3@) [1963]
Dougherty - McDaniel, William T. [1941] (POW-KIA)
East Point - Carter, Charles F., Jr. [1945]
Forrest Park - Stull, Terry G. [1966]
Fort Benning - Harrison, Willard E., Jr. [1962]
Fort Benning - Healy, Richard W., Jr. [1960]
Fort Benning - Scudder, William I. (2@) [1960]
Fort Benning - Sibert, Franklin R. [1936]
Fort Benning - Vinson, Wilbur H., Jr. [1945]
Fort Oglethorpe - Donaldson, John W. (2@) [1944]
Fort Oglethorpe - Millikin, John, Jr. [1941]
Fort Scraven - Meyer, Charles R. (2@) [1937]
Gainesville - Harrison, Bertram C. [1938]
Gainesville - Quillian, Amzi R. [1937] (KIA)
Gainesville - Rew, Leland C., Jr. [1953]
Gainesville - Sharp, Jere W. [1950]
Greensboro - Callaway, John W. (4@) [1941]
Hazelhurst - Finley, Joe W. [1946]
Hogansville - Arnold, Milton W. [1931]
Hunt - Bowman, Edgar E. [1943]
Jefferson - Whelchel, Willis W. [1927]
Jonesboro - Galvin, John R. [1954]
Jonesboro - Hudson, Claude K. (2@) [1965]
La Fayette - Hillhouse, Charles H. (2@) [1939]
LaGrange - Carley, John W. [1944]
Lavonia - Cornog, William W., Jr. [1924] (KIA)
Lavonia - Gilmer, Dan [1932]
Louisville - Little, Augustine P., Jr. [1937] (KIA)
Lumber City - McRae, James H. (2@) [1886]
Macon - Burdett, Edward B. [1943] (POW-KIA)
Macon - Cherry, Henry T., Jr. (3@) [1935]
Macon - Doughtie, Claude H., Jr. [1950]
Macon - Elkins, Harry W. [1937]
Macon - Grinalds, John S. [1959]
Macon - Magee, Mervyn M. [1931]
Macon - Scott, Robert L., Jr. (2@) [1932]
Manchester - Shaw, Ralph T. [1965]
Marietta - Cole, Richard B. (3@) [1963]
Milledgeville - Chandler, Fitzhugh H., Jr. [1959]
Milledgeville - Tredway, Robert N. [1958]
Muscogee - Stevens, Burrowes G., Jr. [1943]
Nacoochee - Williams, Clarence C. [1894]
Nashville - Guthrie, William E. [1964]
Perry - Hodges, Courtney H. [1908]
Perry - Houser, Houston P., III [1957]
Riverdale - McInerney, James E., Jr. (3@) [1952]
Rochelle - Bahnsen, John C., Jr. (5@) [1956]
Rockmart - Harris, Frederick M. [1920]
Rome - Willis, James T. [1936]
Sandersville - Pritchard, James R. [1933]
Savanna - Train, William F., Jr. [1931]
Savannah - Barnwell, William G., Jr. [1934]
Savannah - Erwin, James B. [1880]

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Savannah - Oliver, Francis M. [1936] (KIA)
Savannah - Suddath, Leroy N., Jr. (2@) [1956]
Savannah - Travis, Robert F. (3@) [1928]
Savannah - Wood, Jared I. [1917]
Siloam - Dolvin, Welborn G. (4@) [1939]
Swainsboro - Schwabe, Francis E., Jr. [1969]
Thomasville - Austin, Lloyd J., III [1975]
Tifton - Britt, Henry C. (2@) [1932]
Tifton - Puckett, Ralph, Jr. (2@) [1949]
Warrenton - Brinkley, Thomas M. [1918]
Washville - Wilson, Torrence M. [1966]

Hawaii

Ewa, Oahu - Brown, Robert M., II [1968]
Hilo - Lyman, Charles B. [1913]
Honolulu - Alfonso, Albert F. [1948]
Honolulu - Cantlay, George G. [1943]
Honolulu - Connor, William M., Jr. [1964]
Honolulu - Fernandez, Robert N. [1953]
Honolulu - Larsen, Stanley R. [1939]
Honolulu - Timberlake, Edward W. [1917]
Kaneohe - Olsen, Alexander K. [1963]
Wailuku, Maui - Peters, David M. [1946]

Idaho

Ada - Hemphill, John A. (2@) [1951]
Boise - Bernard, Lyle W. [1933]
Boise - Blake, Charles J., Jr. [1938]
Boise - Yamashita, Ted K. [1963]
Coeur d'Alene - Johnson, Marshall B. (3@) [1962]
Cottonwood - Baer, John W. [1943]
Jerome - Butler, Dennis L. [1956]
Lewiston - Burnside, Walter [1923]
Lewiston - Hastings, Kester L. [1918]
Moscow - Mitchell, Herbert V. [1930]
Nampa - Housemann, Evan M. [1928]
Paris - Budge, Larry D. [1961]
Payette - Norris, Jack K. (2@) [1939]
Pocatello - Vesser, Dale A. [1954]
Sandpoint - Fry, James C. [1922]
Twin Falls - Daum, Richard S. (3@) [1960]

Illinois

Abingdon - Ferris, John W. (2@) [1933]

Aledo - Danford, Howard H. (2@) [1952]
Alton - Childers, Stephen A. [1963] (KIA)
Blandinsville - Knapp, James B. [1939]
Bloomington - Zook, William E. [1945]
Cairo - Kerth, Monroe C. (3@) [1898]
Canton - Bowman, Stephen L. [1968]
Carbondale - Weller, James M. [1967]
Carlinville - Landon, Truman H. [1928]
Carmi - Martin, Charles H. (2@) [1887]
Champaign - Deponai, Andrew T. [1996]
Chicago - Doe, Jens A. (4@) [1914]
Chicago - Drum, James H. [1937]
Chicago - Emery, Guy R. [1930]
Chicago - Farrell, Francis W. [1920]
Chicago - Frydrychowski, Roger W. [1965]
Chicago - Heraty, Francis J. [1917]
Chicago - Hester, Arthur C. [1965]
Chicago - Holmes, James R. [1938] (POW-KIA)
Chicago - Hoy, Charles E. [1931]
Chicago - Jackley, Lawrence W. [1950]
Chicago - Keeley, Harry J. (2@) [1911]
Chicago - Lynn, Clark [1903]
Chicago - MacCloskey, Monro [1924]
Chicago - Maio, Joseph R. [1961]
Chicago - McCanna, Robert L. [1943]
Chicago - Mikkelsen, William H. [1932]
Chicago - Olejniczak, Julian M. [1961]
Chicago - Palmer, Williston B. [1919]
Chicago - Petersen, Robert J. [1948]
Chicago - Rogers, Joseph B. [1946]
Chicago - Singer, Raymond P. [1950]
Chicago - Stromberg, Woodrow W. [1937]
Chicago - Swift, Eben F. [1940]
Chicago - Taylor, Arthur E., Jr. (2@) [1952]
Chicago - Wetherill, Roderick [1940]
Clinton - Miller, Robert B. [1939]
Crystal Lake - Teberg, David T. [1954]
Danville - Carpenter, Richard C. [1929]
Danville - Holton, Earl F. [1936]
Danville - Wood, William T. [1877]
Decatur - Arnold, Steven L. (2@) [1962]
East St. Louis - Dean, Fred M. [1938]
East St. Louis - Terry, Frederick G. [1930]
Eldorado - Webb, Clyde H., Jr. (2@) [1940] (MIA-KIA)
Elgin - Donahue, James G. [1953]
Elmhurst - Saint, Frederick G. [1931] (POW-KIA)
Evanston - Boye, Frederic W., Jr. [1939]

Evanston - Day, Stephen A. [1945]
Evanston - Dibble, John, Jr. [1940]
Evanston - Keats, Robert G. [1965] (KIA)
Fairfield - Blazey, Frank E. (2@) [1946]
Fairfield - Skelton, Winfred G. [1919]
Fort Sheridan - Blanchard, Robert M., Jr. [1933]
Fort Sheridan - MacKinnon, Robert N. [1945]
Fort Sheridan - Watson, Numa A. (3@) [1922]
Granite City - Goodpaster, Andrew J., Jr. [1939]
Greenville - Haas, William E. (2@) [1955]
Hensdale - Stockton, Thomas W. [1949]
Highland Park - Sullivan, John S., Jr. (2@) [1944]
Hinsdale - Samuel, John S. [1939]
Hurst - Wilson, Russell A. [1928] (MIA-KIA)
Joliet - Scholtes, Richard A. [1957]
Joliet - Simon, Henry F. [1966]
Kane County - Farley, Clare F. [1943]
Kankakee - Menard, Noel A. [1937]
Kankakee - Stella, Harry A. [1940]
Knoxville - Hale, Harry C. [1883]
La Grange - Barofskyc, Frederick J. [1967]
Lovington - Gregory, Roy D. [1933] (POW-MIA)
Marion - Zoller, Virgil L. [1938]
Marshall - Dulaney, Robert L. (2@) [1923]
Metropolis - Kerr, Edwin B. [1945]
Moline - Dunn, Carroll H., Jr. [1966]
Monmouth - Wheelock, John G., II [1943]
Mt. Pulaski - Underhill, George R. (2@) [1952]
Naperville - Newell, William J., III [1966]
Naperville - Tangen, Stephen R. [2008]
Oak Park - Bolton, Donnelly P. [1942]
Oak Park - Bowen, John W. (2@) [1932]
Oak Park - Braucher, Ernest P. [1945]
Oak Park - Kane, Matthew W. [1933]
Oak Park - Rehm, George A. [1920]
Ogle County - Newcomer, David A. [1919] (POW-KIA)
Olney - Brennan, Mark F., Jr. [1964]
Olney - Forrest, John F. (3@) [1949]
Olney - Gaddis, John W. [1925]
Olney - Lancaster, Michael S. [1967]
Olney - Sebree, Edmund B. (2@) [1919]
Ottawa - Prichard, Lawrence F. [1936] (POW-KIA)
Paris - Nelson, Gustin M. (2@) [1921]
Park Ridge - Hill, Robert J., Jr. [1939]
Peoria - Bash, Louis H. [1895]
Peoria - Downing, Wayne A. (2@) [1962]
Peoria - Golden, Joe E. (2@) [1932]

Peoria - Talbott, Coral M. (2@) [1938] (POW-KIA)
Peoria - Wheeler, Raymond A. [1911]
Peru - Smith, Woodrow M. [1940]
Pontiac - Harris, Boyd M. [1966]
Prairie City - Milam, James T. [1944] (KIA)
Princeton - Hayden, Gilbert [1922]
Quincy - Ellis, Paul R. [1943]
Rock Island - Huling, John W. [1944] (KIA)
Rockford - Faith, John C. [1947]
Rockville - Hyzer, Peter C. [1937]
Salem - Smith, William F. [1962]
Skokie - Wold, Douglas A. (2@) [1961]
Springfield - Barker, Robert A. [1938] (POW-MIA)
Springfield - Colby, Ralph A. [1940] (KIA)
Springfield - Frederick, John D. [1919]
Springfield - Hardaway, Eads G. [1937] (POW)
Springfield - McClelland, Edward J. [1870]
Springfield - Neiger, John [1935] (POW-KIA)
Springfield - Poston, Edmund D. [1945] (KIA)
Springfield - Ruff, Clarence G. [1952]
Urbana - Buckley, Harry A., Jr. (2@) [1948]
Washington - Chaney, Matthew A. [2001]
White Hall - Bradburn, Clarence E. [1913]

Indiana

Anderson - McClure, Mark [1922]
Boonville - Campbell, Daniel S. [1932]
Cambridge City - Frazer, Ronald L. (2@) [1967] (KIA)
Cicero - Winkel, Paul P., Jr. [1956]
Clay City - Luther, John J., Jr. [1943]
Columbia City - Northam, William F. [1934]
Columbus - Long, Philip W. [1939]
Culver - Woodmansee, John W., Jr. [1956]
Danville - Millikin, John [1910]
East Chicago - Hoos, William A., Jr. [1962] (KIA)
East Chicago - Meszar, Frank (2@) [1940]
Elkhart - Fields, Kenneth E. [1933]
Evansville - Gray, David W. [1933]
Evansville - Newcomb, Charles W. [1950]
Fort Benjamin Harrison - Walson, Charles W. [1938]
Fort Wayne - Baade, Paul W. (2@) [1911]
Fort Wayne - Bart, Wayne L. [1942]
Fort Wayne - Meinzen, Walter E. [1948]
Fort Wayne - Morton, Richard L. [1949]
Fort Wayne - Thomson, Earl F. [1922]
Fountain City - Knight, Archie J. [1940]

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Fowler - Carr, Warner W. [1916]
Freetown - Bland, George E. (2@) [1947]
Gary - Gerometta, Arthur L. [1949]
Green Castle - Harmless, Howard M., II [1967]
Huntingsburg - Miller, Austin A. [1933]
Huntington - Poinier, Arthur D. [1939]
Huntington - Shultz, Harold D. [1951]
Indianapolis - Blakeslee, James A. [1948]
Indianapolis - Hyman, Arthur S. [1944]
Indianapolis - Poinier, Norman E. [1929]
Jasonville - Burcham, Jerry J. [1956]
Jasper - Milburn, Frank W. (2@) [1914]
Kokomo - Chegar, Richard D. [1962]
Kokomo - Trobaugh, Edward L. [1955]
Lafayette - McNair, Douglas C. [1928] (KIA)
Marion County - Cowherd, Richard M. [1944] (KIA)
Mishawaka - Uline, Willis [1890]
Mooreville - Casey, John L. [1960]
Muncie - Wray, Stanley T. [1932]
New Albany - Daniel, Maurice W. [1920]
Plainville - Clinton, Roy J. [1941]
Salem - Dawalt, Kenneth F. [1936]
Salem - Graves, Gary P. [1958]
Shelbyville - Edson, Hallett D. (3@) [1934]
St. Joseph County - Cooper, Roland E. [1951] (KIA)
Sullivan - Hunt, Jesse B. [1915]
Syracuse - Mann, James D. [1877] (KIA)
Tangier - Graves, Richard G. [1958]
Terra Haute - Erler, Leo J. [1917]
Terre Haute - Hutton, Carl I. [1930]
Union City - Mangas, Cloyce L. [1950]
Vincennes - Inman, Richard G. [1952] (MIA-KIA)
Warrington - Ham, Samuel V. [1892]
Waveland - Rosebaum, Dwight A. [1920]
Winamac - Garigan, Thomas P. [1957]

Iowa

Atkinson, Quintus C., V [1943]
Greenwalt, William J. [1943]
Avoca - Turner, Howard M. (2@) [1924]
Battle Creek - Fowler, David M. [1922]
Bedford - Anderson, Glen H. [1917]
Bloomfield - Power, George W. [1932]
Buffalo Center - Steinmetz, Rollin T., Jr. [1942]
Carroll - McCrary, Thomas A. [1934]
Cedar Rapids - Buch, Kenneth D. [1966]
Cedar Rapids - Kurtz, Maurice K. [1919]

Cedar Rapids - Mead, Warne D. (2@) [1957]
Cedar Rapids - Post, Elwyn D. (2@) [1923]
Centerville - Dingeman, Robert E. [1945]
Chariton - Veatch, John D. [1961]
Charles City - Blake, Gordon A. [1931]
Cherokee - Ryan, John D. (2@) [1938]
Clinton - Connor, William D. (2@) [1897]
Clinton - Volckmann, Russell W. [1934]
Council Bluffs - Everest, Frank F. [1928]
Davenport - Austin, Gordon H. [1936]
Davenport - Free, Richard H. [1940]
Des Moines - Brant, Philip D. [1937]
Des Moines - Garton, George G. [1930]
Des Moines - Graham, Alexander [1932]
Des Moines - Moran, Clayton L. [1949]
Des Moines - Saltzman, Charles M. (2@) [1896]
Fairfield - Huglin, Harold Q. [1929]
Granger - Heckman, George M. [1960]
Guthrie Center - Moore, Ned D. (2@) [1930]
Iowa City - Ely, Hanson E. (2@) [1891]
Iowa City - Rickard, Daniel S. [1953]
Iowa City - Scott, James A., III [1961]
Marble Rock - Garber, Max B. [1903]
Marshalltown - Buchwald, Donald M. [1955]
Northwood - Hewitt, Leland H. [1918]
Osage - Alitz, Douglas A. [1964]
Oskaloosa - Wilcox, William W. [1940]
Oskaloosa - Woodruff, Roscoe B. (3@) [1915]
Ottumwa - Madden, Jim L. (3@) [1961]
Ottumwa - Spilman, Robert B. [1942]
Rock Rapids - Rogers, William L. [1934]
Rolfe - Chapman, Herschel E. [1950]
Sioux City - Dunn, Floyd E. (2@) [1925]
Sioux City - Fife, Thomas W. (2@) [1950]
Traer - Pierce, Palmer E. [1891]
West Liberty - Koster, Samuel W. (2@) [1942]
Whiting - Langren, Donald R. [1950]

Kansas

Sweezey, Claude B. [1892]
Andover - Fitzgerald, Byron S. [1957]
Atchison - Thompson, Richard W. [1966] (KIA)
Clay Center - Leners, Marty M. [1989]
Colby - Murphy, Donald T. [1966]
Emporia - McAdoo, Richard F. (2@) [1947]
Enterprise - Renwanz, Rowland H. [1940]
Fairview - Rogers, Bernard W. [1943]

Fort Leavenworth - Drain, Jesse C., Jr. (2@) [1936]
Fort Leavenworth - Fuller, Horace H. [1909]
Fort Riley - Brown, Thomas W. (2@) [1943]
Humboldt - Crawford, Joseph B. (2@) [1933]
Hutchinson - Kendree, Ulmont R., Jr. [1949]
Iola - Dickerson, Albert H. [1927]
Junction City - Jeffcoat, Marvin A., Jr. [1965]
Junction City - Lee, John C., Sr. [1909]
Kansas City - Bess, Clarence R. [1939] (POW)
Kansas City - Hewitt, Robert A. [1932]
Kansas City - Little, Donald C. [1931]
Kansas City - Weed, Mahlon G. [1952]
Leavenworth - Arnold, Joseph V. (2@) [1960]
Leavenworth - Barth, George B. (2@) [1918]
Leavenworth - Brown, George S. [1941]
Leavenworth - Hanna, Mark J. [1950]
Leavenworth - Heiberg, Elvin R., III [1953]
Leavenworth - Mack, John H. [1961]
Leavenworth - Roberts, Thomas A., Jr. [1920] (KIA)
Manhattan - Rehm, Donald H. [1945]
McPherson - McAlexander, Ulysses G. [1887]
Moline - Johnson, Leon W. [1926]
Overland Park - Oshel, Michael E. [1966]
Peabody - Schroeder, Arnold L. [1932]
Salina - Gross, William M. (2@) [1934]
Sharon Springs - Lutz, Ward A. [1963]
Spring Hill - Chamberlin, Stephen J. [1912]
Susank - Susank, Firman E. [1943] (KIA)
Topeka - Anderson, Joseph B., Jr. (2@) [1965]
Topeka - Coates, Dennis E. [1967]
Topeka - Goldsmith, Richard H. [1963]
Topeka - Hohman, Loren H., II [1967]
Topeka - Hughes, William R. [1942]
Topeka - Ryder, Charles W. (4@) [1915]
Weir City - Helmick, Eli A. [1888]
Winfield - Strother, Dean C. [1931]

Kentucky

Barbourville - Roberts, Elvy B. (2@) [1943]
Berkeley - Mearns, Fillmore K. (2@) [1938]
Bowling Green - Williams, John M. [1936]
Columbia - Hamlett, Barksdale [1930]
Corbin - Corum, Dabney R. [1933]
Covington - Syme, Leander D. [1919]
Cynthiana - Riggs, Kerr T. [1901]
Fort Campbell - Throckmorton, Thomas B. [1960]
Fort Knox - Hale, Glynn W. (3@) [1967]

Fort Thomas - Coomer, William O. [1963]
Fort Thomas - Jansen, Joseph A. [1946]
Frankfort - Woodyard, Thomas W., Jr. [1935]
Harrodsburg - Buster, William R. (2@) [1939]
Harrodsburg - Yeuell, Donovan P., Jr. [1940]
Henderson - Johnson, Thomas J. [1908]
Hutchinson Station - Kerr, John B. [1870]
Jefferson County - Frost, William R., Jr. [1946] (KIA)
Lawrenceburg - Clay, Robert P. [1925]
Lexington - Crosby, Ben G., Jr. (2@) [1958]
Louisville - Cureton, William H. [1916]
Louisville - Fleming, Adrian S. (2@) [1895]
Louisville - Schorr, David E. [1957]
Louisville - Weaver, William G. [1912]
Mayfield - Anderson, John L. [1968]
Maysville - Kirwin, James M. [1954]
Millersburg - Leer, James B. [1936]
Owensboro - Graham, John M. (2@) [1964] (KIA)
Owensboro - Millican, Raymond W. [1940]
Owingsville - Thompson, James V. [1927]
Paris - Nickerson, John C., Jr. (2@) [1938]
Russellville - Powell, Beverley E. [1936]
Winchester - Winn, Frank L. (2@) [1886]
Winchester - Winn, John S. [1888]

Louisiana

Alexandria - Slay, James R. [1950]
Alexandria - Williams, Walworth F. (2@) [1948]
Arcadia - Conger, William E., Jr. [1947]
Arcadia - Shelley, James M. [1940]
Baton Rouge - Brousseau, Andre R. [1940]
Baton Rouge - Read, Alvan C. [1898]
Bogalusa - Miller, Raymond O. [1945]
Eunice - Smith, Frank M. [1958]
Hammond - Koch, Robert J. [1947]
Haynesville - Kellum, William H. [1950] (POW-KIA)
Jennings - Robert, Wade H., Jr. [1943]
Lake Charles - Eddleman, Clyde D. [1924]
Mansfield - Foster, Robert T. [1918]
Many - Jackson, George D. [1945]
New Orleans - Boatner, Haydon L. [1924]
New Orleans - Collins, James L. [1907]
New Orleans - Collins, Joseph L. (2@) [1917]
New Orleans - Heiss, Gustave M. [1931]
New Orleans - Jackson, Clay B. [1953]
New Orleans - McGinn, John J. [1956]
New Orleans - Nash, William L. [1968]

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New Orleans - Wahl, George D. (4@) [1917]
New Orleans - Wickboldt, Walter C. [1939]
Opelousas - Dubuison, James G. [1940]
Port Allen - Berthelot, Henry J. [1967]
Provencal - Longino, Mercer P. [1941]
Shreveport - Kennedy, John E., Jr. [1942]
Shreveport - Maroun, Autrey J. [1935]
Shreveport - Neilson, Clifford C. (2@) [1953]
Shreveport - Sewall, Alexander R. [1926]
Shreveport - Titus, Calvin P., Jr. [1940]
Shreveport - Williams, George W. (2@) [1959]
Tullos - Doughty, Robert A. [1965]

Maine

Merrill, John N., Jr. [1906]
Auburn - Packard, Harry B. (2@) [1930] (POW-KIA)
Augusta - Wyman, Willard G. [1919]
Bangor - Adams, Jonathan E., Jr. (2@) [1941]
Bangor - Gleszer, Peter E. [1964]
Bangor - Ulmer, Walter F. (2@) [1952]
Bath - Huse, John E. [1939] (MIA-KIA)
Belfast - Hazeltine, Charles B., Jr. [1940]
Berwick - Allyn, Daniel B. [1981]
Brewer - Hill, Emery F. (2@) [1966]
Bridgewater - Williams, Gerald E. [1931]
Ellsworth - Moore, Bryant E. (2@) [1917]
Farmington - Wood, Winthrop S. [1889]
Fort McKinley - Heintges, John A. (2@) [1936]
Goldsboro - Deane, John R., Jr. (3@) [1942]
Maplewood - Burns, Donald A. [1962]
North Whitefield - Leary, Edmund M. (3@) [1892]
Portland - Chase, Charles H. [1933]
Portland - Donovan, Stanley J. [1934]
Portland - Garrett, Robert W. [1941]
Portland - Gulick, John M. (2@) [1937] (POW)
Saugerville - Bishop, Charles E. [1953]
South Portland - Jordan, Linwood F. [1942]
South Portland - Welborn, John C. (2@) [1932]
Steep Falls - Lindquist, Roy E. [1930]
Watertown - Cole, Caleb A. [1943]
Westbrook - Richardson, Edwin W. [1937]
York County - Nutting, Wallace H. [1950]

Maryland

Spraker, Harry W., Jr. [1949] (KIA)

Annapolis - Keller, James H. (2@) [1939]
Annapolis - Meigs, Montgomery C. [1940] (KIA)
Annapolis - Shiley, Earle M. (2@) [1938] (POW-KIA)
Baltimore - Clarke, Powhatan H. [1884]
Baltimore - Colladay, Edgar B., Jr. [1942]
Baltimore - Darrell, Charles C. [1962]
Baltimore - Day, Seth S. [1949]
Baltimore - Dugan, Thomas B. [1882]
Baltimore - Eareckson, William O. [1924]
Baltimore - Hoisington, Perry M., II [1939]
Baltimore - Kenly, William L. (2@) [1889]
Baltimore - Mayer, John D., Jr. [1968]
Baltimore - Mewshaw, Harry C. [1918]
Baltimore - Moore, Bidwell [1940]
Baltimore - Murphy, Joseph M. [1915]
Baltimore - Rowny, Edward L. (3@) [1941]
Baltimore - Sweany, Kenneth S. (2@) [1923]
Baltimore - Thomasson, John T. [1965]
Baltimore - Utermahlen, Charles B. [1968]
Baltimore - Webb, Alfred N., Jr. (2@) [1964]
Baltimore - Wheeler, Lester L. (2@) [1935]
Baltimore - Wiegand, Charles D. [1929]
Bel Air - Van Bibber, Edwin M. [1929]
Berwyn - Benson, Clarence C. (2@) [1914]
Bethesda - Eckert, John H. [1966]
Bethesda - Herren, John D. [1958]
Bethesda - Mente, Alvin L., III [1968]
Bethesda - Shive, Donald W., Jr. [1964]
Bethesda - Wells, John T., III [1944] (KIA)
Cambridge - Barber, Henry A., III (3@) [1943]
Chevy Chase - McCarthy, John M. [1957]
Chevy Chase - Ordway, Godwin, III [1955]
Chevy Chase - Ordway, Roderic E. [1958]
Crisfield - Quinn, William W. [1933]
Elkton - Byers, John W. [1962]
Fairland - Conley, Edgar T. [1897]
Fort Hoyle - Collins, James L., Jr. [1939]
Frederick - Griffin, Joseph T., Jr. (2@) [1950]
Frederick - Hayward, Gregory J. (2@) [1964]
Gibson Island - Boyd, Richard K., Jr. [1960] (KIA)
Hagerstown - Mackenzie, Gabriel T. (2@) [1915]
Hyattsville - Reese, Thomas F. [1964]
Indianhead - Burroughs, William D. (2@) [1955] (POW)
Kensington - Peake, James B. [1966]
Montgomery - Swett, Trevor W., Jr. [1949]
Montgomery County - Field, Fearn [1943] (KIA)
Mount Airy - Davis, Lee D. [1909]

Owings Mills - Annan, William M. (2@) [1964]
Owings Mills - Campbell, Robert M. [1904]
Pikesville - Keyes, Geoffrey (2@) [1913]
Pikesville - Mather, Linwood B. [1950]
Potomac - Waters, John K. (3@) [1931] (**POW**)
Prince Georges - Millener, George A., Jr. [1949]
Rockville - Stern, Herbert I. [1941]
Rockville - Wheeler, Leigh F., Jr. [1966]
Round Bay - Greene, Byron D., Jr. [1946]
Salisbury - Hale, David R. [1967]
Salisbury - Howard, John D. [1964]
Sedderma Park - Kidder, James D. [1943]
Silver Spring - Chandler, Malcolm W., Jr. [1950]
Silver Spring - Conley, Edgar T., Jr. (3@) [1929]
Silver Spring - Nairn, William W., III (2@) [1947]
Silver Spring - Szekely, Akos D. [1964] (**KIA**)
Takoma Park - Conlon, Arthur F. [1963]
Takoma Park - Linton, William M. [1941]
Taneytown - Maus, Marion P. [1874]
Towson - Middaugh, Thomas R. [1962]

Massachusetts

Grady, Ronan C., Jr. [1943]
 Guiney, Patrick W. [1899]
 Preston, Guy H. [1888]
Allston - Casey, George W. (3@) [1945] (**KIA**)
Amesbury - Therrien, Francois X., Jr. [1950]
Andover - Ginsburgh, Robert N. [1944]
Andover - Hayward, Charles W. [1950]
Andover - McCaffrey, Barry R. (2@) [1964]
Athol - Jenna, William W. (3@) [1917]
Belmont - Mahoney, Brian E. [1967]
Boston - Babcock, Walter C. [1893]
Boston - Collins, Arthur S., Jr. [1938]
Boston - Connolly, William J. (2@) [1965]
Boston - Curran, Robert F. [1936]
Boston - Deagle, Edwin A., Jr. (2@) [1960]
Boston - Finnegan, Walter E. [1928]
Boston - Goode, Paul R. [1917] (**POW**)
Boston - Grant, Walter H. (3@) [1939]
Boston - Knowlton, William A. (3@) [1943]
Boston - Ramsay, David L. [1964] (**KIA**)
Boston - Reardon, James V. [1939]
Boston - Smith, Edward P. (2@) [1939]
Boston - Thatcher, Herbert B. [1932]
Bridgewater - Clark, Allen F., Jr. [1932]
Bridgewater - King, Edward L. [1896]

Brighton - Collins, Edward J. [1946]
Brookline - Lerette, Earle L. (2@) [1939]
Brookline - Ray, William J. [1943]
Brookline - Sears, Hayden A. (4@) [1920]
Cambridge - Bartley, Hugh J. (2@) [1947]
Cambridge - Clement, Wallace L. [1940] (**POW**)
Cambridge - Corley, John T., Jr. [1967] (**KIA**)
Cambridge - Crowley, John D. [1942]
Cambridge - Dooley, Thomas F. [1964]
Chelsea - Blanchard, William H. [1938]
Chelsea - Cota, Norman D. (2@) [1917]
Danvers - Fera, John A. [1966] (**KIA**)
Dedham - McCann, Robert I. [1958]
Dedham - Riley, Philip D. [1966]
East Dedham - Ohman, Nils O. [1937]
Fall River - King, Bernard F. [1969]
Feeding Hills - Abrams, Creighton W., Jr. (2@) [1936]
Fitchburg - Bresnahan, Richard A. [1946]
Fitchburg - Poore, Benjamin A. (2@) [1886]
Franklin - Costello, Normando A. [1929]
Franklin - Cummings, Robert L. [1941] (**KIA**)
Gardner - Flynn, Allan S. [1950]
Gardner - Flynn, Thomas F., Jr. [1944]
Gloucester - Rosen, Melvin H. [1940] (**POW**)
Hampden County - Derouin, Frank D. (2@) [1943] (**KIA**)
Holden - Griffith, Robert K., Jr. [1967]
Holyoke - Healy, Thomas F., Jr. [1954]
Hyde Park - Fellows, Francis E. [1929] (**POW**)
Lawrence - Minahan, Daniel J., Jr. [1939]
Leominster - Jenna, Russell W. [1934]
Leominster - Legere, Laurence J., Jr. [1940]
Leominster - Safford, Robert H. [1936]
Littleton - Getz, Charles E. (6@) [1959]
Lowell - Harmon, Ernest N. (2@) [1917]
Lowell - Lambert, Arthur L. [1942]
Lowell - Maliszewski, George M. [1937]
Lowell - Vandenberg, Hoyt S. [1923]
Lynn - Blades, Jon W., III [1966]
Marblehead - Radcliffe, Robert F. [1965]
Malden - Gallagher, Nathaniel A. [1950]
Marlborough - Carey, Merle L. [1943]
Medford - Sawyer, Bickford E., Jr. [1945]
Medford - Tucker, Robert E. [1935]
Natick - Waldron, David A. [1995]
Needham - Shugg, Roland P. (2@) [1916]
New Bedford - Coughlan, Joseph D. [1915]
New Bedford - Sundin, Alvar B. [1938]

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Newton Center - Gray, Marshall R. [1937]
North Adams - Malloy, John T. [1931]
Northampton - Ramee, Eric P. [1935]
Palmer - Wilbur, William H. [1912]
Peabody - Graves, Rupert D. (2@) [1924]
Pittsfield - Roberts, Francis J. [1942]
Randolph - Brennan, Michael J. [1968]
Saugus - Scullen, Allan R. [1942]
Somerville - Massello, William, Jr. (2@) [1932]
(POW)
Springfield - Ganahl, Joseph [1927] (POW-KIA)
Springfield - LaBreche, George J. [1940]
Suffolk - Toomey, Joseph D. [1949] (POW-MIA)
Taunton - Irving, Frederick A. (3@) [1917]
Walpole - Eklund, Kenneth R. (2@) [1964]
Wellesley - Harrington, John B. (3@) [1965]
Wellesley Hills - Eichorn, William N., II [1950]
West Action - Anderson, John M. [1942]
West Bridgewater - Carlson, Gary W. [1967] (KIA)
Westwood - LaCamera, Paul J. [1985]
Whatley - Ross, Leslie G. (2@) [1928] (POW-KIA)
Winthrop - Booras, Peter D. [1955]
Woburn - Shaughnessey, Leo W. [1934]
Worcester - Bolduc, Lucien E., Jr. [1950]
Worcester - Cavanaugh, Edward J. (2@) [1946] (KIA)
Worcester - Daley, Edmund L. [1906]
Worcester - Hayes, Thomas H. [1934]
Worcester - Holt, Winfield A. [1952]
Worcester - Kane, Paul V. [1916]
Worcester - Powers, John L. [1937]
Worcester - Terry, Frederick G. [1960]

Michigan

Dusenbury, Ralph W. [1907]
Loftin, Dean R. [1965]
Sterling, Edmund K. [1901]
Almont - Shoemaker, Robert M. [1946]
Battle Creek - Baldwin, Geoffrey P. [1916]
Battle Creek - Robinson, Robert W. [1950] (KIA)
Bay City - Learman, Birdsey L. [1938]
Bay City - Majeske, LeRoy E. [1947] (KIA)
Bay City - Rowley, David S. [1967]
Bronson - Czuberki, Joseph A. [1961]
Calumet - Chesarek, Ferdinand J. [1938]
Centerville - Fletcher, Charles W. (2@) [1941]
Chelsea - Beach, Dwight E. [1932]
Chippewa Falls - Pauley, John L., Jr. [1930]

Constantine - Bandholtz, Harry H. [1890]
Detroit - Canham, Charles D. [1926]
Detroit - Chapman, Curtis W., Jr. [1941]
Detroit - Costa, John J. [1949]
Detroit - Dodds, William H., Jr. (4@) [1905]
Detroit - Howe, Louis W. [1945] (KIA)
Detroit - MacLean, Allan D. (2@) [1930] (MIA-KIA)
Detroit - Matheson, Charles F. [1941]
Detroit - McGinity, James E. [1940] (KIA)
Detroit - McLaughlin, Stanley A. [1964]
Detroit - Stewart, Donald B. [1940] (POW)
Detroit - White, Thomas E., Jr. [1967]
Erie - Muir, Charles H. [1885]
Escanaba - Fry, Michael D. [1966]
Ferndale - Wilson, Wesley C. [1929]
Flushing - Mercer, Thomas K. [1961]
Fremont - Darling, John E., Jr. [1968] (KIA)
Grand Rapids - Butler, Charles L. [1950] (KIA)
Grand Rapids - Dingeman, James W. [1948]
Grand Rapids - Flint, Dennis D. [1962]
Grand Rapids - Lundquist, Carl E. (2@) [1927]
Grand Rapids - Neuman, Michael J. [1967]
Grosse Ile - Biddle, John [1881]
Grosse Point - Norris, Ned T. (2@) [1936]
Grosse Point - Standish, Frederick D., II [1942]
Grosse Point - Tyree, Thomas B. (2@) [1948]
Hamburg - Winans, Edwin B. [1891]
Hancock - O'Neill, Michael E. [1961]
Hermansville - Slack, Julius E. [1919]
Holly - Fagan, Thomas W. [1969]
Jackson - Millerlile, William M. [1963]
Kalamazoo - Fitzpatrick, Thomas E. (3@) [1952]
Kalamazoo - Graham, Todd P. [1955]
Kent County - Breitung, Howard E. (2@) [1923]
(POW-KIA)
Lansing - Brooks, John A., III [1941]
Lansing - Smith, Selwyn D. [1936]
Lawton - Burger, Vonna F. [1924]
Mendon - Schermerhorn, John G. [1937]
Menominee - Sawyer, Kenneth T. [1943]
Mount Clemens - Wald, Walter I. [1940] (POW-MIA)
Mt. Clemens - Starr, Douglas H. (2@) [1967]
Munger - Rogers, Delmer J. [1939]
Muskegon - Kunkel, David E., Jr. [1941]
Napoleon - Learnard, Henry G. [1890]
Owosso - Ploger, Robert R. (2@) [1939]
Pontiac - Bailey, Donald J. (2@) [1925]
Royal Oak - Hoyt, Lawrence V. [1948]

Saginaw - Ball, William H. [1933] (**POW-KIA**)
Sandusky - Hoffman, Robert J. [1917] (**POW**)
South Haven - Smith, Edwin M. [1935] (**KIA**)
St. Joseph - Bartlett, William H. (2@) [1920]
Tecumseh - McNair, William S. [1890]
Temperance - Chrobak, Walter J. [1962]
Unionville - Ball, Blaine S. [1969]
Vanderbilt - Yuill, Charles W. (5@) [1917]
Vicksburg - Otis, Glenn K. [1953]
Warren - Asbury, Lloyd T. [1963]
Wyandotte - Hatch, Jay A. [1948]
Ypsilanti - Arvin, Carl R. (2@) [1965] (**KIA**)
Ypsilanti - Beauchamp, Charles E. [1930]
Zeeland - Vander Heide, Herbert J. (2@) [1929]

Minnesota

Johnson, Walter M. (4@) [1927]
 Woolnough, James B. (2@) [1904]
Bemidji - Feir, Philip R. [1949]
Center City - Holm, William N. [1940]
Crookston - Hovde, William J. [1943]
Duluth - Bartelme, Michael J. [1962]
Duluth - Loewus, James D. [1940]
Duluth - Walz, Charles (2@) [1949]
Fairbault - Walker, Fred L., Jr. [1936]
Litchfield - Foss, John W. (2@) [1956]
Litchfield - Lawrence, Thomas E. [1944]
Long Prairie - Eberle, John C. (2@) [1966]
Long Prairie - Tronsrue, George M., Jr. [1952]
Mankato - Fox, Milo P. [1912]
Mankato - Lenz, Robert J. [1967]
Mankato - O'Toole, George P., Jr. [1965] (**KIA**)
Minneapolis - Baehr, Carl A. [1909]
Minneapolis - Chalgren, Edward G. [1938]
Minneapolis - Curran, Thomas M. [1964]
Minneapolis - Kunzig, Henry B. (2@) [1930]
Minneapolis - Morgan, George H. (2@) [1880]
Minneapolis - Murphy, Kyran M., III [1945]
Minneapolis - Neilson, Alexander M. [1918]
Minneapolis - Norstad, Lauris [1930]
Minneapolis - Schmidt, Joseph J., Jr. [1942]
Minneapolis - Thurston, Benjamin E. [1926]
Ortonville - Grunstad, Norman L. [1964]
Owatonna - Theimer, John E. [1929]
Owatonna - Tincher, Maxwell A. [1937]
Sandstone - Tigges, Daniel L. [1969]
Sargent - Holbrook, Lucius R. (2@) [1896]

St. Cloud - Mahowald, Robert A. [1947]
St. Paul - Clarkin, Thomas R. [1935]
St. Paul - Dewey, Lawrence R. (2@) [1924]
St. Paul - Flynn, John R. [1944]
St. Paul - Fried, David E. [1959]
St. Paul - Lange, Otto F. [1916]
St. Paul - Russell, Dan C. [1937]
St. Paul - Schwartz, Thomas A. [1967]
St. Paul - Sturgis, Samuel D., Jr. (2@) [1918]
St. Peter - Brown, William C. [1877]
St. Peter - Johnson, Arthur [1886]
Stillwater - Alness, Harvey T. (2@) [1934]
Thief River Falls - Dahlen, Chester A. (2@) [1933]
Warren - Herrick, Curtis J. [1931]
Warren - Postlethwait, Edward M. [1937]
Wayzata - Guthrie, Richard P. [1963]
Windom - Warren, Robert B. (2@) [1934]

Mississippi

Metts, Albert C., Jr. [1943]
Ashland - Lewis, Eugene T. [1928] (**POW-KIA**)
Brookhaven - Bowen, Claude L., Jr. [1933]
Brookhaven - Cameron, Robert C. [1940]
Brooksville - Woodward, William R. [1916]
Canton - Wohner, John H. [1940]
Charleston - Hall, Charles P. (4@) [1911]
Chicora - Swift, Ira P. [1918]
Clarksdale - Klein, William E. (4@) [1954]
Columbia - Mitchell, William L. [1920]
Como - Hylander, Walter R., Jr. [1945]
Corinth - Cooper, Ralph C. [1929]
Greenville - Krutz, Robert D. [1956]
Greenville - Stone, David L. (2@) [1898]
Gulfport - Kennedy, Edwin L. (2@) [1950]
Hattiesburg - Berry, Sidney B. (4@) [1948]
Haverhill - Tebbetts, Harry H. [1896]
Holly Springs - Olson, John E. [1939] (**POW**)
Jackson - Barksdale, Rhesa H. [1966]
Jackson - Evans, Robert K. (2@) [1875]
Jackson - Stanley, James R. [1954]
Jackson - Waugh, Richard R. [1936]
Kosciusko - Halley, Fred N. (2@) [1960]
Kosciusko - Landrum, James E., Jr. [1936]
Laurel - Carley, John T. [1945]
Laurel - Schoonover, James F., Jr. [1964]
Louisville - Parks, William T. (2@) [1955]
Meridian - Granberry, Hal C. (2@) [1923] (**POW-MIA**)

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Meridian - Greene, James F., Jr. [1943]
Meridian - Murray, John T. [1917]
Mount Olive - Pickering, James A. [1916]
Oxford - Cook, Robert M. [1943]
Oxford - Dodson, John A. [1968]
Pettit - Eaton, Robert E. (2@) [1931]
Port Gibson - Watson, James W. [1880]
Rosedale - Wells, Rush S., Jr. [1940] (KIA)
Senatobia - Chase, Paul N. [1957]
Shaw - Litton, William P. (2@) [1940] (POW)
Starkville - Miley, John D. [1946]
Tchula - Buck, George T., Jr. [1942]
Tupelo - Daniel, Charles D. [1944]
Vicksburg - Mathews, Toney A. [1968]
Vicksburg - Roberts, Lea C. [1935]
Vicksburg - Scudder, Irvine C. [1918] (POW)
Waterproof - Mallory, Glynn C., Jr. [1961]
Woodville - Richardson, John B. [1904]

Missouri

Aurora - Oglesby, Charles E. [1940]
Bates City - Guion, James L. [1917]
Bolivar - Lanham, Charles T. (2@) [1924]
Booneville - Carter, Doniphan [1944]
Boonville - Bowen, Frank S., Jr. (4@) [1926]
Boonville - Smith, Aubrey D. (2@) [1930]
Carthage - Glassford, Pelham D. [1904]
Clarkesville - Coose, Alonzo, Jr. [1960]
Columbia - Hinton, John [1918]
Columbia - McDaniel, Robert L. [1945]
Columbus - Almquist, Peter W. [1944]
Fayette - Rogers, Dixon C. [1944]
Gallatin - Long, Homer S., Jr. (2@) [1949]
Green Ridge - Parker, John H. [1892]
Higginsville - Polla, Hector J. [1941] (POW-MIA)
Independence - Babb, Donald N. [1962]
Independence - Chiles, John H. (2@) [1936]
Independence - Jacoby, Ellsworth R. [1939]
Iron County - Hawkins, Jesse M., Jr. [1933] (KIA)
Joplin - Gavan, Paul A. [1928]
Kansas City - Buttolph, Dan D. [1962]
Kansas City - Callahan, Francis R. [1966]
Kansas City - Clarke, Edgar A. [1935]
Kansas City - Jordan, Larry R. [1968]
Kansas City - Kasper, William M. [1940]
Kansas City - Logan, Jack R. [1954]
Kansas City - Millett, George V., Jr. [1929] (POW)

Kansas City - Pendleton, Elmer D., Jr. (4@) [1951]
Kansas City - Porter, George W. [1943]
Kansas City - Reese, Mark L., Jr. [1954]
Kansas City - Richardson, Douglas J., Jr. [1965]
Kansas City - Silvey, William J. [1963]
Kansas City - Swinney, James R. [1968]
Kansas City - Throckmorton, John L. [1935]
Kansas City - Truman, Louis W. (2@) [1932]
Kansas City - Williams, Donald G. (2@) [1938]
Keytesville - Taylor, Maxwell D. (2@) [1922]
Kingston - Russel, Edgar (2@) [1887]
La Grange - Ellery, Frederick W. [1932]
Laclede - Pershing, John J. [1886]
Lebanon - Harris, Benjamin T. [1933]
Lexington - Hoge, William M. (2@) [1916]
Livingston - Johnston, William T. [1891]
Macon - Clarkson, Gordon M. [1938] (KIA)
Moberly - Bradley, Omar N. [1915]
New Haven - Grannemann, Rodney F. [1961]
Norborne - Moentmann, Dwain T. (2@) [1958]
Osceola - Baer, Robert J. [1947]
Palmyra - Jackson, William P. (2@) [1891]
Parkville - Heneman, Helmuth J. [1964]
Platte City - Couch, Joseph R. [1940]
Rogersville - Moseley, Eugene L. [1929] (KIA)
Rolla - Bolles, Frank C. [1896]
Salisbury - Phelps, Joseph V. [1919]
Sedalia - Triplet, William S. [1924]
Sheldon - Bartholomees, James B. [1942]
Sheridan - Carr, Eldon D. [1956]
Sikeston - Wilson, Jasper J. [1939]
Springfield - Hennessy, James T. [1940]
Springfield - Hunt, Ira A., Jr. (2@) [1945]
Springfield - Norvell, John W. [1940]
St. Joseph - Essman, Graydon C. [1933]
St. Joseph - Van Natta, Thomas F., Jr. [1903]
St. Louis - Berra, Charles [1942] (KIA)
ST. Louis - Ekman, William E. (2@) [1938]
St. Louis - Hall, Linscott A. [1937]
St. Louis - Harris, William W. [1930]
St. Louis - Hilgard, Carter D. [1935] (KIA)
St. Louis - O'Leary, Gerald D. [1965]
St. Louis - Reynolds, Stephen C. [1904]
St. Louis - Robinson, Roscoe, Jr. (2@) [1951]
St. Louis - Ross, Tenney K. [1948] (KIA)
St. Louis - Ruddy, Kenneth E. [1948]
St. Louis - Schless, William F. [1948]
St. Louis - Watson, Leroy H. (2@) [1915]

St. Louis - Whitley, Franklin L. [1908]
St. Louis - Wightman, Richard M. [1917]
Stanberry - Ross, Marion C. [1949]
Union - Mueller, Paul J. (2@) [1915]
Urbana - Slavens, Thomas H. (4@) [1887]
Urich - McDonald, William E. [1937]
Webster Grove - Heckemeyer, Benjamin W. (2@) [1935]
Weston - Craig, Louis A. [1913]

Montana

Anaconda - Murphy, Raymond P. [1942]
Anaconda - Nelson, Robert B. (2@) [1949]
Anaconda - Thomas, Robert J. [1953]
Billings - Birely, Everett M. [1910]
Billings - Nelson, Daniel J. [1945]
Bozeman - Dolighan, Thomas A. [1963]
Butte - Ashworth, Robert L. [1938]
Butte - Droubay, Juel G. [1966]
Butte - Penny, Palmer J. [1967]
Butte - Shanley, Thomas J. [1939]
Fort Benton - Curtis, Raymond W. [1927]
Helena - Amos, Arthur K. [1937]
Helena - Connor, Michael J. (2@) [1965]
Helena - Tibbetts, Frederick E., Jr. (2@) [1917]
Homestead - Olson, Hardin L., Sr. [1933]
Lewistown - Taber, Morris F. [1938] (KIA)
Livingston - Cofer, Floyd S., Jr. [1941]
Missoula - Armstrong, Charles H. [1961]
Missoula - Benedict, Calvert P. (3@) [1946]
Missoula - Cralle, Maury S., Jr. (2@) [1956]
Missoula - Hill, John G., Jr. [1946]
Missoula - McQuarrie, Claude M. (2@) [1920]
Missoula - Smith, Bradish J., II [1941]
Polson - Raymond, David R. [1989]
Redstone - Nathe, Michael L. [1967] (KIA)
Square Butte - Haggerty, Robert F. [1930] (POW-KIA)

Nebraska

Broken Bow - Mullins, Charles L., Jr. [1917]
Chadron - Townsend, James B., Jr. [1945]
Clay Center - Leitch, Joseph D. [1889]
Crawford - Adamson, James B. [1944]
De Witt - Scott, Ernest D. (2@) [1898]

Douglas - Barrett, John C., Jr. [1946]
Elgin - McBride, Horace L. (2@) [1916]
Falls City - Hillyard, Frederick J. [1962]
Falls City - Hillyard, Harry L. (3@) [1934]
Falls City - Oliver, Lunsford E. [1913]
Gering - Woods, Ralph N. [1929]
Grand Island - Jelinek, Howard C. [1952]
Holdredge - Cleland, Joseph P. [1925]
Hooper - Schwab, Virgil A. [1940] (MIA-KIA)
Kearney - Fitch, Alva R. [1930] (POW)
Lincoln - Bauman, William F. [1953]
Lincoln - Bishop, Glade M. (2@) [1965]
Lincoln - Hillyer, Robert A., Jr. [1964]
Minden - Monson, Nelson P. [1941] (POW)
Nebraska City - Richardson, James L., Jr. [1930]
Omaha - Bachman, William A. [1968]
Omaha - Gruenther, Richard L. (2@) [1946]
Omaha - Horan, Philip E., Jr. [1942] (KIA)
Omaha - Kotrc, James C. [1964] (KIA)
Omaha - Larkin, Richard X. [1952]
Omaha - McCaffrey, William J. (3@) [1939]
Osmond - Childs, George W. (2@) [1936]
Platte County - Schimmelpfennig, Irvin R. [1930] (KIA)
Plattsmouth - Davis, Corbin J. (2@) [1946]
Scottsbluff - Uglow, Homer H. [1937] (POW-KIA)
Valentine - Davenport, Robert J. [1943]
Verdigre - Schmidt, William R. [1913]
Wausau - Swing, Joseph M. (3@) [1915]

Nevada

Bardnerville - Shawe, Hamilton B., Jr. [1946] (POW)
Churchill County - Hall, Dick E. [1943] (KIA)
Las Vegas - Mildren, Frank T. (5@) [1939]
Reno - Bringham, Robert A. [1917]
Reno - Cavolick, Joseph D. [1966]
Reno - Fricke, Harlan F., II [1965]
Reno - Griswold, Oscar W. (2@) [1910]
Reno - Harris, Albert E. [1930]
Reno - Miller, Burton T., Jr. (2@) [1958]
Reno - Osborne, Stanley D. [1950] (KIA)
Reno - Palmer, Robert S. [1937] (POW)
Spring Valley - Kaufman, Harold J. [1964] (KIA)

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New Hampshire

Atkinson - Hutcheson, Rufus D. [1954]
Charlestown - Bixby, Ernest A. (3@) [1919]
Concord - Baerman, Vincent P. [1968]
Concord - Craigie, Laurence C. [1923]
Durham - Peterman, Sidney C. [1943]
Franklin - Clifford, Paul T. (3@) [1939]
Keene - Perkins, David G. [1980]
Londonderry - Young, Mason J. [1915]
Manchester - Clainos, Peter D. (3@) [1933]
Manchester - Jones, William C. [1939] (MIA-KIA)
Manchester - Laflamme, Ernest H. [1937]
Manchester - Lilley, Leonard W. [1945]
Meredith - Atteberry, Roy L., Jr. (2@) [1941]
Nashua - Fassett, William M. [1897]
New London - Colby, Nathaniel F. [1959]
Portsmouth - Goodrich, Walker R. (2@) [1932]
Portsmouth - Palastra, Joseph T., Jr. [1954]
Strafford - Little, Selby F., Jr. [1947]
Whitefield - Chabot, Joseph L. [1937] (POW)

New Jersey

VanDuyne, Frederick W. [1899]
Atco - Pitman, James H. [1940] (KIA)
Atlantic City - Mansfield, Clayton J. [1928] (KIA)
Atlantic City - Storck, Louis J. [1923] (KIA)
Audubon - Newell, Kevin P. [2000]
Bergenfield - Pirnie, Lyle E. [1968]
Berlin - Coutts, James W. [1932]
Bloomfield - Russo, Alan M. [1964]
Camden - Blaha, Elmer C. [1937]
Camden - Bosch, Edward J., Jr. [1943]
Chatham - McDonough, Joseph C. [1945]
Clifton - Toth, Alfred L. [1943]
Clifton - Toth, Jerry G. [1940] (MIA-KIA)
Clinton - Exton, Charles W. [1898]
Collingswood - Bruner, George E. [1919]
Cumberland - Dielens, August J., Jr. [1950]
Deal - Russell, Thomas A. (2@) [1963]
Dorchester - Crosson, William H., Jr. [1942]
Dover - Riley, Lowell M. [1917]
Dumont - Nawrosky, Michael R. [1964] (KIA)
East Orange - Cleveland, Charles G. [1949]
East Orange - Farrar, Benjamin R. [1919]
East Orange - Marinaro, Frank J. [1953]
East Orange - Stalnaker, George W. [1941]

East Rutherford - DeVries, Russell, Jr. [1962]
Englewood - Kiernan, Joseph M., Jr. (2@) [1948]
Fort Monmouth - Conrad, Michael J. (2@) [1956]
Fort Monmouth - O'Grady, George L., Jr. (3@) [1957]
Fort Monmouth - Scales, Robert H., Jr. [1966]
Franklin Lakes - Grete, Robert L. (2@) [1958]
Garfield - Maladowitz, Raymond [1950]
Glen Rock - Haldane, Robert (2@) [1947]
Glen Rock - Stanley, Paul D. [1963]
Hackensack - Wood, Robert M. [1943]
Haddonfield - Walton, Frank G. [1955]
Haddonfield - Webster, Warren, III (2@) [1950] (KIA)
Hamilton - Barry, Steven T. [1996]
Hawthorne - Murphy, William F. [1960]
Jamesburg - Davall, Harold C. [1934]
Jersey City - Cleary, Joseph A. [1934] (MIA-KIA)
Jersey City - Cole, George R. (3@) [1937]
Jersey City - DeLuca, Anthony P. (3@) [1953]
Jersey City - Doody, John J. [1948]
Kearney - Duttweiler, Oscar E., Jr. [1944]
Lambertville - Smith, Charles B. [1939]
Lawrenceville - Schwarzkopf, H. N. (3@) [1956]
Livingston - Hine, Henry C., Jr. [1920]
Madison - Jones, Robert C. (2@) [1965] (POW)
Medford Lakes - Ord, Robert L., III [1962]
Mountain Lakes - Castle, Frederick W. [1930] (KIA)
New Brunswick - Ivan, Gabriel A. [1943]
New Lisbon - Jones, Perry T. [1941] (KIA)
Newark - Barrett, Charles J. [1922]
Newark - DeGavre, Chester B. [1933]
Newark - Larter, Harry C., Jr. [1925]
Newark - Nuttman, Louis M. (4@) [1895]
Newark - Parker, Cortlandt [1906]
Newark - Parker, James (3@) [1876]
Nutley - Kelly, John E. [1936]
Ocean Grove - Morris, William H., Jr. [1911]
Ocean Grove - Ridsen, Richard A. (2@) [1933]
Orange - Dugan, Augustine D. [1924]
Orange - Tully, Joseph M. (2@) [1916]
Packanack Lake - Kilroy, Michael W. [1963] (KIA)
Parsippany - Hock, Frank M., Jr. [1966]
Passaic - Asensio, Manuel J., Jr. [1952]
Paterson - Hennig, William H. [1928]
Perth Amboy - Stann, Leon [1942]
Plainfield - Barbour, Samuel L., Jr. (2@) [1938]
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Plainfield - Giddings, Joseph A., Jr. [1949] (KIA)
Plainfield - Pearsall, James F., Jr. (2@) [1937]

Princeton - Scott, Hugh L. (2@) [1876]
Red Bank - Mathiasen, Alfred, Jr. [1953]
Red Bank - Van Vliet, John H., Jr. [1937] (POW)
Red Bank - Weyand, Alexander M. [1916]
Ridgefield - Gulakowski, Denis E. [1969]
Ridgewood - Travis, William B. [1937]
South Orange - Casserly, Thomas F., III [1950]
South River - Roller, Barry J. [1964]
Trenton - Bluemel, Clifford [1909] (POW)
Trenton - Howard, Carrol J. [1967]
Trenton - McGowan, Robert S. (3@) [1952]
West Orange - Kern, Paul J. [1967]
Yardville - Yates, Jules D. [1940] (POW)

New Mexico

Alamogordo - Lau, Hartmut H. [1967]
Albuquerque - Gerrity, John L. [1947]
Albuquerque - Hanawald, Len M. (2@) [1957] (KIA)
Albuquerque - Lindell, Keith G. [1943]
Albuquerque - Snelling, Walter H. [1944]
Chama - Hall, Thomas B. [1933] (MIA-KIA)
La Union - Reinburg, William H. (2@) [1917]
Las Cruces - Roach, Paul A., Jr. [1950] (POW)
Las Vegas - Looney, Jack R. [1939]
Las Vegas - Sundt, Harald S. (2@) [1932]
Lovington - Harris, Phillip G. [1970]
Roswell - Collier, John H. (3@) [1919]
Roswell - Crosby, Stanley W., Jr. [1947] (KIA)
Roswell - Duryea, Lyman C., Jr. [1960]
Roswell - Murray, William S. [1918]
Santa Fe - Prince, William R. [1936]
State College - Evans, James B. [1929]

New York

Bienlich, William A. (2@) [1965]
 Chandler, William E. [1931] (POW)
 Falck, William D. [1943]
Adams - Clarke, Bruce C. (3@) [1925]
Akron - Nolan, Dennis E. (2@) [1896]
Albany - DeFrancisco, Joseph E. [1965]
Albany - Dugan, Michael J. [1958]
Albany - Farrell, Thomas F., Jr. [1942] (KIA)
Alexander - Judd, Donald R. [1966] (KIA)
Angola - Babbitt, Richard R. [1973]
Annadale - Zambarda, Mark A. [2007]

Astoria - Fredericks, Charles G. [1939]
Attica - Bateman, Robert P. [1957]
Auburn - Lawton, Louis B. (2@) [1893]
Auburn - Sweeting, Harry W. (2@) [1933] (POW)
Baldwin - Harper, Richard W. [1965] (KIA)
Bath - Rising, Harry N., Jr. (2@) [1941]
Bath - Webster, Thomas J. [1939] (KIA)
Binghamton - McIntyre, George W. [1941]
Binghamton - Miner, Russell M. (2@) [1935]
Bolton - McElroy, Edward R. (2@) [1945] (KIA)
Boonville - Merrill, John W. [1934] (KIA)
Briarcliff - Shine, Alexander P. [1963]
Brockport - Hazen, John L., Jr. [1944] (KIA)
Bronx - Forrester, John [1959]
Bronx - Kelley, Gerard W. [1925]
Bronxville - Warner, James M. [1967]
Brooklyn - Arnold, Archibald V. [1912]
Brooklyn - Boylan, Vincent L. (2@) [1939]
Brooklyn - Carlone, Robert A. [1952]
Brooklyn - Conrad, Robert G. [1945]
Brooklyn - Corley, John T. (8@) [1938]
Brooklyn - Davis, Donald F. (2@) [1953]
Brooklyn - Grace, Henry A. [1944]
Brooklyn - Griffiths, William R. [1961]
Brooklyn - Gurfein, Joseph I. (2@) [1941]
Brooklyn - Jacobellis, Benedict R. [1948]
Brooklyn - Joseph, Edwin M. [1946]
Brooklyn - Kent, Richard S. (2@) [1962]
Brooklyn - Langdon, Russell C. [1896]
Brooklyn - Lehrfeld, Irving (2@) [1931]
Brooklyn - Lenti, John M. [1960]
Brooklyn - Lichtenberg, Alan A. [1951]
Brooklyn - Manzo, Salvatore E. [1939]
Brooklyn - McCarty, Charles F. [1946]
Brooklyn - McQuade, Bernard W. [1932] (KIA)
Brooklyn - Meyer, Henry J. (4@) [1919]
Brooklyn - Mullen, William J., Jr. [1934]
Brooklyn - O'Connor, Richard E. [1926] (KIA)
Brooklyn - O'Donnell, Emmett, Jr. [1928]
Brooklyn - Paone, Joseph F. [1961]
Brooklyn - Quann, Brendan T. [1964]
Brooklyn - Rosen, Milton L. [1935]
Brooklyn - Rosen, Norman R. [1947]
Brooklyn - Rosen, Robert H. [1941] (KIA)
Brooklyn - Salamone, Luciano C. [1956]
Brooklyn - Scharpf, Francis R. [1962]
Brooklyn - Williamson, John (2@) [1935]
Brooklyn - Zecher, Sidney [1943]

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Buffalo - Cutrona, Joseph F. [1944]
Buffalo - Gillman, Wesley G. [1984]
Buffalo - Kean, William B. [1919]
Buffalo - Keuker, Christopher H. [1962]
Buffalo - Koehler, Elmer J. [1935] (KIA)
Buffalo - Mattina, John C. (2@) [1942]
Buffalo - Nichols, Harwood S., III [1964]
Buffalo - Peplinski, William J. [1968]
Buffalo - Russell, W A., Jr. [1964]
Buffalo - Schuh, Charles A. [1955]
Buffalo - Tobin, Richard E. [1949]
Buffalo - Wilmore, Duncan [1960]
Buffalo - Wohlfeil, Carl H. [1939]
Buffalo - Yale, Wesley W. (2@) [1922]
Callicoon - Bock, Frank L. [1928]
Candor - Pumpelly, James W. [1931]
Cedarhurst, Long Island - Treacy, Edgar J., Jr. (2@) [1935] (POW-MIA)
Clarence - Byers, Andrew D. [2008] (KIA)
Clymer - Wallace, Neil M. [1933]
Cooperstown - Necrason, Conrad F. [1936]
Cornwall - Wilson, John N. [1935] (KIA)
Cornwall-on-Hudson - Weyand, Alexander M. [1951]
Dansville - Henry, Guy V., Jr. [1898]
DeWitt - Bryan, James E. (2@) [1965]
Dundee - Malony, Harry J. [1912]
Dunkirk - Klocko, Richard P. [1937] (POW)
Eastview - Hartline, Franklin H. [1938]
Ellensville - Rippert, Jacob K. (3@) [1939]
Elmira - Byrne, John D. [1939]
Elmira - Kress, John A. [1862]
Elmira Heights - Dwyer, Gerald T. (2@) [1957]
Fayetteville - McGurk, Robert S. [1962]
Fort Hamilton - Dannemiller, Edward M. [1939]
Fort Slocum - Birmingham, Richard C. [1916]
Fort Slocum - Partridge, Earle E. [1924]
Fort Totten - Murray, Maxwell [1907]
Frankfort -Grates, Frederick R. [1965]
Franklin Square - Jones, David S. [1968]
Garden City - Mastaglio, Edward F. [1950]
Garden City - McInerney, Richard N. [1960] (KIA)
Garden City - Wayne, Robert E. (3@) [1946]
Garrison - Benjamin, Julian A. [1900]
Geneva - Wuertenberger, Charles E. [1965] (KIA)
Glendale - Sussmann, William A. [1938]
Governor's Island - Black, Percy G. [1917]
Governor's Island - Mallory, John S. [1917]
Great Neck - Weisel, Stephen L. [1964]

Hempstead - Maglin, Richard R. [1959]
Hempstead - Nardotti, Michael J., Jr. [1969]
Hempstead - Wasiak, Joseph E. [1952]
Highland Falls - Goodenough, Fred W. [1958]
Highland Falls - Hottell, John A., III (2@) [1964] (KIA)
Highland Falls - McBride, Robert B., Jr. [1916]
Hudson - Seymour, Roger G. [1960]
Huntington - Crane, Albert E. [1912]
Huntington - Dencker, Peter A. [1969]
Ilion - Haponski, William C. [1956]
Ithaca - Bonham, James B. [1940]
Ithaca - Farnsworth, Thomas H. [1943]
Ithaca - Hammond, Lyman H., Jr. [1950]
Jackson Heights - Dwyer, Philip R. (2@) [1923]
Jamestown - Hauck, Kenneth W. (2@) [1968]
Johnsburg - Yankoupe, Roger F. [1964]
Johnson City - Klimow, Matthew S. [1974]
Kingston - Anderson, Frederick L., Jr. [1928]
Kingston - Eltinge, LeRoy [1896]
Kingston - Hasbrouck, Robert W. [1917]
Landonville - Fullerton, Avery S. [1949]
Lockport - Nelson, Dale R. [1968]
Long Island - Surkamp, Arthur T. [1943]
Malone - Johnson, Victor L., Jr. [1939]
Manlius - Verbeck, William J. (3@) [1927]
Mount Kisco - Straub, William J. [1964]
Mt. Vernon - Lichirie, Cornelius A. (2@) [1931]
New Hyde Park, Long Island - Phillips, Richard W., Jr. [1953]
New Rochelle - Combs, Richard M. [1943] (KIA)
New Rochelle - Mendenhall, John R. [1915] (KIA)
New Rochelle - Ovenshine, Richard P. [1919]
New Rochelle - Yacone, James F. [1987]
New York - Babcock, Conrad S. (3@) [1898]
New York - Barney, James P., Jr. (2@) [1920]
New York - Barnum, Malvern H. [1886]
New York - Barry, Thomas H. [1877]
New York - Beach, William D. (2@) [1879]
New York - Cardile, Frank (2@) [1963]
New York - Clements, Robert M. [1963]
New York - Crystal, Thomas L. [1934]
New York - Cummings, Kenneth T. [1968]
New York - Cutolo, Edward P. [1954]
New York - Daly, Paul G. (2@) [1916]
New York - Davidson, Garrison H. [1927]
New York - Dayton, Thomas E. [1957]
New York - Gent, Thomas J., Jr. [1935]
New York - Gibb, Frederick W. [1933]

- New York** - Harmon, James D., Jr. [1965]
New York - Haskell, Joseph F. [1930]
New York - Hughes, John H. [1897]
New York - Lippemeier, George H. [1963]
New York - Lynch, George E. (2@) [1929]
New York - Lynch, John M. (4@) [1936]
New York - Matejov, Stephen A. [1946]
New York - Nazzaro, Joseph J. [1936]
New York - Pachler, Francis T. [1931]
New York - Phelan, John J. (3@) [1936] (KIA)
New York - Raff, Edson D. (2@) [1933]
New York - Roby, Edward F. [1964]
New York - Rogers, Robert J. [1939]
New York - Ryan, John E. [1949]
New York - Serio, Robert F., Jr. [1964] (KIA)
New York - Snyder, Howard M., Jr. [1936]
New York - Sterbenz, Henry W., Jr. [1965]
New York - Swanton, Donovan (4@) [1917] (POW)
New York - Taylor, Ewing M. (4@) [1917]
New York - Walsh, Louis A., Jr. [1934]
New York - Whitman, Walter M. [1891]
New York - Yeager, Frederick J. [1940] (POW)
Newburgh - Bryde, Walter J., Jr. [1962]
Newburgh - Carvey, James B. [1939]
Newburgh - Sloane, Charles C., Jr. (3@) [1926]
Newburgh - Speiser, Robin G. [1933]
Newburgh - Welsh, William J., Jr. [1943]
North Tonawanda - Fales, Clarke K. [1917]
Ogdensburg - Milia, Carmelo P. [1950]
Olean - Lundberg, George B. (2@) [1943]
Oneida - Hunter, Charles N. [1929]
Onondaga County - Davis, Lawton [1943] (KIA)
Ossining - Yerks, Robert G. (2@) [1951]
Pelham - Pickhardt, Paul A. [1924]
Pelham Bay - Koehler, John J., Jr. [1950]
Pelham Manor - Connor, John P. (2@) [1937]
Pelham Manor - O'Reilly, John D. [1933]
Plattsburg - Nolan, Daniel A., Jr. [1939]
Plattsburg - Truesdell, Karl, Jr. [1933]
Plattsburgh - Bartholf, John C. [1946]
Poughkeepsie - Hadsell, George A., Jr. [1924] (KIA)
Queens - Christensen, Frank P. [1950] (KIA)
Queens - Greeley, Horace J. [1937] (POW-KIA)
Queens - Ono, Tadahiko (2@) [1965]
Randolph - Dunwoody, Harold H. [1943]
Roanoke - Zimmerman, William M. [1942]
Rochester - Broughton, Jacksel M. (2@) [1945]
Rochester - Crombez, Marcel G. [1925]
Rochester - Hardick, William L. [1931]
Rochester - Hedley, John C. [1968]
Rochester - Marccone, Ernest P. [1986]
Rochester - Marlin, Raymond B. [1939]
Rochester - Poirier, John T. [1955]
Rochester - Schoeffel, Francis H. [1891]
Rochester - Simpson, Frederick J. [1930] (KIA)
Rochester - Smalley, Howard N. [1937]
Rochester - Whitehouse, Thomas B. [1939]
Rome - Schelter, Louis J., Jr. (3@) [1945]
Saugerties - Clough, Casper, Jr. (2@) [1939]
Scarsdale - Darrow, John H. [1964]
Scarsdale - Gott, Rodney C. [1933]
Schenectady - England, George W., Jr. (2@) [1940]
Schenectady - Lamberton, William H. [1924]
Schenectady - Peale, James N., Jr. [1937]
Schenectady - Scholtz, James H. [1949]
Schenectady - Sollohub, Julian V. [1937]
Schoharie - Morrison, John F. [1881]
Scipio - Chamberlain, Smith B. (2@) [1945]
Seneca Falls - Andrews, Lincoln C. (2@) [1893]
Seneca Falls - MacDonald, Stuart C. [1915] (POW)
Somers - Wickham, John A. (2@) [1950]
Syracuse - Knapp, Robert E. (2@) [1967]
Syracuse - Maihafer, Harry J. [1949]
Syracuse - Marshall, Robert C. [1943]
Syracuse - Tank, Charles F. [1934]
Troy - Carleton, Ardenne S. [1968]
Troy - Wilcox, William H. [1955]
Ulster - Messinger, Edwin J. (2@) [1931]
Utica - Colacicco, Frank (2@) [1940]
Utica - Schremp, Frederick R. [1967]
Waddington - Rutherford, Ray C. [1916]
Watertown - Peploe, George B. (3@) [1925]
Webster - Senecal, Jan L. (2@) [1963]
West Point - Beasley, Benjamin B. [1957]
West Point - Faust, Edmond L., III [1966]
West Point - Harvey, Thomas H., Jr. [1958]
West Point - Lucas, Andre C. (2@) [1954] (KIA)
West Point - Malone, Paul B. (2@) [1894]
West Point - Simonet, Kenneth A. (2@) [1952] (POW)
West Point - Timberlake, Edward J. [1931]
White Plains - Orth, Eugene C., Jr. [1935]
White Plains - Williamson, Raymond E. [1917]
Woodhaven - Freudendorf, Chester M. [1940]
Woodside - Denno, Bryce F. (2@) [1940]
Yonkers - DeBrocke, William P. [1943]
Yonkers - Dziuban, Thaddeus F. [1942] (KIA)

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Yonkers - Malpass, John R. [1965]
Yonkers - Trapnell, Thomas J. (2@) [1927] (POW)

North Carolina

Albemarle - Lowder, Henry I. (3@) [1952]
Asheville - Luckett, James S. (2@) [1930]
Asheville - Memminger, Charles G. [1946]
Asheville - Tilson, George P. [1950]
Biltmore Forest - Lang, Cornelis D. [1935]
Chapel Hill - Creighton, Neal [1953]
Chapel Hill - Dowling, Dean E. [1963]
Chapel Hill - Moore, Reginald G., Jr. [1967]
Chapel Hill - Royall, Henry E. [1930]
Charlotte - Diller, Richard W. (2@) [1954]
Charlotte - McAfee, James B. [1940]
Charlotte - Wyche, Ira T. [1911]
Concord - Batte, James H. [1939]
Deep Run - Howard, Malcolm J. [1962]
Eastover - Brinker, Walter E., Jr. [1966]
Farmville - Turnage, Benjamin O., Jr. [1936]
Fayetteville - Lilly, Edmund J., III [1950] (MIA-KIA)
Fayetteville - Lutterloh, Samuel A. [1951] (POW-KIA)
Fayetteville - Pickett, George E., IV [1944]
Fayetteville - Ryneska, John J. [1968]
Fort Bragg - Cato, Richard W. [1960]
Fort Bragg - Kirk, Howard C., III [1966]
Fort Bragg - Westpheling, Charles T. [1961]
Franklin - Sloan, George B. [1937]
Fremont - Corbin, Thomas G. [1941]
Gastonia - Garland, Peter W., Jr. [1936]
Gastonia - McConnell, Edward T. (2@) [1939]
Goldsboro - Crow, James E. (4@) [1952]
Goldsboro - Griffin, Thomas N. (2@) [1929]
Goldsboro - Weathers, James W., Jr. [1944]
Greensboro - Anderson, Samuel E. [1928]
Greensboro - McIver, George W. [1882]
Greensboro - Osteen, John L., Jr. [1948]
Greensboro - Solomon, Maddrey A. [1933]
Greenville - Wade, David C., III [1964]
Henderson - Norton, Michael [1967]
Hertford - Crawford, William R. [1937] (KIA)
High Point - Lewis, William W., Jr. [1946]
Jacksonville - Andrews, Michael A. [1967]
Kannapolis - Bradford, Zeb B., Jr. (2@) [1956]
Lexington - Sink, Robert F. (3@) [1927]
Little River Academy - Williams, Alexander E. [1898]
Nashville - Griffin, Marcus S. [1935]

Newton - McCorkle, Charles M. [1936]
Newton - Muiznieks, Nikolajs R. [1961]
Norwood - Barnhardt, George C. [1892]
Oxford - Fuller, Elbert E., Jr. [1953]
Pinehurst - Timothy, James S. (2@) [1942]
Raleigh - Bode, John T. [1962]
Raleigh - Denson, Pierre B. [1925]
Raleigh - Fitts, William T., III [1950]
Raleigh - Ligon, Peyton F., III [1966]
Raleigh - Moran, Otis A. [1952]
Raleigh - Tolson, John J., III [1937]
Raleigh - White, Alpheus W., Jr. [1941]
Rocky Mount - Leggett, William T., Jr. (5@) [1952]
Salisbury - Crawford, Thomas M. [1939]
Salisbury - Mowery, Hartman B. (2@) [1960]
Sanford - Williams, Warren R., Jr. [1938]
Scotts Hill - Lee, James M. [1950]
Selma - Candler, Harry W. [1931]
Smithfield - Broadhurst, Edwin B. [1937]
Statesville - Cowles, Miles A. [1917]
Tarboro - Murdoch, Francis J., Jr. (2@) [1935]
Washington - Marslender, William H. [1949]
Whiteville - Lamb, Robert J. [1946]
Wilmington - Hackler, James F., Jr. [1943]
Zebulon - Bailey, Kincheon H., Jr. [1945]

North Dakota

Genetti, Thomas R. [1965]
Bismarck - Albrecht, Warren H., Jr. [1966]
Devils Lake - Rogers, Thomas D. [1934]
Devil's Lake - McHugh, Harry D. [1924]
Dunseith - Hosmer, William J. [1953]
Fargo - Moore, Roy E. [1932]
Fargo - Morrow, Jared W. [1945] (KIA)
Fargo - Murphy, John R. [1942]
Fort Totten - Waterman, John J. [1910]
Glenwood - Chatfield, Keith G. [1942] (KIA)
Grand Forks - Myerchin, Thomas S. [1961]
Jamestown - Loughheed, Melvill J. [1950]
Lawton - Negaard, Carman D. [1957]
Minot - McGee, George A., Jr. [1937]
Minot - McGee, John H. [1931] (POW)
Munich - Lindseth, Alfred A., Jr. [1966]
Pembina - Conmy, Joseph B., Jr. (3@) [1943]
Richardton - Schmidt, Charles L. [1963]
Richland - Haugen, Orin D. [1930] (KIA)
Wahpeton - Hinds, Sidney R. (4@) [1920]

Williston - Stannard, John E. (3@) [1946]

Ohio

Ashland - Hughes, Oliver W. (2@) [1922]
Barberton - Stumpf, Robert H. [1937]
Bellefontaine - Kiefer, Homer W. [1920]
Blackwell - McMullen, Philip C. [1949]
Bowling Green - Wilson, James W. (2@) [1939]
Byersville - Romig, Eugene A. [1939]
Cadiz - McKillop, John H. (2@) [1958]
Canton - Bartel, Thomas B. [1939]
Canton - Starry, Donn A. [1948]
Chillicothe - Ware, Thomas A. [1948]
Cincinnati - Applegate, Robert E. [1940]
Cincinnati - Flanagan, Luis J. [1942]
Cincinnati - Hines, John L., Jr. [1927]
Cincinnati - Hutcheson, Grote (3@) [1884]
Cincinnati - Konermann, Leo L. [1965]
Cincinnati - Liebel, Willard K. [1924]
Cincinnati - McGraw, Donald C. [1948]
Cincinnati - Schorr, David P., Jr. [1932]
Cleveland - Davis, Benjamin O., Jr. [1936]
Cleveland - Edwards, Clarence R. (3@) [1883]
Cleveland - Gerda, Joseph J. [1954]
Cleveland - Hanson, Jack R. [1950]
Cleveland - Johnson, Carter B. [1940] (KIA)
Cleveland - Karoly, Frank J. [1963]
Cleveland - Krause, Donald W. [1947]
Cleveland - Lehr, Philip H. [1939] (POW-KIA)
Cleveland - Root, Paul C., Jr. [1941]
Cleveland - Steinbeck, Paul W. [1929]
Cleveland - Virant, Leo B., II (2@) [1963]
Cleveland - White, John W. [1938]
Cleveland Heights - Landgraf, John B. [1967]
Columbiana - McFerren, Carl D. [1939]
Columbus - Byers, Clovis E. (2@) [1920]
Columbus - Erlenbusch, Robert C. [1938]
Columbus - Kreber, Leo M. [1918]
Columbus - O'Brien, Robert E., Jr. [1936]
Columbus - Odell, Fenton M. [1949] (KIA)
Columbus - Ports, Robert A. [1930]
Columbus - Wilson, Franklin L. [1951]
Coshocton - Bailey, Edward A. [1938]
Crooksville - Burley, Wilson L., Jr. [1935] (KIA)
Cuyahoga Falls - Mierau, Michael D. [1960]
Dayton - Baisley, William D. [1946]
Dayton - Irons, James V. [1950]

Dayton - Mackmull, Jack V. [1950]
Dayton - Schellman, Robert H. [1939]
Delaware - Rhodes, Charles D. [1899]
Eaton - Hochwalt, Earl B. (2@) [1912]
Fort Hayes - Hunt, Richard J. [1932]
Franklin - Harding, Edwin F. [1909]
Franklin - Harding, Edwin F., Jr. [1941]
Fremont - Weaver, James R. [1911] (POW)
Gallipolis - Burke, Alvin L. [1938]
Gallipolis - Bush, George E., Jr. [1929]
Gnadenhutten - Gutensohn, Alvin G. [1907]
Hamilton - Graham, James W. [1941]
Hillsboro - Pickering, James N. [1896]
Ironton - Enochs, Berkeley [1898]
Jefferson County - Bennett, John H. [1925] (POW-KIA)
Lakewood - Scholtz, John C., Jr. [1949]
Lancaster - Lytle, Charles E. [1959]
Lebanon - Wood, Harry T. [1917]
Letart Falls - Caldwell, William B., III (3@) [1948]
Lima - Davis, Kermit L. [1934]
Lima - Peck, Walter R. [1918]
Mansfield - Bacon, Robert L. (2@) [1917]
Mansfield - Izenour, Frank M. [1938]
Mansfield - Murphy, Truman O. [1891]
Marion - Jacoby, Leslie E. [1919]
Martins Ferry - Kerr, James T. (2@) [1881]
Massillon - Blocher, Robert M. [1956]
Maumee - Miller, Daniel B. [1984]
Minersville - Morgan, John M. [1893]
Mt. Healthy - Seigle, John W. [1953]
New Lexington - Anderson, James L. [1956]
Newark - Woodbridge, John P. [1926] (POW-MIA)
Niles - Chandler, Rex E. [1923]
North Lewisburg - Chamberlain, Thomas C. (3@) [1940]
Norwalk - Wildman, Winthrop W. [1945]
Painesville - Wyman, Charles L. [1907]
Parma - Jezior, Anthony M. [1956]
Pepper Pike - Elton, Robert M. [1954]
Polk - Reinhart, Stanley E. [1916]
Scioto - Quinn, Roger A. [1959] (KIA)
Springfield - Lockett, James W. [1928] (POW)
Steubenville - Starr, Edward M. [1919]
Toledo - Baird, James T. [1968]
Toledo - Elson, Peter M. (2@) [1964]
Toledo - Leonard, John W. [1915]
Toledo - Linnell, Frank H. (2@) [1941]

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Toledo - Samsey, Philip B. [1950]
Toledo - Seger, Robert E. [1966]
Toledo - Skeldon, James H. [1937]
Urbana - Eichelberger, Robert L. (3@) [1909]
Willowick - Barrell, Donald H. [1960]
Wilmington - Metzger, John H. [1949]
Xenia - Montgomery, Kenneth H. [1958]
Xenia - Snyder, William P. [1952]
Zanesville - Kappes, George [1938] (POW-KIA)

Oklahoma

Coburn, Melville B. [1935]
Hopkins, Edward O. [1919]
Maertens, Thomas B. [1945]
Shore, Christian M. [1964]
Ada - Barton, Raymond O. [1912]
Ada - Hatfield, Mills C. [1941]
Ada - Moore, Dennis M. [1924] (POW)
Ardmore - Adams, Robert H. [1934]
Durant - Smith, Foster L. [1944]
Fort Sill - Speedy, John C., III (2@) [1964]
Fort Sill - Wood, Piers M. [1966]
Gotebo - Boake, Corwin, Jr. [1946]
Hobart - Styron, James C. [1918]
Hollis - Barry, Raymond N. [1950]
Kiefer - McCarrell, Raymond J. [1945] (KIA)
Lawton - Bullock, Victor T. (2@) [1956]
Lawton - Coverdale, Craig G. [1953]
Lindsay - Miller, Richard A. [1953]
McAlester - Burba, Edwin H., Jr. [1959]
McAlester - Davis, Bennie L. [1950]
Medford - Ridings, Eugene W. (2@) [1923]
Muscogee - Davidson, Phillip B., Jr. [1939]
Muskogee - Anthis, Louis L. [1948] (KIA)
Norman - Caruthers, Lawrence H., Jr. [1942]
Norman - Hackett, Wallace J. [1940]
Oklahoma City - Bird, John F. [1925]
Oklahoma City - Donovan, James C. [1950]
Oklahoma City - Jaggars, Joseph N., Jr. (2@) [1952]
Oklahoma City - Price, John S. [1964]
Oklahoma City - Robertson, Walter M. [1912]
Oklahoma City - Rogers, Guy A. [1946]
Oklahoma City - Short, Walter D. [1942]
Oklahoma City - Stone, Howard F. [1955]
Okmulgee - Moroney, William J. [1919]
Reydon - McColgin, Sterling W. [1967]
Sallisaw - Dodson, Aubrey K. [1930]

Shattuck - Vallaster, John J., Jr. [1945]
Stillwater - Carpenter, John W., III (3@) [1939]
Tulsa - Burris, James C. (3@) [1954]
Tulsa - Elegar, Augustus G. [1931]
Tulsa - McBride, Robert D. [1950]
Tulsa - Price, Walter E. [1950]

Oregon

Arlington - Berry, Edward S. [1930]
Baker - McCray, James O. [1939] (KIA)
Corvallis - King, Riley S. [1941]
Eugene - Heldman, James R. [1962]
Florence - Hatch, Kenneth M. [1947]
Hermiston - Beach, Karl L. (3@) [1963]
Hermiston - Johnson, Chester L. [1937] (POW)
Marion County - Crary, William B. [1945] (KIA)
McCoy - Davis, Milton F. [1890]
McCoy - Finn, John M. (3@) [1938]
Portland - Biddle, William S. [1923]
Portland - Christiansen, James G. [1918]
Portland - Cohn, Douglas A. (2@) [1968]
Portland - Davis, William R. [1953]
Portland - Grogan, Timothy J. [1963]
Portland - Johnson, Ronald D. [1909]
Portland - Kaiser, James L. [1941]
Portland - Lahti, Edward H. (2@) [1938]
Portland - Lee, John C., Jr. (2@) [1941]
Portland - Luper, James R. [1938] (POW)
Portland - Mergens, George C. [1923]
Portland - Robbins, John R., II [1963]
Portland - Schroeder, Henry J. [1917]
Portland - Sears, Robert [1909]
Portland - Sheehy, John W. [1919] (KIA)
Portland - Weber, Edward E. [1934] (KIA)
Roseburg - Oerding, James B. [1960]
Salem - Brand, Matthew L. [1983]
Salem - Fiske, Harold B. [1897]
Salem - Gentzkow, Douglas K. [1965]
The Dalles - Hamilton, Edward S. [1939]

Pennsylvania

Adams, Lewis M. [1903]
Csoka, Louis S. [1965]
Dunn, Jonathan S. [1996]
Ferguson, Henry T. [1890]

- Porter, Harry C. [1932]
 Riley, Ronald J. (2@) [1965]
 Sickel, Horatio G. [1876]
 Wheeler, Patrick W. (2@) [1943] **(KIA)**
Aliquippa - Alger, John I. [1965]
Aliquippa - Dickson, Harry R. [1963]
Allentown - Broderick, Charles R., Jr. [1968]
Allentown - Curtis, Charles H. [1945]
Allentown - Fischl, Frank R., Jr. [1951]
Allentown - Peter, Howard L. [1940] **(MIA-KIA)**
Allentown - Prescott, Daniel C. [1945]
Altoona - Mann, William A. [1875]
Altoona - McDowell, John M. (3@) [1909]
Ambler - Hackett, Horatio B., Jr. [1904]
Ambler - Miller, George L. [1946] **(KIA)**
Antis Township - Probst, Francis J., Jr. [1965]
Ardmore - Haig, Alexander M., Jr. (2@) [1947]
Bear Creek - Seneff, George P., Jr. [1941]
Bethlehem - Farris, Stephen C. [1939] **(POW)**
Bethlehem - Pheiff, Robert F. (2@) [1955]
Bradford - Upthegrove, Fay R. [1927]
Brownsville - Patrick, Francis H. [1938]
Burgettstown - Robert, Emile A., Jr. [1963]
Butler - Scott, Richard P. [1941]
Butler - Ufner, John [1950]
Carbondale - Cagwin, Leland G. [1940]
Carbondale - Walsh, James H. [1935]
Carlisle - Eckert, Richard E. [1963]
Carlisle - Lothrop, Robert B. [1930] **(POW-KIA)**
Chambersburg - Bricker, Edwin D. (2@) [1898]
Chambersburg - Frey, Robert M. [1965]
Chambersburg - Kastner, Alfred E. [1922]
Clarion - Farnsworth, Charles S. [1887]
Claysville - Ely, William J. [1933]
Coatesville - Gibney, Jesse L. [1918]
Connellsville - Schenck, Harry W. [1933] **(POW-KIA)**
Coraopolis - Murray, Charles R. [1932]
Doylestown - Horner, Charles T., Jr. (2@) [1939]
Drexel Hill - Greene, Lawrence V. [1941]
Drexel Hill - Greene, Michael J. [1941]
Drexel Hill - Greene, Thomas P. [1950] **(KIA)**
Dunmore - Mellnik, Stephen M. [1932] **(POW)**
Easton - March, Francis A. [1918]
Easton - March, Peyton C. (5@) [1888]
Erie - Austin, Emory A., Jr. [1941] **(KIA)**
Erie - Brown, Burton R. (2@) [1938] **(POW)**
Erie - Stablein, Milford F. [1940] **(KIA)**
Fallingston - Smith, Leo A. [1917]
Farrell - Mastoris, William, Jr. [1950]
Franklin - Kistler, Bernard F. [1965] **(KIA)**
Germantown - Sutherland, Edwin V. [1936]
Greensburg - Zundel, Edwin A. [1915]
Greenville - Isacco, Michael D. [1959]
Greenville - Johnson, Max S. [1927]
Halifax - Gilbert, Harold N., Jr. [1943]
Hanover - Welsh, William E. [1894]
Harrisburg - Faley, Thomas E., Jr. [1962]
Harrisburg - Revie, Charles R. [1934]
Havertown - Haise, James R. [1961]
Hempfield - Kopcsak, Peter J. [1934]
Hollidaysburg - Bromley, Charles V., Jr. [1923]
Honesdale - Lemnitzer, Lyman L. [1920]
Honesdale - Tallman, Richard J. [1949]
Hughesville - Russell, Robert L. [1955]
Johnsonburg - Condina, Ernest F. [1952]
Johnstown - Baumer, Donald H. [1940]
Johnstown - Cramer, Harry G. [1946]
Johnstown - Dunmyer, William J. [1937] **(POW-KIA)**
Johnstown - Johnson, Wilhelm P. [1928]
Johnstown - Spengler, Daniel S. [1932] **(KIA)**
Kittanning - Sutherland, Edwin M. [1919]
Lancaster - Davis, Robert C. (2@) [1898]
Lancaster - McComsey, Robert M. [1940]
Lancaster - Michaelis, John H. (2@) [1936]
Leighton - David, Bert A. [1946]
Lewisburg - Johnson, Harry W. [1926]
Lewistown - McCoy, Frank R. (2@) [1897]
Malvern - Lynch, Richard T. [1958] **(KIA)**
Marietta - Paules, Earl G. [1912]
McKeesport - Inskeep, John L. [1931]
Meadowbrook - Herkness, Lindsay C., Jr. [1939]
Mercer - Barton, David B. [1923] **(KIA)**
Mercer - Blatt, Richard A. [1933] **(KIA)**
Midway - Loffert, George U., Jr. [1956]
Midway - Loffert, John W. [1958]
Mifflinville - Drum, Heister H. [1941]
Milford - Emerson, Henry E. (5@) [1947]
Millville - Remener, Lawrence J. [1962]
Monessen - Belan, Charles G. [1960]
Mount Carmel - Gavin, James M. [1929]
New Cumberland - Fisher, Samuel H. [1924]
Newtown Square - Davisson, Henry L., Jr. [1953]
Norristown - Pugh, John R. (3@) [1932] **(POW)**
Norristown - Smythe, George W. (2@) [1924]
Old Forge - Drake, Charles B. (2@) [1892]
Patton - Long, Paul J. [1939]

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Philadelphia - Barott, William C. (2@) [1951] (KIA)
Philadelphia - Benson, George C. [1945]
Philadelphia - Cleary, Thomas J., Jr. [1941]
Philadelphia - Dallam, Samuel F. (2@) [1896]
Philadelphia - Foote, Thomas C. [1934]
Philadelphia - Gerhart, George H. [1934]
Philadelphia - Hayes, James H. [1942]
Philadelphia - Heiman, David W. [1928]
Philadelphia - Hobbs, Leland S. (2@) [1915]
Philadelphia - Keiser, Laurence B. [1917]
Philadelphia - Krawciw, Nicholas S. (3@) [1959]
Philadelphia - Marshall, Alfred C., Jr. [1931] (KIA)
Philadelphia - McMastger, Herbert R. [1984]
Philadelphia - Morrissey, William J. [1912]
Philadelphia - Silvasy, Stephen, Jr. (2@) [1963]
Philadelphia - Stanton, Raymund G. [1927]
Philadelphia - Steinberg, William A. [1950]
Philadelphia - Todd, Henry D., Jr. (3@) [1890]
Philadelphia - Twaddell, James W., Jr. [1936]
Phoenixville - Bernstein, David R. [2001] (KIA)
Pittsburgh - Aultman, Dwight E. [1894]
Pittsburgh - Bissell, John T. [1917]
Pittsburgh - Corbett, James B. [1931]
Pittsburgh - Cummings, Thompson [1952] (MIA-KIA)
Pittsburgh - Denholm, Charles J. (2@) [1938]
Pittsburgh - Dent, Frederick R. [1929]
Pittsburgh - Duffy, John J. [1935]
Pittsburgh - Growdon, John S. [1935]
Pittsburgh - Lyons, John K. [1965]
Pittsburgh - MacCloskey, Manus (2@) [1898]
Pittsburgh - Morin, Martin J. [1927]
Pittsburgh - Paulick, Michael (3@) [1940]
Pittsburgh - Ridgway, Matthew B. (2@) [1917]
Pittsburgh - Sands, Alfred L. [1904]
Plymouth - Owen, John W. (2@) [1963]
Pottstown - Hull, John B. [1943]
Pottstown - Wagonhurst, Arland H. [1945]
Pottsville - Joulwan, George A. [1961]
Pottsville - Martz, William V. (2@) [1935] (POW)
Punxsutawney - Lardin, Harry E. [1934]
Reading - Baer, Joseph A. [1900]
Reading - Henry, Guy V. [1861]
Reading - Meyer, Arthur L. [1941]
Scranton - Evans, Robert A. [1945]
Scranton - Kalakuka, Theodore (3@) [1927] (POW-KIA)
Scranton - McAndrew, James W. [1888]
Seward - Rager, Edward E. [1939]

Sharon - Cattron, Edward P. [1966]
Springfield - Carpenter, William S., Jr. [1960]
St. Mary's - Meyer, Edward C. (2@) [1951]
Stoystown - Keith, Chester E., Jr. [1966]
Strasburg - Rush, Hugo P. [1920]
Swarthmore - Douglas, Robert H. [1933]
Swarthmore - Storck, Louis J. [1951] (KIA)
Tarentum - Gilboux, John W. [1954]
Tionesta - Fuellhart, Robert H., Jr. [1962]
Troy - Pierce, James R. [1922]
Troy - Pierce, James R., Jr. [1950] (KIA)
Upper Darby - Blair, Robert H. [1958]
Upper Darby - Carraway, David W. [1968]
Upper Darby - Ogden, Lawrence J. [1949]
Upper Darby - Vaughan, William J. (2@) [1941]
Vandegrift - Shaffer, John R. [1950]
Wayne - Robinson, William L. [1937] (POW-MIA)
Waynesburg - Doody, Richard F. [1952]
Waynesburg - Elms, George G. [1919]
West Grove - Letonoff, Victor T. (2@) [1960]
West Lawn - Franks, Frederick M., Jr. [1959]
West Scranton - Ginder, Philip D. [1927]
Wilkes Barre - Snee, James W. [1934]
Wilkes-Barre - Elliott, John C. [1926]
Wilkes-Barre - Evans, Benjamin F., Jr. [1936]
Wilkes-Barre - Kielty, Joseph A. [1924]
Wilkes-Barre - Thomas, Richard M. [1900]
Williamsport - McKee, Richard L. [1934]
Williamsport - Reidy, Richard F. [1931]
Williamsport - Waltz, Floyd R. [1914]
Williamsport - Williamson, William R. [1961]
Wynnewood - Webb, George S., Jr. [1946]

Puerto Rico

Santurce - Nadal, Ramon A., II [1958]

Rhode Island

Cullinane, Daniel B., Jr. [1943]
Bristol - Perry, Basil H. [1917]
Cranston - McGovern, George W., Jr. [1957]
Cranston - Regnier, Augustus J. (2@) [1924]
East Greenwich - Harwood, Jonathan H., Jr. [1941] (KIA)
East Providence - Bailey, William N., Jr. [1960]
Edgewood - Johnson, Robert C. [1929] (KIA)

Naugatuck - Dalton, James L., II [1933] (KIA)
Newport - Albro, Robert D. [1936]
Newport - Ennis, William P., Jr. [1926]
Newport - Gill, Isaac, Jr. [1914]
North Providence - Hurdis, Charles E. (2@) [1917]
North Providence - Ruyffelaere, Raymond F. [1943]
Providence - Boyle, Richard D. [1953]
Providence - Darrah, Stephen C. [1965]
Providence - Devine, John M. [1917]
Providence - Godfray, Leonard C. [1936] (MIA-KIA)
Providence - Jalbert, Donald J. [1943]
Providence - Malley, James H. (2@) [1962]
Riverside - Nichols, Stephen E. [1952]
Stillwater - Maybach, Alfred A. [1937] (KIA)
Wakefield - Walker, John S., Jr. [1963]
Woonsocket - Carroll, Paul T. (2@) [1933]

South Carolina

Aberdeen - McArthur, John C. (3@) [1894]
Andrews - Overton, Dolphin D., III (4@) [1949]
Batesburg - Danielsen, Theodore S. [1960]
Blacksburg - Gaston, Jesse (2@) [1903]
Charleston - Colson, Charles F. [1918]
Charleston - Fowler, Halstead C. [1920] (POW)
Charleston - Lucas, Joseph C. [1960]
Charleston - Lucas, William C. [1923]
Charleston - Martin, Thomas H., Jr. [1943] (KIA)
Charleston - Richardson, Robert C., Jr. [1904]
Charleston - Whitelaw, John L. [1919]
Chesterfield - Pusser, Thomas W. [1961] (KIA)
Columbia - Benson, John O. (2@) [1968]
Columbia - Cushman, John H. (2@) [1944]
Columbia - McMaster, George H. [1892]
Columbia - Simpson, William C. (3@) [1946]
Columbia - Smoak, John R., Jr. [1965]
Darlington - McKee, Edgar S. [1938]
Dillon - Baxley, William J., Jr. [1950]
Easley - Stewart, LeRoy J. [1922]
Elko - Stansell, Joshua A. [1917] (POW)
Florence - Bagnal, Charles W. [1956]
Georgetown - King, Richard T., Jr. [1933] (POW)
Georgetown - Parker, Frank (2@) [1894]
Georgetown - Ricks, Robert E., Jr. [1962]
Gilbert - Barr, John E. [1931]
Greenwood - Cothran, Wade R., Jr. [1918] (POW-KIA)
Greer - Dillard, Walter S. [1961]

Henderson - Sanders, Robert C. [1949]
Kingstree - McCabe, Robert C. [1938]
Kingstree - Montgomery, Hampden E. [1928] (POW-KIA)
Lamar - Beasley, Lewis E. [1952]
Marion - Harrell, William F. (2@) [1902]
Marion - Mills, Benjamin W., Jr. [1943] (KIA)
Mount Pleasant - Bradley, Joseph S. (4@) [1919]
Orangeburg - Kennedy, John T. (3@) [1908]
Richburg - Reid, John C. [1960]
Rock Hill - Thomason, Joel F. [1939]
Rock Hill - Tipton, Norman E. [1931]
Society Hill - Beck, Thomas H. [1933]
Spartanburg - Ashby, Randall L. [2001]
Spartanburg - Connor, William M. [1936]
Spartanburg - Mangum, Wiley M., Jr. [1950]
Spartanburg - Williams, Robert L. [1940] (MIA-KIA)
Sumpter - Gerald, John P. [1940] (KIA)
Sumter - Hynds, Wallace G., Jr. [1945] (MIA-KIA)
Winnsboro - Armstrong, James E. [1952]
Winnsboro - Johnson, John T., Jr. [1965]

South Dakota

Britton - Brown, Frederic J., III [1956]
Britton - Brown, Frederic J., Sr. (2@) [1927]
Claremont - McGee, Frank D. [1915]
Deadwood - Roesler, David E. [1964]
Huron - Hanson, James [1899]
Lead - Danielson, Ole W. [1938]
Lead - Mann, Michael J. [1968]
Mitchell - Johnson, Bradley J. [1958]
Mitchell - Wethe, Jay D. [1943]
Oelriches - Forney, Frank H. [1929] (MIA-KIA)
Pierre - Scurr, Kenneth R. [1945]
Pierre - Stephens, Richard W. (2@) [1924]
Pierre - Sternburg, Harry J. [1948]
Rapid City - Schmid, Edwin P. [1939]
Rapid City - Wallace, Josiah A., Jr. [1946]
Sioux Falls - Johnson, Sewall H. [1946]
Stratford - Saunders, Laverne G. [1928]
Woonsocket - Warner, Volney F. (2@) [1950]
Worthing - Lewis, Evan E. (3@) [1907]

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Tennessee

Cherry, Kenneth J. [1965]
Davis, Thomas W., III [1939] (POW)
Gilchrist, Malcolm S. [1965]
Chattanooga - Carter, Leslie D., Jr. [1948]
Chattanooga - Harris, Leslie E., Jr. [1949] (KIA)
Chattanooga - Higgins, Walter M., Jr. [1939]
Chattanooga - Ryan, John L., Jr. [1926]
Clarksville - Davis, Leroy C. [1928] (KIA)
Clarksville - Edwards, Jay T. [1954]
Clarksville - Taylor, Wesley B., Jr. [1965]
Cleveland - Jones, Paul M. [1935] (POW-KIA)
Cleveland - Jones, Warren A. [1955]
College Grove - Parks, Samuel W. [1941]
Covington - McClelland, Charles B. [1929]
Dyersburg - Arnold, William H. [1924]
Dyersburg - Houston, Darrell G. (2@) [1960]
Elizabethton - Bowie, Kyle W. (2@) [1946]
Etowa - Steed, Thomas W. [1928]
Franklin - Beasley, Thomas W. [1966]
Gallatin - Bell, Clyde B., Jr. [1949]
Greenfield - Adams, Ronald K. [1968]
Greenville - Dulaney, Jack F. [1943]
Harriman - Davis, John T. [1939] (KIA)
Jackson - Gideon, Robert R., Jr. [1939]
Jasper - Anderson, Edward D. [1891]
Knoxville - Ambrosia, Gregory E. [2005]
Knoxville - Holloway, Bruce K. [1937]
Lebanon - Morrison, Robert C. [1950]
Linden - Beasley, Rex W. [1917]
Manchester - Rogers, Gordon B. (2@) [1924]
McMinnville - Hennessee, James F. [1965]
Memphis - Daniels, Henry F. [1940]
Memphis - Downing, Harry E. (2@) [1961]
Memphis - Draper, Robert F. [1947]
Memphis - Hozier, George C. [1942] (POW)
Memphis - Johnson, John C. [1956]
Memphis - Jones, George M. [1935]
Memphis - Moore, William C. (3@) [1952]
Memphis - Roberts, James E. [1967]
Memphis - Williams, Urquhart P. [1934]
Mount Pleasant - English, John T. [1938]
Nashville - Goode, Robert H., Jr. [1962]
Nashville - Hardin, Joseph S., Jr. [1967]
Nashville - Love, Robert W. [1938]
Nashville - Napier, James W., III [1955]
Nashville - Smith, Richard H. (2@) [1932]

Nashville - Winton, Walter F., Jr. [1940]
Nashville - Wirt, Charles A. [1943]
Paris - Mitchell, William B. (2@) [1965]
Somerville - Summers, Julius B., Jr. [1940]
Troy - White, Lawrence K. [1933]
Union City - Whitson, Robert K. (2@) [1916]
Watertown - Forrester, Eugene P. [1948]
Waverly - Weems, George H. [1917]

Texas

Adams, John C. [1924]
Carll, Thomas H. (2@) [1965]
Heard, Falkner (2@) [1913]
Joyner, Harry N., III [1965]
Moorefield, Kenneth P. [1965]
Pennell, Robert [1939] (POW)
Abilene - Brown, Ralph P. (2@) [1963]
Abilene - Pier, William S. [1966]
Aledo - Simpson, William H. [1909]
Amarillo - Curtis, James O., Jr. [1930]
Amarillo - Higinbotham, Lewis (3@) [1962]
Amarillo - Hines, Ronald D. [1961] (KIA)
Amarillo - Murphy, John B. [1919]
Amarillo - Simpson, Everett S. [1938]
Arlington - Murchison, John T., Jr. [1957]
Athens - Campbell, Dan H. [1960]
Athens - Davies, Thomas H. (2@) [1958]
Athens - Richardson, Jack J. (3@) [1935] (KIA)
Austin - Hutchings, Henry, Jr. [1917]
Austin - Mallory, Philip H. [1961]
Austin - Norris, John A., Jr. [1938]
Austin - Palmer, Bruce, Jr. [1936]
Beeville - Hickey, Pennell J. [1949]
Belton - Munford, Charles A. [1947]
Belton - Prince, Howard T., II [1962]
Belton - Walker, Sam S. (2@) [1946]
Belton - Walker, Walton H. (3@) [1912]
Bexar County - Browne, Barry D. [1938] (KIA)
Bexar County - Pace, Herbert E., Jr. [1940] (KIA)
Brackettville - Stadler, John H., Jr. [1924]
Brady - McCord, Burton K. (2@) [1963] (KIA)
Brownfield - Brownfield, Albert R. [1939]
Brownsville - Bacon, Robert C. [1956]
Brownsville - Bacon, Willis G. [1954]
Brownsville - Rusteberg, Edwin [1934]
Bryan - Hertel, Herbert C., Jr. [1962]
Burnet - Paschall, Jim R. (2@) [1959]

- Burnet** - Sherrard, Robert G., Jr. [1935]
Cameron - Gillis, William G., Jr. [1941] (KIA)
Canyon - Oliver, George S. [1950]
Center - Hughes, Aquilla B., Jr. [1940]
Center Point - Walker, Edwin A. [1931]
Childress - Robinson, Oval H. (2@) [1940]
Clarksville - Gooding, Clarence E. [1936]
Cleburne - McFarren, Freddy E. [1966]
College Station - Delamater, Benjamin F., III [1940]
Comanche - Renfro, Curtis D. (2@) [1925]
Cooper - Rattan, Donald V. (3@) [1945]
Corsicana - Hogan, Samuel M. [1938]
Dallas - Bingham, Sidney V., Jr. [1940]
Dallas - Bowman, Donald C. [1957]
Dallas - Clark, Solomon F. [1917]
Dallas - Combs, Cecil E. [1936]
Dallas - Frierson, Andrew A. [1924]
Dallas - Kinnard, Harry W. [1939]
Dallas - Niblo, Urban [1919]
Dallas - Otstott, Charles P. [1960]
Dallas - Parr, Michael G. [1967] (KIA)
Dallas - Waldrop, Kenneth M. [1964]
Dallas - Warren, Joe H., Jr. [1946]
Devine - Burer, Alfred E. [1967]
Eagle Pass - Mathis, Robert C. [1948]
El Paso - Bell, Kenneth H. (2@) [1954]
El Paso - Davison, Michael S., Jr. [1964]
El Paso - Dodson, Jonathan B. [1968]
El Paso - Fischer, Robert C. (2@) [1957]
El Paso - Frank, Robert T. (2@) [1965]
El Paso - Howze, Hamilton H. [1930]
El Paso - Lampert, Lester L., Jr. [1939]
El Paso - Locke, John L. [1941]
El Paso - Meyer, Stewart C. [1943]
El Paso - Miller, Clifford L., II (2@) [1939]
El Paso - Polk, James H. (2@) [1933]
El Paso - Surles, Alexander D., Jr. [1937]
El Paso - Wilbourn, Donald E. (2@) [1943]
Elgin - Oden, Delk M. (2@) [1937]
Fort Bliss - Dodds, William A. [1937]
Fort Bliss - Goodwin, Samuel M. [1940]
Fort Bliss - Howze, Robert L., Jr. (2@) [1925]
Fort Bliss - Polk, John F. [1937]
Fort Bliss - Wilson, Arthur H., Jr. (2@) [1937]
Fort Sam Houston - Thayer, Basil G. [1920]
Fort Worth - Dunn, Thomas W. [1930]
Fort Worth - Hood, Michael A. [1967]
Fort Worth - Hotman, Clyde W., Jr. [1963]
Fort Worth - Peters, Elmer B. [1949]
Fort Worth - Shankle, Joseph F. [1950]
Fort Worth - Walker, Ralph B., II [1963] (KIA)
Gainesville - Gibbs, Philip E. [1959]
Galveston - Parker, John R. [1956]
Gladewater - Merritt, Daniel A. [1972]
Gonzalez - Munford, Thomas W. [1918]
Hemphill - Whitehead, Henry C. [1896]
Houston - Batjer, John F. [1937]
Houston - Bonner, Marshall [1933] (MIA-KIA)
Houston - Coker, Thomas C. [1967]
Houston - Foster, Garrard [1942]
Houston - Holliday, Sam C. [1948]
Houston - Horan, Robert M. [1945] (KIA)
Houston - Jackson, Thomas H. (2@) [1967]
Houston - Kirk, James W. [1966]
Houston - Lawrence, Richard D. (2@) [1953]
Houston - Shoss, Morris L. [1940] (POW)
Jacksonville - Beall, John A., Jr. [1935]
Kerrville - Younts, James O., III [1968]
Killeen - Haines, William L. [1967]
Killeen - Spencer, Floyd B., Jr. [1958] (KIA)
Killeen - Turner, Robert A. [1959]
Levelland - Turner, Vernon R. [1943] (POW)
Lockney - Rigby, Joe W. [1962]
Longview - Meredith, David S., III [1950]
Marfa - Hubbard, Harry J. [1934]
McAllen - Rowe, James N. [1960] (POW)
Midland - Brown, John K., Jr. [1935]
Midlothian - Warren, Miller P., Jr. [1933] (POW-KIA)
Overton - Howze, Robert L. (2@) [1888]
Palestine - Pickett, George E. [1939]
Pampa - Caldwell, Ronald G. (2@) [1966]
Paris - Wright, Edgar, Jr. [1929]
Portland - LaPrade, James L. (2@) [1939] (KIA)
Quanah - Griffith, Welborn B., Jr. [1925] (KIA)
San Angelo - Buttery, Edwin B. [1941]
San Antonio - Alcala, Raoul H. [1962]
San Antonio - Alexander, Irvin [1919] (POW)
San Antonio - Artman, George [1938]
San Antonio - Bass, George C. [1969] (KIA)
San Antonio - Bowen, Orloff L., Jr. (3@) [1940] (KIA)
San Antonio - Bristol, Matt C. [1939]
San Antonio - Browne, Charles J. [1937] (POW-MIA)
San Antonio - Carmichael, Richard H. (2@) [1936] (POW)
San Antonio - Childs, Jefferson D. [1932]

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San Antonio - Christian, Thomas J., Jr. [1939] (**MIA-KIA**)

San Antonio - Cronkhite, Willis D., Jr. [1946]

San Antonio - DeRussy, John H. (2@) [1940]

San Antonio - Dolph, Cyrus A., III [1933]

San Antonio - Fellenz, Walter J. [1940]

San Antonio - Fox, John E. (2@) [1950]

San Antonio - George, Alexander (2@) [1920]

San Antonio - Gibbs, George W. (2@) [1930]

San Antonio - Gower, Donald N. [1949]

San Antonio - Graham, Ephriam F., Jr. (2@) [1937]

San Antonio - Hinds, John H. (2@) [1918]

San Antonio - Hodes, Henry I. (2@) [1920]

San Antonio - Joseph, Robert E., Jr. [1955]

San Antonio - Kellam, Frederick C. [1936] (**KIA**)

San Antonio - LaRoche, John J., Jr. [1966]

San Antonio - Leahy, Osmund A. (3@) [1940]

San Antonio - Lewis, Thomas E. [1922]

San Antonio - Magoffin, Morton D. [1937] (**POW**)

San Antonio - Mattfeldt, John P. [1943] (**KIA**)

San Antonio - McKee, Richard G. [1918]

San Antonio - McMullen, Thomas H. [1951]

San Antonio - Nulsen, Charles K., Jr. [1949]

San Antonio - Oswald, Paul F. [1936]

San Antonio - Pendergrast, James R. [1942]

San Antonio - Reynolds, Royal, Jr. [1933]

San Antonio - Russell, Joseph G. (2@) [1935]

San Antonio - Smith, Stanton T., Jr. [1940]

San Antonio - Tully, Robert B. [1946]

San Antonio - Ulsaker, Carl C. [1942]

San Antonio - Vincent, Clinton D. [1936]

San Antonio - Walk, Gary J. [1964]

San Antonio - Wilson, Joseph C. [1953]

San Benito - Costanza, Charles, Jr. [1967]

San Marcos - Ivey, Robert H. [1942]

Schulenburg - Walker, Kenzie W. [1893]

Tahoka - Minor, John M. [1946]

Tarrant - Bates, John O., Jr. [1950] (**KIA**)

Teague - Critz, Harry H. [1935]

Teague - McSpadden, Garland R. (2@) [1948]

Texas City - Cole, John T. [1917]

Tyler - Hager, Frederick H., Jr. [1989]

Tyler - Johnson, Davenport [1912]

Uvalde - Hampton, Ephraim M. [1930]

Victoria - Rountree, Billy J. (2@) [1949]

Waco - Ball, Clinton F. [1941]

Waco - Clark, Winston B., Jr. [1962]

Waco - Harrison, William K., Jr. [1917]

Waco - Jones, Jack J. [1943]

Waco - Jones, Lincoln G. [1951]

Waco - Jurney, Claude E. [1930]

Waco - Milner, James W. [1940]

Waco - Old, William D., II [1954]

Waco - Post, Everett O. [1945]

Wado - Goodman, John F. [1916] (**POW**)

Winnsboro - Hightower, Louis V. (2@) [1931]

Utah

Parkinson, Parley D. (2@) [1915]

Brigham City - Hardaway, Thomas G. [1949] (**KIA**)

Logan - Hayward, Harold I. [1944]

Logan - Howell, Reese M. [1915]

Ogden - Gleason, William T. [1941]

Ogden - Ward, Brien D. (3@) [1955]

Orem - Dixon, Gerald E. [1966]

Salt Lake City - Barlow, Ernest A. (2@) [1925]

Salt Lake City - Farnsworth, Louis D., Jr. [1935]

Salt Lake City - Herman, Dean A. [1931]

Salt Lake City - Quinn, Edward B. (2@) [1950]

Salt Lake City - Taylor, Oliver B. [1939]

Salt Lake City - Wells, Briant H. [1894]

Salt Lake City - Young, Sidney H. (2@) [1917]

Tooele - Mahoney, Paul H. [1922]

Vermont

Addison County - Flint, Harry A. (3@) [1912] (**KIA**)

Barre - Mitchell, Floyd A. [1924] (**POW-KIA**)

Barre - Reilly, William R. [1939]

Bennington - Maguire, William H. [1932] (**POW-KIA**)

Burlington - Principe, Nicholas J., Jr. [1965]

Burlington - St. John, Adrian, II [1943]

Harwick - Hanford, John O. (2@) [1957]

Ludlow - Barton, Paul L. [1934]

Lyndonville - Ruggles, John F. (2@) [1931]

Middlebury - Trudeau, Arthur G. (2@) [1924]

North Bennington - White, Charles E. [1939] (**POW-MIA**)

Northfield - Kromer, William A. [1941] (**KIA**)

Northfield - Tompkins, Francis P. [1918]

Rutland - Reilly, Bernard J., Jr. [1966]

South Londonderry - Phillips, Alan B. [1959]

Springfield - Barney, Keith R. [1926]

Waterbury - Chase, Jack S. [1963]

Windsor - Blastos, Constantine J. [1953]

Virginia

Divers, Walter A., Jr. (2@) [1965]
 Jackson, Charles R. [1919] (POW)
 Ryder, Charles W., Jr. (3@) [1942]
 Vandevanter, Elliott (2@) [1939]
 West, Eugene R. [1901]
Accomac - Needels, Christopher J. (2@) [1965]
Alexandria - Beverley, William W. (2@) [1938]
Alexandria - Blanchard, George S. (2@) [1944]
Alexandria - Browning, Philip Y., Jr. [1962]
Alexandria - Dienelt, James H. [1941] (MIA-KIA)
Alexandria - Kiefer, Homer W., Jr. [1952]
Alexandria - Lewis, William F. [1940]
Alexandria - Tansey, Patrick H., Jr. [1941]
Alexandria - Unger, James T. [1966]
Alton - Gorman, Paul F. [1950]
Anacostia - Latimer, William J., Jr. [1929] (POW-KIA)
Annandale - Erbes, Donald C. [1965]
Appalachia - Crizer, Pat W. (2@) [1946]
Arlington - Carroll, Robert C. [1962]
Arlington - Christensen, Allen R. (2@) [1963]
Arlington - Cox, Noel M. [1935]
Arlington - Field, Michael F. [1960] (KIA)
Arlington - Hayes, Thomas J., IV (2@) [1966] (KIA)
Arlington - Hughes, William F. [1966]
Arlington - Jackson, Charles L., II [1964]
Arlington - Keravuori, Jouni [1966]
Arlington - Magness, Thomas H., III [1961]
Arlington - McKibbin, Hugh R., Jr. [1966] (KIA)
Arlington - Mock, Phillip W. [1963]
Arlington - Scheewe, Lawrence R. [1962]
Arlington - Schroeder, Henry J., III [1969]
Arlington - Seely, William B. [1957]
Arlington - Smythe, John D. [1953]
Arlington - Springer, Robert M., Jr. [1949]
Arlington - Thompson, Thomas D., Jr. (2@) [1967] (KIA)
Arlington - Wertz, Paul F. [1962]
Arlington - Woolnough, James K. [1932]
Basset - Stone, Reed L. [1955]
Blacksburg - Blandford, William O. [1933]
Blacksburg - Van Deusen, Frederick F. [1953] (KIA)
Boyce - Meade, Everard K., Jr. [1943]
Charlottesville - Adams, Dwight L. [1950]

Charlottesville - Featherston, John H., Jr. [1943] (KIA)
Charlottesville - Truscott, Lucian K., III [1945]
Chase City - Morris, Henry [1963]
Clinchco - Hillman, Rolfe L., Jr. [1945]
Culpeper - Nalle, Richard [1944]
Elizabeth City - Clark, William D. (2@) [1945]
Fairfax - Green, Martin L., Jr. [1964] (KIA)
Fairfax - Wagner, Louis C. [1954]
Falls Church - Gunderson, Raymond E. [1955]
Falls Church - Riek, Jeffry R. [1968] (KIA)
Falls Church - Robinson, Karl W. [1964]
Falls Church - Stilwell, Richard G. (2@) [1938]
Falls Church - Tillson, John C., IV (2@) [1966]
Falls Church - Yonushonis, William P. [1969]
Fort Belvoir - Marks, Edwin H., Jr. (2@) [1942]
Fort Belvoir - Sheridan, Mark E. [1965]
Fort Eustis - Hayes, John R., Jr. (2@) [1966]
Fort Eustis - Pons, Philip E., Jr. [1962]
Fort Meyer - Menoher, Pearson [1915]
Fort Meyer - Paddock, Richard B. [1914]
Fort Monroe - Baker, Charles R. [1960]
Fort Monroe - Easterbrook, Ernest F. [1931]
Fort Monroe - Irwin, Stafford L. [1915]
Fort Monroe - Reeder, Russell P., Jr. [1926]
Fort Monroe - Whalen, Donald P. [1957]
Fort Myer - Patton, George S. (2@) [1946]
Front Royal - deSaussure, Edward H., Jr. [1941]
Gladstone - Akers, Russell F., Jr. [1933]
Hampton - Cave, Edmund H. [1949]
Hampton - Day, Frank L. [1956]
Hampton - Letchworth, Robert [1959]
Hampton - Marshall, John W. [1966]
Hampton - Mizusawa, Bert K. [1979]
Hampton - Olds, Robin (4@) [1943]
Hampton - Waldeck, James J., Jr. [1956]
Kenbridge - Gee, Samuel E. [1933]
Lawrenceville - Booth, Shepherd A., Jr. [1946]
Lynchburg - Miller, Claude H. [1897]
Lynchburg - Slaughter, Willis R. [1917]
Marion - Buchanan, David H. [1929]
Martinsville - Jamerson, George H. (2@) [1893]
Martinsville - Watson, Edwin M. (2@) [1908]
McLean - McNamara, William T. [1960]
Newsoms - Thorpe, George W. [1943]
Norfolk - Anderson, Millard O. [1943]
Norfolk - Bunting, Bertram A. [1960] (KIA)
Norfolk - Johnson, Earle A., Jr. [1943]

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Norfolk - Norton, John [1941]
Norfolk - Shinberger, John B. [1933]
Oakton - Green, Martin L. [1937]
Petersburg - Kevan, William P., Jr. [1940]
Petersburg - Lassiter, William [1872]
Petersburg - Ware, Richard S., Jr. [1944]
Philomont - Patch, William A. (2@) [1948]
Phoebus - Summerall, Charles P., Jr. [1924]
Pittsylvania County - Lauman, Philip G., Jr. [1937]
(POW-KIA)
Portsmouth - Griggs, Leonard L., Jr. [1954]
Quantico - Jagiello, Walter A. (2@) [1945]
Richmond - Blesse, James S. [1961]
Richmond - Boatwright, Linton S. [1941]
Richmond - Bush, George M. [1945]
Richmond - Cabell, Henry C., Jr. (2@) [1883]
Richmond - Dobson, John W. [1939] (POW)
Richmond - Hartness, Harlan N. [1919]
Richmond - Korchek, Robert L. [1952]
Richmond - Perritt, Harvey H., Jr. (2@) [1952]
Roanoke - McNulty, William A. [1932]
Roanoke - Sachers, Henry S. [1950]
Rocky Mount - Divers, Walter A. [1942]
Springfield - Hilmes, Andrew C. [1995]
Springfield - Shields, Buren R., III [1968]
Springfield - Zook, William E., Jr. [1969]
Stanford Hill - Reed, Charles H. (2@) [1922]
Stanton - Sladen, Fred W., Jr. [1929]
Staunton - Patch, Alexander M., III [1942] (KIA)
Warrenton - Prather aka: Charles P. Saint, Charles G., IV [1956]
Warrenton - Saint, Crosbie E. [1958]
Warrenton - Smith, Albert C. [1917]
Warrenton - Wallach, Marshall [1939]
Waynesboro - Fishburne, Elliott G., III [1962]
Williamsburg - Noake, David A. [1962]

Washington

Bainbridge Island, Almojuela, Thomas N. [1966]
Febiger, George L. [1914]
Bremerton - Bender, John A. (2@) [1949]
Carbonado - Jones, David E. [1932] (KIA)
Centralia - Clizbe, Reginald J. (2@) [1940]
Ellensburg - Kern, William B. (3@) [1934]
Fort Lewis - Byars, David O., III [1969]
Fort Worden - Finley, Charles R., Jr. [1943] (KIA)
Kelso - Jones, Alan F. [1963]

Olympia - McChrystal, Herbert J., Jr. (4@) [1945]
Seattle - Alakulppi, Vesa J. [1963] (KIA)
Seattle - Clemenson, Wendell L. [1943] (KIA)
Seattle - Gates, Robert E., Jr. [1965]
Seattle - Hibbs, Louis E. [1916]
Seattle - Malone, Lawrence M. [1958] (KIA)
Seattle - Rau, Charles G. [1929]
Seattle - Yarborough, William P. [1936]
Sequim - Vollmer, John P. [1949]
Spokane - Larkin, Thomas B. [1915]
Spokane - Maertens, George K. [1943]
Spokane - Weyrauch, Paul R. [1930]
Spokane - Wilson, Bruce M. [1966]
Steilacoom - Enos, James R. [2000]
Tacoma - Ellsworth, Robert A. (3@) [1924]
Tacoma - Hoska, Lukas E., Jr. (2@) [1937]
Tracyton - Works, Robert C. (2@) [1938]
Vancouver - Hutchin, Claire E., Jr. [1938]
Vancouver - Jackson, Charles L. [1938]
Walla Walla - Roecker, Frederick C., Jr. [1942]
Waterville - Sellers, Raymond W. [1933]
Yakima - Kingston, Joseph P. (2@) [1949]

West Virginia

Boles, John K., Jr. [1939]
Beckley - Hindsley, Joseph D. [1965]
Beckley - St. Clair, Howard B. (2@) [1939]
Benwood - Ledzinski, Jerome M. [1965]
Beverly - Harding, Neil B. [1927]
Bluefield - Dillard, David S. [1939]
Bluefield - Martin, Maurice L. [1943]
Cabin Creek Junction - Murray, Edward H. [1943]
Charleston - Greer, Fielder P. [1931]
Charleston - Spradling, Eldon H. [1962]
Charleston - Van Petten, Albert A. [1947]
Clarksburg - Fye, John H. (2@) [1917]
Clarksburg - Granett, Samuel R. [1969]
Clarksburg - Roberts, Ernst E. [1949]
Clarksburg - Wetzel, Robert L. [1952]
Huntington - Dials, George E. [1967]
Huntington - Dickey, David L. [1966]
Huntington - Ford, Wallace A. [1949] (MIA-KIA)
Huntington - Kail, Samuel G. [1939]
Huntington - Mead, Armistead D. (3@) [1924]
Huntington - Quinn, Daniel W., III [1929]
Huntington - Stepp, James M. [1966]
Kearneysville - Lucas, John P. [1911]

Montgomery - Quesenberry, Marshall H. (2@) [1915] (POW)
Moundsville - Austin, Joseph C. (2@) [1952] (MIA-KIA)
Parkersburg - Drake, Thomas D., II [1945]
Parkersburg - Roberts, William L. [1913]
Point Pleasant - Whitten, Rudolph G. [1914]
Princeton - Rich, Charles W. [1935]
Quincy - Edwards, Norman B. [1935]
Ronceverte - Clifford, Thomas E. [1936] (KIA)
Salem - Shrader, Cecil L. (2@) [1958]
Sutton - Herold, William L. [1935] (KIA)
Union - Rowan, Andrew S. [1881]
Wellsburg - Harris, Robert L., Jr. [1967]
Wheeling - Altmeyer, James E. [1961]
Wheeling - Kulpa, Norman D. [1968]
Wheeling - Slack, Clarence V., Jr. [1945] (MIA-KIA)
Wheeling - Sweeney, Walter C., Jr. [1930]
White Sulphur Springs - Hines, John L., Sr. [1891]

Wisconsin

Algoma - Fellows, Richard W. [1937]
Appleton - Mills, John S. [1928]
Arkansas - Holbrook, Willard A., Jr. (2@) [1918]
Ashland - Withers, William P. (2@) [1920]
Brookfield - Chikalla, Gerald G. [1955]
Eau Claire - Simpson, Eber E. [1943]
Eau Claire - Wikan, Michael E. [1964]
Fond du Lac - Kenyon, Harry J., Jr. [1943] (KIA)
Fort Atkinson - Ryan, Ward S. [1938]
Gillette - Gillette, Arville W. [1932]
Green Bay - Merrill, Philip W. [1929]
Green Bay - West, Arvid E., Jr. [1956]
Janesville - Boos, Francis H. [1928]
Janesville - Dean, Christopher P. [2002]
Janesville - Richardson, Lorrain T. [1895]
Jonesville - Walsh, Birrell [1930] (MIA-KIA)
La Crosse - Anderegg, Harold R. (2@) [1949]
La Crosse - Panke, Robert E. [1941]
LaCrosse - Brindley, John R. [1933]
Laona - Dawley, Ernest J. [1910]
Madison - Zwicker, Ralph W. [1927]
Marshfield - Tack, Willis J. [1914]
Merrill - Van Nostrand, William S. [1934] (POW-KIA)
Milton Junction - Johnson, Ross L. [1949]
Milwaukee - Drudik, Robert L. [1957]
Milwaukee - Duquemin, Gordon J. (3@) [1947]

Milwaukee - Fitzpatrick, Francis C. [1941]
Milwaukee - Hoefling, John A. (2@) [1946]
Milwaukee - MacArthur, Douglas (7@) [1903]
Milwaukee - Sanders, Horace L. [1934]
Milwaukee - Trott, Clement A. [1899]
Mineral Point - Hutchison, Charles R. [1927]
Mineral Point - Hutchison, David W. [1931]
Monroe - Legler, Matthew L. [1939]
New Glarus - Streiff, Richard W. (2@) [1946]
Oshkosh - Martin, Orville W. (2@) [1919]
Oshkosh - Peek, Ernest D. [1901]
Oshkosh - Wesner, Charles W. [1927]
Park Falls - Teeters, Bernard G. [1939]
Portage - Boylan, Peter J., Jr. [1961]
Racine - Hunter, Francis R. [1909]
Racine - Maddux, David T. [1968] (KIA)
Racine - Naleid, Jerome F. [1946]
Sheboygan - Lampert, James B. [1936]
Sheboygan - Zierath, Frederick R. [1933]
Stevens Point - McGlachlin, Edward F., Jr. [1889]
Stoughton - Johnson, James A. [1947]
Waukesha - Vehlow, Charles A. [1968]
Waupaca - Pope, Frederick M. (2@) [1964]
West Bend - Keeley, John T. [1919]
West Bend - O'Meara, Andrew P. [1930]
West Bend - O'Meara, Andrew P., Jr. [1959]
Winneconne - Miller, Virgil R. [1924]
Buffalo - Van Auken, Wendell G. [1943]
Casper - Bowman, Charles H. (2@) [1939] (MIA-KIA)
Casper - Goldtrap, John C. [1936] (POW-KIA)
Cheyenne - Bond, Van H. (4@) [1931]
Evanston - Chapman, George H., Jr. (2@) [1933]
Frontier - Pratt, Woodrow W. [1943] (KIA)
Laramie - Gaddis, Walter D., Jr. [1968]
Laramie - Hodes, John T. (2@) [1949]
Sheridan - Cummins, Joseph M., Jr. [1934] (KIA)
Sheridan - Gettys, Charles W. [1923]
Sheridan - Kendall, Paul W. (3@) [1918]
Thermopolis - Sliney, George W. (2@) [1913]

Unknown

Dent, Norman M. [1960]
 Dockery, Kareem N. (2@) [2011]
 Doyle, David S. [1993]
 Felber, Joseph G. [1927]
 Golsteyn, Matthew L. [2002]
 Hoban, James J., Jr. [1943]

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Keith, John F. [1965]
Kelley, Hugh A., Jr. (2@) [1965]
Kelly, Michael T. [1994]
Matsuda, Clarence G. [1961]
Power, John O., Jr. [1943]
Pratt, James M. [1942]
Ritch, William N., Jr. [1965]
Ross, David M. (2@) [1918]
Szymanski, Stephen P. [1995]
Warner, Volney J. [1976]
Wood, James H. (2@) [1965]

Colombia

Barranquilla - Loeffke, Bernard (4@) [1957]

Mexico

Tamazula de Gordeano - Roth, William E. [1955]

Panama

Fort Amador - Hackett, James K. [1966]

BURIAL LOCATIONS OF DECEASED RECIPIENTS

The following listings reflect the final resting place of deceased USMA Silver Star Recipients.

RECIPIENTS BURIED ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY 779):

Abrams, Bernard W. (1947)	Blanchard, George S. (1944)	Bush, George M. (1945)
Abrams, Creighton W., Jr. (1936)	Bland, George E. (1947)	Buttery, Edwin B. (1941)
Adams, Robert H. (1934)	Blandford, William O. (1933)	Byers, Clovis E. (1920)
Adamson, James B. (1944)	Blastos, Constantine J. (1953)	Calnan, William M. (1943)
Albro, Robert D. (1936)	Blesse, Frederick C. (1945)	Canham, Charles D. (1926)
Aleshire, Joseph P. (1910)	Blocher, Robert M. (1956)	Carey, Merle L. (1943)
Alvord, Benjamin, Jr. (1882)	Boatner, Haydon L. (1924)	Carley, John W. (1944)
Anderson, Edward D. (1891)	Boatwright, Linton S. (1941)	Carmichael, Richard H. (1936)
Anderson, Frederick L., Jr. (1928)	Boggs, Edgar C. (1941) (KIA)	(POW)
Atkinson, Quintus C., V (1943)	Bolles, Frank C. (1896)	Carroll, Paul T. (1933)
Aultman, Dwight E. (1894)	Bolte, Philip L. (1950)	Carter, Doniphan (1944)
Austin, Emory A., Jr. (1941) (KIA)	Bonham, James B. (1940)	Casey, George W. (1945) (KIA)
Austin, Gordon H. (1936)	Booth, Robert M. (1935)	Casey, Hugh J. (1918)
Baade, Paul W. (1911)	Boye, Frederic W., Jr. (1939)	Casey, John L. (1960)
Babcock, Conrad S. (1898)	Boyle, Richard D. (1953)	Cato, Richard W. (1960)
Babcock, Walter C. (1893)	Bracy, Alfred M. (1952)	Chamberlin, Stephen J. (1912)
Baehr, Carl A. (1909)	Bradford, Zeb B., Jr. (1956)	Chandler, William E. (1931) (POW)
Baer, John W. (1943)	Bradley, Omar N. (1915)	Chapman, Warren C. (1939)
Baer, Robert J. (1947)	Bradshaw, Aaron (1917)	Cheal, Robert M. (1931) (POW)
Baird, James T. (1968)	Brennan, Mark F., Jr. (1964)	Chesarek, Ferdinand J. (1938)
Baldwin, Geoffrey P. (1916)	Bresnahan, Richard A. (1946)	Clark, Solomon F. (1917)
Barney, Keith R. (1926)	Brett, Devol (1945)	Clark, William D. (1945)
Barnwell, William G., Jr. (1934)	Bricker, Edwin D. (1898)	Clarke, Bruce C. (1925)
Bartholf, John C. (1946)	Brindley, John R. (1933)	Clarke, Edgar A. (1935)
Bartlett, William H. (1920)	Bringham, Robert M. (1942)	Clay, Frank B. (1942)
Bartley, Hugh J. (1947)	Brinkley, Thomas M. (1918)	Clement, Wallace L. (1940) (POW)
Batte, James H. (1939)	Bromley, Charles V., Jr. (1923)	Cleveland, Charles G. (1949)
Beasley, Rex W. (1917)	Brooks, Bruce S. (1968)	Clinton, Roy J. (1941)
Bechtold, Edward S. (1935)	Brown, Frederic J., Sr. (1927)	Coates, Willard H. (1950) (KIA)
Beck, Thomas H. (1933)	Brown, George S. (1941)	Coburn, Melville B. (1935)
Benson, Clarence C. (1914)	Browne, Barry D. (1938) (KIA)	Colby, Nathaniel F. (1959)
Berthelot, Henry J. (1967)	Brownfield, Albert R. (1939)	Cole, John T. (1917)
Bertsch, William H. (1924)	Buchanan, David H. (1929)	Collins, Edward J. (1946)
Beverley, William W. (1938)	Bull, Harold R. (1914)	Collins, James L. (1907)
Biddle, William S. (1923)	Burdett, Edward B. (1943) (POW- KIA)	Collins, James L., Jr. (1939)
Birmingham, Richard C. (1916)	Burger, Vonna F. (1924)	Collins, Joseph L. (1917)
Bixby, Ernest A. (1919)	Burnside, Walter (1923)	Colson, Charles F. (1918)
Black, Percy G. (1917)	Burris, James C. (1954)	Combs, Richard M. (1943) (KIA)
Blair, Robert H. (1958)		Conlon, Arthur F. (1963)

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Conmy, Joseph B., Jr. (1943)	Dugan, Thomas B. (1882)	Frierson, Andrew A. (1924)
Connolly, William J. (1965)	Dulaney, Jack F. (1943)	Fries, Stuart G. (1935)
Cook, Gilbert R. (1912)	Dunn, Floyd E. (1925)	Frost, William R., Jr. (1946) (KIA)
Cook, Robert M. (1943)	Eareckson, William O. (1924)	Fry, James C. (1922)
Corbett, James B. (1931)	Easterbrook, Ernest F. (1931)	Fuller, Elbert E., Jr. (1953)
Corbin, Thomas G. (1941)	Eaton, Robert E. (1931)	Fuller, William H. (1933)
Cornwall, Paul R. (1938)	Eddleman, Clyde D. (1924)	Fye, John H. (1917)
Couch, Joseph R. (1940)	Edwards, Clarence R. (1883)	Gallogly, James A. (1907)
Coughlin, Robert L. (1935)	Eichelberger, Robert L. (1909)	Galvin, John R. (1954)
Cousland, Walter C. (1953)	Elkins, Harry W. (1937)	Ganahl, Joseph (1927) (POW-KIA)
Coutts, James W. (1932)	Elms, George G. (1919)	Garber, Max B. (1903)
Coverdale, Craig G. (1953)	Eltinge, LeRoy (1896)	Garigan, Thomas P. (1957)
Cowherd, Richard M. (1944) (KIA)	Ely, Hanson E. (1891)	Garland, Peter W., Jr. (1936)
Cowles, Miles A. (1917)	Emerson, Henry E. (1947)	Garrett, Robert W. (1941)
Craig, Louis A. (1913)	England, George W., Jr. (1940)	Gavan, Paul A. (1928)
Crawford, Joseph B. (1933)	Ennis, William P., Jr. (1926)	Genuario, Louis V. (1950)
Crittenberger, Dale J. (1950)	Enochs, Berkeley (1898)	George, Alexander (1920)
Crizer, Pat W. (1946)	Erlenbusch, Robert C. (1938)	Gerhardt, Charles H. (1917)
Crosby, Ben G., Jr. (1958)	Erler, Leo J. (1917)	Gerrity, John L. (1947)
Crosson, William H., Jr. (1942)	Evans, Andrew J., Jr. (1941) (POW)	Gibb, Frederick W. (1933)
Curtis, Charles H. (1945)	Evans, Benjamin F., Jr. (1936)	Gibney, Jesse L. (1918)
Cutrona, Joseph F. (1944)	Evans, Robert A. (1945)	Giddings, Joseph A., Jr. (1949)
Dannemiller, Edward M. (1939)	Ewell, Julian J. (1939)	(KIA)
Darrah, Stephen C. (1965)	Exton, Charles W. (1898)	Gilboux, John W. (1954)
Davall, Harold C. (1934)	Exton, Hugh M. (1935)	Gilchrist, Malcolm S. (1965)
Davenport, Robert J. (1943)	Faith, John C. (1947)	Ginsburgh, Robert N. (1944)
Davidson, Phillip B., Jr. (1939)	Fales, Clarke K. (1917)	Glassburn, Robert D. (1932) (POW-
Davies, John M., III (1942)	Farnsworth, Thomas H. (1943)	KIA)
Davis, Benjamin O., Jr. (1936)	Farrell, Francis W. (1920)	Gleason, William T. (1941)
Davis, Robert C. (1898)	Febiger, George L. (1914)	Goldtrap, John C. (1936) (POW-
Dawalt, Kenneth F. (1936)	Felber, Joseph G. (1927)	KIA)
Deagle, Edwin A., Jr. (1960)	Ferenbaugh, Claude B. (1919)	Goode, Paul R. (1917) (POW)
Denholm, Charles J. (1938)	Fernandez, Robert N. (1953)	Goodman, John F. (1916) (POW)
Denman, Dale, Jr. (1942)	Ferris, John W. (1933)	Goodpaster, Andrew J., Jr. (1939)
Denno, Bryce F. (1940)	Field, Fearn (1943) (KIA)	Gorder, Charles R. (1945)
Derouin, Frank D. (1943) (KIA)	Field, Michael F. (1960) (KIA)	Grace, Henry A. (1944)
DeRussy, John H. (1940)	Finnegan, Walter E. (1928)	Graham, Alexander (1932)
deShazo, Thomas E. (1926)	Fischer, Harvey H. (1932)	Gray, Stephen E. (1946)
Dewey, Lawrence R. (1924)	Fitch, Alva R. (1930) (POW)	Greeley, Horace J. (1937) (POW-
Dibble, John, Jr. (1940)	Fitts, William T., III (1950)	KIA)
Dickens, Randolph C. (1936)	Fitzpatrick, Thomas E. (1952)	Green, Martin L. (1937)
Doan, Leander L. (1927)	Fleming, Adrian S. (1895)	Greene, Lawrence V. (1941)
Dodson, Aubrey K. (1930)	Fletcher, Charles W. (1941)	Greenwalt, William J. (1943)
Dolighan, Thomas A. (1963)	Flint, Harry A. (1912) (KIA)	Greer, Fielder P. (1931)
Dolvin, Welborn G. (1939)	Foote, Thomas C. (1934)	Grier, James L. (1929) (KIA)
Donaldson, John W. (1944)	Forrester, John (1959)	Griffin, Marcus S. (1935)
Donovan, Stanley J. (1934)	Foss, John W. (1956)	Guiney, Patrick W. (1899)
Doody, John J. (1948)	Foster, Garrard (1942)	Gulick, John M. (1937) (POW)
Dorn, Frank (1923)	Fowler, Halstead C. (1920) (POW)	Gunderson, Raymond E. (1955)
Drake, Charles B. (1892)	Fox, Milo P. (1912)	Gurfein, Joseph I. (1941)
Dreisonstok, Thomas F. (1950)	Frear, Seth R. (1943)	Gutensohn, Alvin G. (1907)
Drudik, Robert L. (1957)	Free, Richard H. (1940)	Hadsell, George A., Jr. (1924) (KIA)
Duffy, John J. (1935)	Freeman, Paul L., Jr. (1929)	Haig, Alexander M., Jr. (1947)

- Hains, Peter C., III (1924)
Haldane, Robert (1947)
Hale, Harry C. (1883)
Hall, Linscott A. (1937)
Hamilton, Adna C. (1919)
Hammond, Lyman H., Jr. (1950)
Hanawald, Len M. (1957) (KIA)
Hannum, Warren T., Jr. (1938)
Hanson, James (1899)
Harding, Neil B. (1927)
Harris, Benjamin T. (1933)
Harris, Hugh P. (1931)
Harrison, William K., Jr. (1917)
Harrold, Thomas L. (1925)
Hart, Franklin A. (1954)
Harvey, Thomas H., Jr. (1958)
Hastings, Kester L. (1918)
Hatfield, Mills C. (1941)
Healy, Thomas F., Jr. (1954)
Heckemeyer, Benjamin W. (1935)
Heiberg, Elvin R., III (1953)
Heiman, David W. (1928)
Helmick, Eli A. (1888)
Hennessee, James F. (1965)
Hennessy, James T. (1940)
Henry, Guy V. (1861)
Henry, Guy V., Jr. (1898)
Herold, William L. (1935) (KIA)
Herrick, Curtis J. (1931)
Hewitt, Robert A. (1932)
Hightower, Louis V. (1931)
Hill, Emery F. (1966)
Hill, John G., Jr. (1946)
Hill, Robert J., Jr. (1939)
Hine, Henry C., Jr. (1920)
Hines, John L., Jr. (1927)
Hines, John L., Sr. (1891)
Hobbs, Leland S. (1915)
Hobson, Victor W., Jr. (1940)
Hodges, Courtney H. (1908)
Hogan, Samuel M. (1938)
Hoge, William M. (1916)
Hoisington, Perry M., II (1939)
Horner, Charles T., Jr. (1939)
Hoska, Lukas E., Jr. (1937)
Hotman, Clyde W., Jr. (1963)
Hovde, William J. (1943)
Howard, Charles E., Jr. (1931)
(POW)
Hoy, Charles E. (1931)
Hoyt, Lawrence V. (1948)
Hughes, John H. (1897)
Huglin, Harold Q. (1929)
- Hulse, Allen D. (1938)
Hunt, Ira A., Jr. (1945)
Hunt, Jesse B. (1915)
Hunt, Richard J. (1932)
Hutcheson, Grote (1884)
Hutcheson, Rufus D. (1954)
Hutchin, Claire E., Jr. (1938)
Hyzer, Peter C. (1937)
Irwin, Stafford L. (1915)
Ivan, Gabriel A. (1943)
Izenour, Frank M. (1938)
Jackson, Clay B. (1953)
Jacoby, Leslie E. (1919)
Jaggers, Joseph N., Jr. (1952)
Jagiello, Walter A. (1945)
Jamerson, George H. (1893)
Jansen, Joseph A. (1946)
Johnson, Arthur (1886)
Johnson, Davenport (1912)
Johnson, Earle A., Jr. (1943)
Johnson, John C. (1956)
Johnson, Leon W. (1926)
Johnson, Max S. (1927)
Johnson, Ronald D. (1909)
Johnson, Wilhelm P. (1928)
Johnston, William T. (1891)
Jones, George M. (1935)
Jones, George S., III (1945)
Jones, Lincoln G. (1951)
Jones, Perry T. (1941) (KIA)
Jordan, Linwood F. (1942)
Kastner, Alfred E. (1922)
Kaufman, Harold J. (1964) (KIA)
Kean, William B. (1919)
Keeley, John B. (1952)
Keith, John F. (1965)
Kelly, John E. (1936)
Kenly, William L. (1889)
Kennedy, John T. (1908)
Kern, William B. (1934)
Kernan, Francis J. (1881)
Kerr, James T. (1881)
Kerr, John B. (1870)
Kidder, James D. (1943)
Kiefer, Homer W. (1920)
Kiernan, Joseph M., Jr. (1948)
Kinnard, Harry W. (1939)
Kissner, August W. (1928)
Kleitz, Anthony F. (1933)
Knowlton, William A. (1943)
Koehler, John J., Jr. (1950)
Kress, John A. (1862)
Kurtz, Maurice K. (1919)
- Lahti, Edward H. (1938)
Lanham, Charles T. (1924)
Larkin, Richard X. (1952)
Larkin, Thomas B. (1915)
Lassiter, William (1872)
Lauman, Philip G., Jr. (1937)
(POW-KIA)
Lawton, John P. (1961)
Leahy, Osmund A. (1940)
Learman, Birdsey L. (1938)
Learnard, Henry G. (1890)
Lee, John C., Sr. (1909)
Leggett, William T., Jr. (1952)
Legler, Matthew L. (1939)
Lemnitzer, Lyman L. (1920)
Leonard, John W. (1915)
Lerette, Earle L. (1939)
Lewis, Evan E. (1907)
Lewis, William W., Jr. (1946)
Lilley, Leonard W. (1945)
Lipscomb, Andy A. (1938)
Little, Donald C. (1931)
Little, Selby F., Jr. (1947)
Locke, John L. (1941)
Long, Paul J. (1939)
Longino, Mercer P. (1941)
Lowder, Henry I. (1952)
Lucas, John P. (1911)
Lundberg, George B. (1943)
Lyman, Charles B. (1913)
Lynn, Clark (1903)
Lytle, Charles E. (1959)
MacCloskey, Manus (1898)
MacCloskey, Monro (1924)
Madden, Jim L. (1961)
Maertens, George K. (1943)
Maertens, Thomas B. (1945)
Magee, Mervyn M. (1931)
Magness, Thomas H., III (1961)
Mahoney, Paul H. (1922)
Maliszewski, George M. (1937)
Mallory, Glynn C., Jr. (1961)
Malone, Lawrence M. (1958) (KIA)
Malone, Paul B. (1894)
Malony, Harry J. (1912)
Mann, James D. (1877) (KIA)
Mann, William A. (1875)
March, Peyton C. (1888)
Marinero, Frank J. (1953)
Marlin, Raymond B. (1939)
Maroun, Autrey J. (1935)
Marshburn, Herbert E., Jr. (1949)
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Mather, Linwood B. (1950)	Millikin, John (1910)	Oswald, Paul F. (1936)
Maus, Marion P. (1874)	Millikin, John, Jr. (1941)	Ovenshine, Richard P. (1919)
McAdoo, Richard F. (1947)	Milner, James W. (1940)	Pachler, Francis T. (1931)
McAlexander, Ulysses G. (1887)	Milton, Theodore R., Sr. (1940)	Palmer, Bruce, Jr. (1936)
McAndrew, James W. (1888)	Mitchell, Clair B. (1935)	Palmer, Charles D. (1924)
McArthur, John C. (1894)	Mitchell, Herbert V. (1930)	Palmer, Robert C. (1963)
McAuliffe, Anthony C. (1919)	Mitchell, William B. (1965)	Palmer, Robert S. (1937) (POW)
McBride, Horace L. (1916)	Mitchell, William L. (1920)	Palmer, Williston B. (1919)
McCaffrey, William J. (1939)	Montgomery, Hampden E. (1928)	Paone, Joseph F. (1961)
McCann, Robert I. (1958)	(POW-KIA)	Parker, Paul B. (1916)
McCarthy, John M. (1957)	Moore, Bidwell (1940)	Paschall, Jim R. (1959)
McCarty, Charles F. (1946)	Moore, James E., Jr. (1954)	Patrick, Francis H. (1938)
McChristian, Joseph A. (1939)	Moore, Ned D. (1930)	Patton, George S. (1946)
McChrystal, Herbert J., Jr. (1945)	Moore, Roy E. (1932)	Pauley, John L., Jr. (1930)
McClelland, Charles B. (1929)	Moran, Clayton L. (1949)	Paulick, Michael (1940)
McClelland, William J. (1952)	Moran, Otis A. (1952)	Peale, James N., Jr. (1937)
McClernand, Edward J. (1870)	Morgan, George H. (1880)	Peck, Allen L. (1936) (POW)
McClure, Mark (1922)	Morris, William H., Jr. (1911)	Peck, Robert H. (1899)
McCord, Burton K. (1963) (KIA)	Morrison, John F. (1881)	Peek, Ernest D. (1901)
McCoy, Frank R. (1897)	Morton, Richard L. (1949)	Pence, Arthur W., Jr. (1946)
McDaniel, Edward H. (1926)	Mueller, Paul J. (1915)	Pendleton, Elmer D., Jr. (1951)
McDaniel, Robert L. (1945)	Muir, Charles H. (1885)	Perritt, Harvey H., Jr. (1952)
McDaniel, William T. (1941) (POW-KIA)	Mullins, Charles L., Jr. (1917)	Pershing, John J. (1886)
McDonald, John B. (1881)	Munson, Delbert E. (1940)	Peter, Edward C., II (1951)
McDonald, William E. (1937)	Murchison, John T., Jr. (1957)	Peters, Elmer B. (1949)
McDonough, Joseph C. (1945)	Murdoch, Francis J., Jr. (1935)	Petersen, Robert J. (1948)
McDowell, John M. (1909)	Murphy, John B. (1919)	Phillips, Richard W., Jr. (1953)
McFerren, Carl D. (1939)	Murphy, Maurice E., II (1968)	Pickett, George E. (1939)
McGinn, John J. (1956)	Murphy, Truman O. (1891)	Polk, James H. (1933)
McGovern, George W., Jr. (1957)	Murray, Charles R. (1932)	Polk, John F. (1937)
McGowan, Robert S. (1952)	Murray, Maxwell (1907)	Poore, Benjamin A. (1886)
McIver, George W. (1882)	Murray, Peter (1890)	Postlethwait, Edward M. (1937)
McKibbin, Hugh R., Jr. (1966) (KIA)	Naleid, Jerome F. (1946)	Prather, Charles G., IV (1956)
McMullen, Thomas H. (1951)	Neiger, John (1935) (POW-KIA)	Pratt, James M. (1942)
McQuade, Bernard W. (1932) (KIA)	Nelson, Gustin M. (1921)	Preston, Maurice A. (1937)
McQuarrie, Claude M. (1920)	Newcomer, David A. (1919) (POW-KIA)	Prince, Altus E. (1943) (POW)
McQuarrie, Claude M., Jr. (1945)	Newman, George E. (1943)	Pritchett, Harry H., Jr. (1943)
McRae, James H. (1886)	Newman, Oliver P. (1922)	Prothero, Michael B. (1964)
Meade, Everard K., Jr. (1943)	Niblo, Urban (1919)	Pugh, John R. (1932) (POW)
Mendenhall, John R. (1915) (KIA)	Noble, Arthur K. (1929) (POW-KIA)	Quinn, Roger A. (1959) (KIA)
Menoher, Pearson (1915)	Nolan, Dennis E. (1896)	Quinn, William W. (1933)
Meredith, David S., III (1950)	Norris, John A., Jr. (1938)	Raff, Edson D. (1933)
Merrill, Philip W. (1929)	Norris, Ned T. (1936)	Rager, Edward E. (1939)
Meszar, Frank (1940)	Norstad, Lauris (1930)	Read, Alvan C. (1898)
Meszar, Frank, III (1966) (KIA)	Nuttman, Louis M. (1895)	Reaves, Kelsie L. (1937)
Meyer, Edward C. (1951)	Oden, Delk M. (1937)	Reed, Robert D. (1950)
Meyer, John H. (1939)	Ogden, Lawrence J. (1949)	Reese, Thomas F. (1964)
Michaelis, John H. (1936)	O'Hara, James (1934)	Reeves, James H. (1892)
Mikkelsen, William H. (1932)	O'Meara, Andrew P. (1930)	Reeves, James H., Jr. (1937)
Miller, Clifford L., II (1939)	Ondrick, John G. (1932)	Rehm, Donald H. (1945)
Miller, Virgil R. (1924)	Ordway, Roderic E. (1958)	Rehm, George A. (1920)
Millett, George V., Jr. (1929) (POW)	Orth, Eugene C., Jr. (1935)	Rehm, Thomas A. (1952)
		Reidy, Richard F. (1931)

- Revie, Charles R. (1934)
 Reynolds, Royal, Jr. (1933)
 Reynolds, Stephen C. (1904)
 Rhodes, Charles D. (1899)
 Rich, Charles W. (1935)
 Richardson, John B. (1904)
 Riddell, Robert C., II (1968)
 Ridgway, Matthew B. (1917)
 Riek, Jeffry R. (1968) (KIA)
 Rigby, Joe W. (1962)
 Robertson, Walter M. (1912)
 Robinson, Roscoe, Jr. (1951)
 Roecker, Frederick C., Jr. (1942)
 Rogers, Gordon B. (1924)
 Roper, Harry M. (1923)
 Rosen, Melvin H. (1940) (POW)
 Rosen, Norman R. (1947)
 Ross, Tenney K. (1948) (KIA)
 Rowan, Andrew S. (1881)
 Rowe, James N. (1960) (POW)
 Rowny, Edward L. (1941)
 Russel, Edgar (1887)
 Ryan, John L., Jr. (1926)
 Ryan, Ward S. (1938)
 Ryder, Charles W. (1915)
 Safford, Robert H. (1936)
 Saint, Crosbie E. (1958)
 Saltzman, Charles M. (1896)
 Sample, William R. (1888)
 Samuel, Robert W. (1944)
 Sanders, Robert C. (1949)
 Sawyer, Bickford E., Jr. (1945)
 Schelter, Louis J., Jr. (1945)
 Schmidt, William R. (1913)
 Schroeder, Henry J., III (1969)
 Scott, Ernest D. (1898)
 Scott, Hugh L. (1876)
 Scott, Jean D. (1924)
 Scott, Robert L., Jr. (1932)
 Scudder, Irvine C. (1918) (POW)
 Sears, Hayden A. (1920)
 Seigle, John W. (1953)
 Seitz, John F. (1929)
 Sharp, Jere W. (1950)
 Sheridan, Stan R. (1951)
 Shoemaker, Raymond L., Jr. (1940)
 Shuler, William R. (1936)
 Sibert, Franklin C. (1912)
 Sibert, Franklin R. (1936)
 Simpson, William H. (1909)
 Singer, Raymond P. (1950)
 Sink, Robert F. (1927)
 Slack, Julius E. (1919)
 Slaughter, Willis R. (1917)
 Smith, Albert C. (1917)
 Smith, Aubrey D. (1930)
 Smith, Aubrey D. (1930)
 Smith, Charles R., Jr. (1950)
 Smith, Foster L. (1944)
 Smith, Richard H. (1932)
 Smith, Selwyn D. (1936)
 Smith, William YO. (1948)
 Smithers, Samuel W., Jr. (1950)
 Smythe, George W. (1924)
 Snow, William A. (1916)
 Snyder, Howard M., Jr. (1936)
 Snyder, William P. (1952)
 Solomon, Maddrey A. (1933)
 Spraker, Harry W., Jr. (1949) (KIA)
 St. Clair, Howard B. (1939)
 St. John, Adrian, II (1943)
 Stablein, Milford F. (1940) (KIA)
 Stalnaker, George W. (1941)
 Stann, Leon (1942)
 Stannard, John E. (1946)
 Starr, Edward M. (1919)
 Starry, Donn A. (1948)
 Steele, Howard M., Jr. (1951)
 Steinmetz, Rollin T., Jr. (1942)
 Sterling, Edmund K. (1901)
 Sternberg, Ben (1938)
 Stewart, George C. (1923)
 Stokes, John H., Jr. (1918)
 Streiff, Richard W. (1946)
 Stromberg, Woodrow W. (1937)
 Strother, Dean C. (1931)
 Sturgis, Samuel D., Jr. (1918)
 Suddath, Leroy N., Jr. (1956)
 Sullivan, John S., Jr. (1944)
 Summerall, Charles P., Jr. (1924)
 Summerall, Charles P., Sr. (1892)
 Sussmann, William A. (1938)
 Sutherland, Edwin M. (1919)
 Sweeney, Walter C., Jr. (1930)
 Sweeting, Harry W. (1933) (POW)
 Swenholt, Donald B. (1948)
 Swett, Trevor W., Jr. (1949)
 Swift, Ira P. (1918)
 Swing, Joseph M. (1915)
 Syme, Leander D. (1919)
 Szekely, Akos D. (1964) (KIA)
 Tanksley, Jephtha C. (1943)
 Taylor, Maxwell D. (1922)
 Taylor, Thomas H. (1960)
 Tebbetts, Harry H. (1896)
 Teich, Frederic C., Jr. (1938)
 Therrien, Francois X., Jr. (1950)
 Thomason, Joel F. (1939)
 Thompson, Jerald L. (1971)
 Throckmorton, John L. (1935)
 Tilson, George P. (1950)
 Tobin, Richard E. (1949)
 Todd, Henry D., Jr. (1890)
 Tolson, John J., III (1937)
 Travis, Robert F. (1928)
 Tredway, Robert N. (1958)
 Trudeau, Arthur G. (1924)
 Truesdell, Karl, Jr. (1933)
 Turnage, Benjamin O., Jr. (1936)
 Twaddell, James W., Jr. (1936)
 Uline, Willis (1890)
 Unger, James T. (1966)
 Urbach, Walter, Jr. (1956)
 Van Auken, Wendell G. (1943)
 Van Brunt, Rinaldo (1925)
 Van Fleet, James A. (1915)
 Vandenberg, Hoyt S. (1923)
 Vander Heide, Herbert J. (1929)
 Verbeck, William J. (1927)
 Vinson, Wilbur H., Jr. (1945)
 Wahl, George D. (1917)
 Waldeck, James J., Jr. (1956)
 Walker, John S., Jr. (1963)
 Walker, Kenzie W. (1893)
 Walker, Walton H. (1912)
 Wallace, George M., II (1945)
 Wallace, Neil M. (1933)
 Walsh, Birrell (1930) (MIA-KIA)
 Walsh, Louis A., Jr. (1934)
 Walson, Charles W. (1938)
 Waltz, Floyd R. (1914)
 Warren, Robert B. (1934)
 Warren, Shields, Jr. (1939)
 Watson, Edwin M. (1908)
 Watt, John (1939)
 Waugh, Richard R. (1936)
 Webb, Alfred N., Jr. (1964)
 Webb, George S., Jr. (1946)
 Wedemeyer, Albert D. (1946)
 Weems, George H. (1917)
 Wells, Briant H. (1894)
 Wells, John T., III (1944) (KIA)
 Welsh, William E. (1894)
 Welsh, William J., Jr. (1943)
 West, Eugene R. (1901)
 Wethe, Jay D. (1943)
 Wetherill, Roderick (1940)
 Wetzel, Allan R. (1961)
 Weyand, Alexander M. (1951)

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Wheeler, Lester L. (1935)	Winkel, Paul P., Jr. (1956)	Wright, John M., Jr. (1940) (POW)
Wheeler, Raymond A. (1911)	Winn, Frank L. (1886)	Wyman, Willard G. (1919)
White, James T., Jr. (1944)	Winton, Walter F., Jr. (1940)	Yamashita, Ted K. (1963)
Whitley, Franklin L. (1908)	Wohner, John H. (1940)	Yarborough, William P. (1936)
Whitman, Walter M. (1891)	Wood, James N. (1942)	Yeager, Frederick J. (1940) (POW)
Wickboldt, Walter C. (1939)	Wood, Jared I. (1917)	Yerks, Robert G. (1951)
Wiegand, Robert D. (1955)	Wood, Sterling A. (1917)	Young, Sidney H. (1917)
Wilbourn, Donald E. (1943)	Wood, William T. (1877)	Zimmerman, William M. (1942)
Williams, Walworth F. (1948)	Wood, Winthrop S. (1889)	Zook, William E. (1945)
Williams, Warren R., Jr. (1938)	Woods, Ralph N. (1929)	Zundel, Edwin A. (1915)
Williamson, Raymond E. (1917)	Woodward, William R. (1916)	Zwicker, Ralph W. (1927)
Wilson, Arthur H., Jr. (1937)	Woolnough, James B. (1904)	
Wilson, Ernest B. (1956)	Woolnough, James K. (1932)	
Wing, Franklin F., Jr. (1930)	Wooten, Sidney C. (1930)	

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Adams, Andrew J. (1931)	Bluemel, Clifford (1909) (POW)	Clark, Winston B., Jr. (1962)
Adams, James R. (1967) (KIA)	Boswell, James O. (1933)	Cleary, Thomas J., Jr. (1941)
Alger, John I. (1965)	Bowen, Frank S., Jr. (1926)	Cleland, Joseph P. (1925)
Ames, Godfrey R. (1937) (POW-KIA)	Bowen, Orloff L., Jr. (1940) (KIA)	Colacicco, Frank (1940)
Amick, Elliott W. (1938)	Bowen, Thomas W. (1948)	Cole, Caleb A. (1943)
Anderson, Millard O. (1943)	Bowman, Stephen L. (1968)	Cole, George R. (1937)
Applegate, Robert E. (1940)	Boyd, Richard K., Jr. (1960) (KIA)	Collins, Arthur S., Jr. (1938)
Arvin, Carl R. (1965) (KIA)	Bradley, Joseph S. (1919)	Condina, Ernest F. (1952)
Asensio, Manuel J., Jr. (1952)	Braucher, Ernest P. (1945)	Conger, William E., Jr. (1947)
Bacon, Robert L. (1917)	Brown, Charles E. (1934)	Connor, John P. (1937)
Bacon, Willis G. (1954)	Brown, William C. (1877)	Connor, William D. (1897)
Baer, Joseph A. (1900)	Bruner, George E. (1919)	Connor, William D. (1897)
Bagnal, Charles W. (1956)	Bryan, James E. (1965)	Costa, John J. (1949)
Bailey, Donald J. (1925)	Bryde, Walter J. (1935)	Cota, Norman D. (1917)
Barber, Henry A., III (1943)	Buckley, Harry A., Jr. (1948)	Coughlan, Joseph D. (1915)
Barlow, Ernest A. (1925)	Butler, Charles L. (1950) (KIA)	Cramer, Harry G. (1946)
Barnhardt, George C. (1892)	Byrne, John D. (1939)	Crary, William B. (1945) (KIA)
Barnum, Malvern H. (1886)	Cagwin, Leland G. (1940)	Crawford, Thomas M. (1939)
Barrett, Charles J. (1922)	Cantlay, George G. (1943)	Creighton, Neal (1953)
Barry, Thomas H. (1877)	Carlson, Gary W. (1967) (KIA)	Crow, James E. (1952)
Bart, Wayne L. (1942)	Carpenter, Richard C. (1929)	Crystal, Thomas L. (1934)
Bartholomees, James B. (1942)	Caruthers, Lawrence H., Jr. (1942)	Cullinane, Daniel B., Jr. (1943)
Bauman, William F. (1953)	Casserly, Thomas F., III (1950)	Cunningham, William A., III (1934)
Beeson, Thomas H. (1943) (POW)	Cavanaugh, Edward J. (1946) (KIA)	Curran, Robert F. (1936)
Bell, Raymond E. (1927)	Cavolick, Joseph D. (1966)	Curtis, James O., Jr. (1930)
Benedict, Calvert P. (1946)	Chabot, Joseph L. (1937) (POW)	Cushman, John H. (1944)
Bentson, Peter M. (1963) (KIA)	Chamberlain, Thomas C. (1940)	Cutolo, Edward P. (1954)
Bernard, Lyle W. (1933)	Chapman, George H., Jr. (1933)	Dahlen, Chester A. (1933)
Bernstein, David R. (2001) (KIA)	Chase, Charles H. (1933)	Daley, Edmund L. (1906)
Bess, Clarence R. (1939) (POW)	Chikalla, Gerald G. (1955)	Dallam, Samuel F. (1896)
Biddle, John (1881)	Christensen, Frank P. (1950) (KIA)	Daniels, Henry F. (1940)
Bissell, John T. (1917)	Christiansen, James G. (1918)	Danielson, Ole W. (1938)
Blades, Jon W., III (1966)	Clainos, Peter D. (1933)	Davidson, Garrison H. (1927)
Blazey, Frank E. (1946)	Clapp, Wadsworth P. (1941) (KIA)	Davis, John T. (1939) (KIA)
	Clark, Allen F., Jr. (1932)	Davis, Kermit L. (1934)

Davis, Lawton (1943) (KIA)
 Davis, Leroy C. (1928) (KIA)
 Davis, Milton F. (1890)
 Davis, William R. (1953)
 Davison, Michael S. (1939)
 Davisson, Henry L., Jr. (1953)
 Deane, John R., Jr. (1942)
 Dent, Frederick R. (1929)
 Devine, John M. (1917)
 Dickerson, Albert H. (1927)
 Dillard, Walter S. (1961)
 Dingeman, Robert E. (1945)
 Divers, Walter A. (1942)
 Dobson, John W. (1939) (POW)
 Doe, Jens A. (1914)
 Douglas, Robert H. (1933)
 Downing, Wayne A. (1962)
 Drake, Robert E. (1944)
 Drum, James H. (1937)
 Duncan, James W. (1937)
 Dunn, Thomas W. (1930)
 Dziuban, Thaddeus F. (1942) (KIA)
 Eckert, Richard E. (1963)
 Edson, Hallett D. (1934)
 Edwards, Jay T. (1954)
 Edwards, Norman B. (1935)
 Ekman, William E. (1938)
 Elegar, Augustus G. (1931)
 Ely, William J. (1933)
 Emery, Guy R. (1930)
 Ericson, William F., II (1968) (KIA)
 Evans, James B. (1929)
 Falck, William D. (1943)
 Farley, Clare F. (1943)
 Farnsworth, Louis D., Jr. (1935)
 Farrar, Benjamin R. (1919)
 Farrell, Thomas F., Jr. (1942) (KIA)
 Feir, Philip R. (1949)
 Fera, John A. (1966) (KIA)
 Ferrara, Matthew C. (2005) (KIA)
 Fields, Kenneth E. (1933)
 Finley, Charles R., Jr. (1943) (KIA)
 Fisher, Samuel H. (1924)
 Fitzgerald, Byron S. (1957)
 Flanagan, Luis J. (1942)
 Flynn, John R. (1944)
 Flynn, Thomas F., Jr. (1944)
 Ford, Wallace A. (1949) (MIA-KIA)
 Forrester, Eugene P. (1948)
 Fox, John E. (1950)
 Frazer, Ronald L. (1967) (KIA)
 Fredericks, Charles G. (1939)
 Fry, Michael D. (1966)

Fuellhart, Robert H., Jr. (1962)
 Fullerton, Avery S. (1949)
 Gallagher, Nathaniel A. (1950)
 Garton, George G. (1930)
 Gaston, Jesse (1903)
 Gavin, James M. (1929)
 Gee, Samuel E. (1933)
 Gent, Thomas J., Jr. (1935)
 Gerda, Joseph J. (1954)
 Gettys, Charles W. (1923)
 Gibbs, George W. (1930)
 Ginder, Philip D. (1927)
 Grady, Ronan C., Jr. (1943)
 Graham, John M. (1964) (KIA)
 Green, James L. (1928)
 Green, Martin L., Jr. (1964) (KIA)
 Greene, Michael J. (1941)
 Greene, Thomas P. (1950) (KIA)
 Griffin, Joseph T., Jr. (1950)
 Griffin, Thomas N. (1929)
 Griswold, Oscar W. (1910)
 Gross, William M. (1934)
 Gruenther, Richard L. (1946)
 Hackett, Jerome R. (1969)
 Hall, Dick E. (1943) (KIA)
 Hamilton, Edward S. (1939)
 Hamlett, Barksdale (1930)
 Hanson, Jack R. (1950)
 Hardaway, Thomas G. (1949) (KIA)
 Hartline, Franklin H. (1938)
 Hasbrouck, Robert W. (1917)
 Haskell, Joseph F. (1930)
 Hatch, Jay A. (1948)
 Hatch, John E., Jr. (1943)
 Hawes, Philip R. (1938)
 Hawkins, Hamilton S. (1894)
 Hawkins, Jesse M., Jr. (1933) (KIA)
 Hayes, James H. (1942)
 Hayes, Thomas J., IV (1966) (KIA)
 Heid, Henry P., Jr. (1940)
 Heintges, John A. (1936)
 Heiss, Gustave M. (1931)
 Hibbs, Louis E. (1916)
 Hillyard, Harry L. (1934)
 Hine, John A., Jr. (1943)
 Hines, Ronald D. (1961) (KIA)
 Hoffman, Hugh F. (1919)
 Hoffman, Robert J. (1917) (POW)
 Holbrook, Willard A., Jr. (1918)
 Holcomb, Leslie P., Jr. (1950)
 Holm, William N. (1940)
 Holt, Winfield A. (1952)
 Hoos, William A., Jr. (1962) (KIA)

Hottell, John A., III (1964) (KIA)
 Housemann, Evan M. (1928)
 Houston, Darrell G. (1960)
 Howe, Louis W. (1945) (KIA)
 Howze, Hamilton H. (1930)
 Howze, Robert L. (1888)
 Hozier, George C. (1942) (POW)
 Hubbard, Harry J. (1934)
 Hughes, Oliver W. (1922)
 Hunt, Ora E. (1894)
 Hyman, Arthur S. (1944)
 Inskeep, John L. (1931)
 Irving, Frederick A. (1917)
 Jeffcoat, Marvin A., Jr. (1965)
 Jelinek, Howard C. (1952)
 Jenna, William W. (1917)
 Johnson, Chester L. (1937) (POW)
 Johnson, Sewall H. (1946)
 Johnson, Victor L., Jr. (1939)
 Jones, Warren A. (1955)
 Judd, Donald R. (1966) (KIA)
 Kane, Paul V. (1916)
 Keats, Robert G. (1965) (KIA)
 Keiser, Laurence B. (1917)
 Keller, James H. (1939)
 Kelley, Gerard W. (1925)
 Kendall, Paul W. (1918)
 Kenyon, Harry J., Jr. (1943) (KIA)
 Keuker, Christopher H. (1962)
 Keyes, Geoffrey (1913)
 Kilroy, Michael W. (1963) (KIA)
 Kimbrell, Gordon T. (1937)
 Kimbrell, Gordon T., Jr. (1966) (KIA)
 King, Edward L. (1896)
 Kistler, Bernard F. (1965) (KIA)
 Klocko, Richard P. (1937) (POW)
 Koehler, Elmer J. (1935) (KIA)
 Koster, Samuel W. (1942)
 Krause, Donald W. (1947)
 Krawciw, Nicholas S. (1959)
 Kromer, William A. (1941) (KIA)
 LaBreche, George J. (1940)
 Laflamme, Ernest H. (1937)
 Lamb, Robert J. (1946)
 Lambert, Arthur L. (1942)
 Lamberton, William H. (1924)
 Lampert, James B. (1936)
 Lang, Cornelis D. (1935)
 Langdon, Russell C. (1896)
 Lantz, Peter J. (1966) (KIA)
 LaPrade, James L. (1939) (KIA)
 Legere, Laurence J., Jr. (1940)

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Lehrfeld, Irving (1931)	Nawrosky, Michael R. (1964) (KIA)	Rogers, William L. (1934)
Lenz, Robert J. (1967)	Newcomb, Charles W. (1950)	Roller, Barry J. (1964)
Letonoff, Victor T. (1960)	Newman, Aubrey S. (1925)	Root, Paul C., Jr. (1941)
Lichirie, Cornelius A. (1931)	Norris, Jack K. (1939)	Rosen, Milton L. (1935)
Lindell, Keith G. (1943)	Northam, William F. (1934)	Ruff, Clarence G. (1952)
Lindquist, Roy E. (1930)	Norton, John (1941)	Russell, Dan C. (1937)
Loewus, James D. (1940)	Nourse, Robert H. (1955)	Russell, Joseph G. (1935)
Lowrey, Mark P. (1960)	O'Connor, George G. (1938)	Russell, Robert L. (1955)
Lucas, Andre C. (1954) (KIA)	O'Connor, Mortimer L. (1953) (KIA)	Ruyffelaere, Raymond F. (1943)
Luper, James R. (1938) (POW)	O'Connor, Richard E. (1926) (KIA)	Ryan, William O. (1914)
Lynch, Richard T. (1958) (KIA)	Odell, Fenton M. (1949) (KIA)	Ryder, Charles W., Jr. (1942)
MacDonald, Stuart C. (1915) (POW)	Oglesby, Charles E. (1940)	Ryneska, John J. (1968)
Mackmull, Jack V. (1950)	Ohman, Nils O. (1937)	Sawyer, Kenneth T. (1943)
Maddux, David T. (1968) (KIA)	Oliver, Lunsford E. (1913)	Scharpf, Francis R. (1962)
Mahoney, William J. (1931)	Olson, Hardin L., Sr. (1933)	Schenck, Harry W. (1933) (POW- KIA)
Mangum, Wiley M., Jr. (1950)	O'Reilly, John D. (1933)	Schless, William F. (1948)
Marks, Edwin H., Jr. (1942)	Paden, Jerome J. (1949) (KIA)	Schmidt, Joseph J., Jr. (1942)
Marshall, Alfred C., Jr. (1931) (KIA)	Parmly, Eleazar, IV (1946)	Schorr, David P., Jr. (1932)
Marshall, Robert C. (1943)	Parr, Michael G. (1967) (KIA)	Schroeder, Henry J. (1917)
Martin, Orville W. (1919)	Partain, Edward A. (1951)	Schwarzkopf, H. N. (1956)
Martling, John E. (1955)	Patch, Alexander M., III (1942) (KIA)	Scullen, Allan R. (1942)
Mastaglio, Edward F. (1950)	Patch, William A. (1948)	Serio, Robert F., Jr. (1964) (KIA)
Matejov, Stephen A. (1946)	Paules, Earl G. (1912)	Seymour, Roger G. (1960)
Mattina, John C. (1942)	Pearsall, James F., Jr. (1937)	Shinberger, John B. (1933)
Maxey, Robert J. (1898) (KIA)	Phelan, John J. (1936) (KIA)	Sibbles, Graham M. (1950)
McBride, Robert D. (1950)	Phillips, James H. (1919)	Simpson, Charles M., III (1946)
McCanna, Robert L. (1943)	Pierce, James R. (1922)	Skelton, Winfred G., Jr. (1950)
McCarrell, Raymond J. (1945) (KIA)	Pierce, James R., Jr. (1950) (KIA)	Sladen, Fred W., Jr. (1929)
McCray, James O. (1939) (KIA)	Pierce, Palmer E. (1891)	Slay, James R. (1950)
McEney, John W. (1948)	Ploger, Robert R. (1939)	Sloane, Charles C., Jr. (1926)
McGlachlin, Edward F., Jr. (1889)	Ports, Robert A. (1930)	Smith, Stanton T., Jr. (1940)
McInerney, James E., Jr. (1952)	Post, Everett O. (1945)	Smith, William F. (1962)
McInerney, Richard N. (1960) (KIA)	Powell, Edwin L., Jr. (1941)	Smither, Henry C. (1897)
McKee, John L., Jr. (1942) (KIA)	Powers, John L. (1937)	Snee, James W. (1934)
McKinley, William D. (1937)	Pratt, Woodrow W. (1943) (KIA)	Sneed, Albert L. (1908)
Meinzen, Walter E. (1948)	Price, John S. (1964)	Speiser, Robin G. (1933)
Mellnik, Stephen M. (1932) (POW)	Prince, Howard T., II (1962)	Spengler, Daniel S. (1932) (KIA)
Messinger, Edwin J. (1931)	Pumpelly, James W. (1931)	Spilman, Robert B. (1942)
Meyer, Charles R. (1937)	Purdue, Branner P. (1925)	Stanton, Raymund G. (1927)
Meyer, Henry J. (1919)	Ramsay, David L. (1964) (KIA)	Steinbeck, Paul W. (1929)
Mierau, Michael D. (1960)	Ray, William J. (1943)	Stella, Harry A. (1940)
Miley, John D. (1946)	Reach, William T. (1962) (KIA)	Sternburg, Harry J. (1948)
Miller, Claude H. (1897)	Reeder, Russell P., Jr. (1926)	Stilwell, Richard G. (1938)
Miller, George L. (1946) (KIA)	Rehkopf, George D. (1942)	Storck, Louis J. (1951) (KIA)
Miller, Raymond O. (1945)	Reinhart, Stanley E. (1916)	Strong, Gordon M. (1947) (KIA)
Miller, Richard A. (1953)	Rhiddlehoover, Loyd P., Jr. (1952)	Stull, Terry G. (1966)
Mills, John S. (1928)	Richardson, Robert C., Jr. (1904)	Stumpf, Robert H. (1937)
Moore, Bryant E. (1917)	Rippert, Jacob K. (1939)	Sundin, Alvar B. (1938)
Morin, Martin J. (1927)	Risden, Richard A. (1933)	Sundt, Harald S. (1932)
Morrill, Merwin L. (1958) (MIA-KIA)	Rising, Harry N., Jr. (1941)	Surkamp, Arthur T. (1943)
Mucci, Henry A. (1936)	Roberts, Francis J. (1942)	Swanton, Donovan (1917) (POW)
Mullen, William J., Jr. (1934)	Rogers, Bernard W. (1943)	Sweany, Kenneth S. (1923)

Taber, Morris F. (1938) (KIA)	Ulsaker, Carl C. (1942)	Wilbur, William H. (1912)
Tallman, Richard J. (1949)	Underhill, George R. (1952)	Wilcox, William H. (1955)
Tank, Charles F. (1934)	Van Vliet, John H., Jr. (1937)	Wilcox, William W. (1940)
Taylor, Arthur E., Jr. (1952)	(POW)	Williams, Donald G. (1938)
Teberg, David T. (1954)	Vehlow, Charles A. (1968)	Williamson, John (1935)
Teeters, Bernard G. (1939)	Walker, Ralph B., II (1963) (KIA)	Winans, Edwin B. (1891)
Terry, Frederick G. (1930)	Walker, Sam S. (1946)	Winn, John S. (1888)
Terry, Frederick G. (1960)	Walton, Frank G. (1955)	Winn, Walter S., Jr. (1919)
Thayer, Basil G. (1920)	Warner, Volney F. (1950)	Wirt, Charles A. (1943)
Thomas, Robert J. (1953)	Watson, Leroy H. (1915)	Wood, Harry T. (1917)
Thompson, Richard W. (1966) (KIA)	Watson, Numa A. (1922)	Wood, John S. (1912)
Timothy, James S. (1942)	Wayne, Robert E. (1946)	Wood, Robert M. (1943)
Toth, Alfred L. (1943)	Wear, George E. (1944)	Works, Robert C. (1938)
Train, William F., Jr. (1931)	Welborn, John C. (1932)	Wright, Edgar, Jr. (1929)
Trapnell, Thomas J. (1927) (POW)	West, Arvid E., Jr. (1956)	Wuertenberger, Charles E. (1965)
Travis, William B. (1937)	Westpheling, Charles T. (1961)	(KIA)
Tronsrue, George M., Jr. (1952)	Weyand, Alexander M. (1916)	Yacker, Everett J. (1949)
Truman, Louis W. (1932)	Weyrauch, Paul R. (1930)	Yale, Wesley W. (1922)
Turner, Howard M. (1924)	Wheelock, John G., II (1943)	Yates, Jules D. (1940) (POW)
Tuttle, Paul V., Jr. (1939)	White, Lawrence K. (1933)	Yeuell, Donovan P., Jr. (1940)
Tyree, Thomas B. (1948)	Whitelaw, John L. (1919)	York, Robert H. (1938)
Ufner, John (1950)	Whitten, Rudolph G. (1914)	Zecher, Sidney (1943)

RECIPIENTS BURIED THE U.S. AIR FORCE ACADEMY CEMETERY (23):

Anderson, Samuel E. (1928)	Landon, Truman H. (1928)	Poirier, John T. (1955)
Bell, Kenneth H. (1954)	Learmonth, Allen F. (1947)	Ryan, John D. (1938)
Blanchard, William H. (1938)	Martin, Maurice L. (1943)	Samuel, John S. (1939)
Campbell, Daniel S. (1932)	McKillop, John H. (1958)	Thatcher, Herbert B. (1932)
Carlone, Robert A. (1952)	Nazzaro, Joseph J. (1936)	Townsend, James B., Jr. (1945)
Cassiday, Benjamin B., Jr. (1943)	Nelson, Daniel J. (1945)	Wildman, Winthrop W. (1945)
Craigie, Laurence C. (1923)	O'Donnell, Emmett, Jr. (1928)	Wilson, James W. (1939)
Fellows, Richard W. (1937)	Olds, Robin (1943)	

RECIPIENTS BURIED OR MEMORIALIZED AT A.B.M.C. CEMETERIES (87):

Belgium - A.B.M.C. Henri Chapelle

Castle, Frederick W. (1930) (KIA)
 Clemenson, Wendell L. (1943) (KIA)
 Cummins, Joseph M., Jr. (1934) (KIA)
 Gerald, John P. (1940) (KIA)
 Mansfield, Clayton J. (1928) (KIA)
 Smith, Edwin M. (1935) (KIA)
 Smith, George A., Jr. (1926) (KIA)
 Williams, Joseph E. (1933) (KIA)

Belgium - A.B.M.C. Ardennes

Bowman, Charles H. (1939) (MIA-KIA)
 Christian, Thomas J., Jr. (1939) (MIA-KIA)

England - A.B.M.C. Cambridge

Blatt, Richard A. (1933) (KIA)
 Tate, Joseph S., Jr. (1941) (MIA-KIA)

France - A.B.M.C. Normandy

Harwood, Jonathan H., Jr. (1941) (KIA)
 Little, Augustine P., Jr. (1937) (KIA)
 Mathews, John H. (1931) (KIA)
 McGinity, James E. (1940) (KIA)
 Scott, Stanley C. (1939) (KIA)
 Sheehy, John W. (1919) (KIA)
 Storck, Louis J. (1923) (KIA)
 Wilson, John N. (1935) (KIA)

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France - A.B.M.C. Epinal

Bonner, Marshall (1933) (MIA-KIA)
Martin, Thomas H., Jr. (1943) (KIA)
Searby, Edmund W. (1918) (KIA)

France - A.B.M.C. Lorraine

Mattfeldt, John P. (1943) (KIA)
Maybach, Alfred A. (1937) (KIA)
Pitman, James H. (1940) (KIA)
Richardson, Jack J. (1935) (KIA)

France - A.B.M.C. Brittany

Griffith, Welborn B., Jr. (1925) (KIA)
Roberts, Thomas A., Jr. (1920) (KIA)

France - A.B.M.C. St. Mihiel

Weissheimer, John W. (1914) (KIA)

Holland - A.B.M.C. Netherlands

Chatfield, Keith G. (1942) (KIA)
Featherston, John H., Jr. (1943) (KIA)
Horan, Philip E., Jr. (1942) (KIA)
Huling, John W. (1944) (KIA)
Jones, David E. (1932) (KIA)
Simpson, Frederick J. (1930) (KIA)
Ward, Joseph H. (1941) (KIA)

Italy - A.B.M.C. Florence

Ohme, Herman W. (1930) (KIA)

Italy - A.B.M.C. Sicily-Rome

Frederick, Charles E. (1931) (KIA)
Moseley, Eugene L. (1929) (KIA)
Weber, Edward E. (1934) (KIA)
Wells, Rush S., Jr. (1940) (KIA)

Luxembourg - A.B.M.C. Luxembourg

Patton, George S., Jr. (1909)

Philippine Islands - A.B.M.C. Manila

Barbour, Samuel L., Jr. (1938) (POW-KIA)
Barker, Joseph R., II (1938) (POW-MIA)
Barker, Robert A. (1938) (POW-MIA)

Breitung, Howard E. (1923) (POW-KIA)
Cleary, Joseph A. (1934) (MIA-KIA)
Cummings, Robert L. (1941) (KIA)
Dalton, James L., II (1933) (KIA)
Dienelt, James H. (1941) (MIA-KIA)
Dunmyer, William J. (1937) (POW-KIA)
Granberry, Hal C. (1923) (POW-MIA)
Gregory, Roy D. (1933) (POW-MIA)
Haggerty, Robert F. (1930) (POW-KIA)
Hill, Richard F. (1937) (POW-KIA)
Holmes, James R. (1938) (POW-KIA)
Jones, Paul M. (1935) (POW-KIA)
Kalakuka, Theodore (1927) (POW-KIA)
Kappes, George (1938) (POW-KIA)
Ketchum, Hubert W. (1925) (KIA)
Latimer, William J., Jr. (1929) (POW-KIA)
Lehr, Philip H. (1939) (POW-KIA)
Lewis, Eugene T. (1928) (POW-KIA)
Lewis, John L. (1925) (POW-KIA)
Lothrop, Robert B. (1930) (POW-KIA)
Mitchell, Floyd A. (1924) (POW-KIA)
Pace, Herbert E., Jr. (1940) (KIA)
Polla, Hector J. (1941) (POW-MIA)
Prichard, Lawrence F. (1936) (POW-KIA)
Robinson, William L. (1937) (POW-MIA)
Ross, Leslie G. (1928) (POW-KIA)
Rumbough, James E. (1943) (KIA)
Saint, Frederick G. (1931) (POW-KIA)
Schimmelpfennig, Irvin R. (1930) (KIA)
Toth, Jerry G. (1940) (MIA-KIA)
Truxtun, Thomas (1937) (KIA)
Vesey, Robert H. (1918) (POW-MIA)
Wald, Walter I. (1940) (POW-MIA)
Webb, Clyde H., Jr. (1940) (MIA-KIA)
Wheeler, Patrick W. (1943) (KIA)
White, Charles E. (1939) (POW-MIA)
Williams, Robert L. (1940) (MIA-KIA)
Wynkoop, Hueston R. (1937) (POW-MIA)

Tunisia - A.B.M.C. North Africa

Johnson, Carter B. (1940) (KIA)
Jones, William C. (1939) (MIA-KIA)
Peter, Howard L. (1940) (MIA-KIA)

RECIPIENTS BURIED OR MEMORIALIZED AT THE NATIONAL MEMORIAL CEMETERY OF THE PACIFIC - HONOLULU, HAWAII (26):

Doleman, Edgar C. (1933)
 Hall, Thomas B. (1933) (MIA-KIA)
 Harris, Hunter, Jr. (1932)
 Hutchison, Charles R. (1927)
 Jacoby, Ellsworth R. (1939)
 Landrum, James E., Jr. (1936)
 Lardin, Harry E. (1934)
 McNair, Douglas C. (1928) (KIA)
 Silverthorne, Carl D. (1923) (KIA)
 Treacy, Edgar J., Jr. (1935) (POW-MIA)
 Warren, Miller P., Jr. (1933) (POW-KIA)
 Alfonso, Albert F. (1948)
 Bruckner, John A., IV (1945) (KIA)

Cummings, Thompson (1952) (MIA-KIA)
 Forney, Frank H. (1929) (MIA-KIA)
 Inman, Richard G. (1952) (MIA-KIA)
 MacLean, Allan D. (1930) (MIA-KIA)
 Austin, Joseph C. (1952) (MIA-KIA)
 Baisley, William D. (1946)
 Elson, Peter M. (1964)
 Good, Kenneth N. (1952) (KIA)
 Hynds, Wallace G., Jr. (1945) (MIA-KIA)
 Memminger, Charles G. (1946)
 Peters, David M. (1946)
 Seneff, George P., Jr. (1941)
 Stewart, Robert A. (1956) (MIA-KIA)

RECIPIENTS BURIED IN NATIONAL CEMETERIES (88):

ALABAMA

Fort Mitchell - *Fort Mitchell National Cemetery*

Getz, Charles E. (1959)

Montevallo - *Alabama National Cemetery*

Haas, William E. (1955)

ALASKA

Fort Richardson - *Fort Richardson National Cemetery*

Coghill, William F. (1947)

ARKANSAS

Fort Smith - *Fort Smith National Cemetery*

Darby, William O. (1933) (KIA)

Little Rock - *Little Rock National Cemetery*

Pickett, George E., IV (1944)

CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles - *Los Angeles National Cemetery*

Lundquist, Carl E. (1927)

Murray, William S. (1918)

Riverside - *Riverside National Cemetery*

Higgins, Gerald J. (1934)

Martz, William V. (1935) (POW)

McKee, Richard G. (1918)

Mesereau, Thomas A. (1943)

Miller, Robert B. (1939)

Necrason, Conrad F. (1936)

Nolan, Daniel A., Jr. (1939)

Porte, William L. (1940)

Robinson, Warren A. (1923)

Terrell, Frederick R. (1936)

San Bruno - *Golden Gate National Cemetery*

Ball, William H. (1933) (POW-KIA)

Beach, John B. (1943) (POW)

Berry, Edward S. (1930)

Davis, Lee D. (1909)

Dodds, William A. (1937)

Dodds, William H., Jr. (1905)

Haugen, Orin D. (1930) (KIA)

Hutton, Carl I. (1930)

Kielty, Joseph A. (1924)

Post, Elwyn D. (1923)

Renfro, Curtis D. (1925)

Ridings, Eugene W. (1923)

Rogers, Thomas D. (1934)

Sewall, Alexander R. (1926)

Smalley, Howard N. (1937)

Tincher, Maxwell A. (1937)

San Diego - *Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery*

Abbott, John E., Jr. (1943) (KIA)

Curtis, Raymond W. (1927)

Donnelly, Howard (1915)

Dusenbury, Ralph W. (1907)

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Fern, Albert J., Jr. (1950)
Fiske, Harold B. (1897)
Geary, Edward M. (1939)
Glassford, Pelham D. (1904)
Mudge, Verne D. (1920)
Norvell, John W. (1940)
Peck, Walter R. (1918)
Pickering, James N. (1896)
Rutherford, Ray C. (1916)
Schroeder, Arnold L. (1932)
Stockton, Thomas W. (1949)
Summers, Julius B., Jr. (1940)

San Diego - Miramar National Cemetery

Broughton, Jacksel M. (1945)

San Francisco - San Francisco National Cemetery

Adams, James YE. (1935)
Bash, Louis H. (1895)
Bowen, John W. (1932)
Childs, Jefferson D. (1932)
Crombez, Marcel G. (1925)
Dwyre, Douglas G. (1929)
Farnsworth, Charles S. (1887)
Frederick, Robert T. (1928)
Gillis, Thomas D. (1935)
Gilmer, Dan (1932)
Harrell, Ben (1933)
Harris, Albert E. (1930)
Heraty, Francis J. (1917)
Howze, Robert L., Jr. (1925)
Hunter, Francis R. (1909)
Jackson, William P. (1891)
Kessler, Alfred A., Jr. (1922)
Leitch, Joseph D. (1889)
Mallory, John S. (1917)
McGarr, Lionel C. (1928)
McGregor, George W. (1927)
Mergens, George C. (1923)
Morrissey, William J. (1912)
Nidever, David F. (1958)
Parker, John H. (1892)
Quesenberry, Marshall H. (1915) (POW)
Rau, Charles G. (1929)
Richardson, James L., Jr. (1930)
Roberts, Elvy B. (1943)
Sebree, Edmund B. (1919)
Skeldon, James H. (1937)
Sliney, George W. (1913)
Stephens, Richard W. (1924)

Sweezey, Claude B. (1892)
Swift, Eben F. (1940)
Theimer, John E. (1929)
Varnum, Charles A. (1872)
Weaver, James R. (1911) (POW)

COLORADO

Colorado Springs - Pikes Peak National Cemetery

O'Grady, George L., Jr. (1957)
Day, Frank L. (1956)
Stanley, Paul D. (1963)

Denver - Fort Logan National Cemetery

Barry, Raymond N. (1950)
Carlson, Adolf (1969)
Childs, George W. (1936)
Cummings, Kenneth T. (1968)
Dickerson, Charles F., Jr. (1950)
Gilbert, Harold N., Jr. (1943)
Hardin, Donald C. (1919)
Harris, William W. (1930)
Linton, William M. (1941)
McIntyre, George W. (1941)
Negaard, Carman D. (1957)
Ordway, Godwin, III (1955)
Perry, William O., Jr. (1945)
Rhoads, Edwin M. (1943)

FLORIDA

Bay Pines - Bay Pines National Cemetery

Burkhardt, Ellwood W. (1950)
Gerhart, George H. (1934)
Griffiths, William R. (1961)
Robinson, Oval H. (1940)

Bushnell - Florida National Cemetery

Baumer, Donald H. (1940)
Dielens, August J., Jr. (1950)
Pheiff, Robert F. (1955)
Sullivan, Milton D. (1952)

Jacksonville - Jacksonville National Cemetery

Joseph, Edwin M. (1946)

Mims - Cape Canaveral National Cemetery

Long, Homer S., Jr. (1949)

Pensacola - Barrancas National Cemetery

Franklin, Joseph R. (1950)
King, Riley S. (1941)

Sarasota - Sarasota National Cemetery

Steinberg, William A. (1950)

GEORGIA**Canton - Georgia National Cemetery**

Parker, John R. (1956)

Vollmer, John P. (1949)

Marietta - Marietta National Cemetery

Riggs, Kerr T. (1901)

Thorpe, George W. (1943)

Truxes, Arthur H., Jr. (1945) (KIA)

ILLINOIS**Fort Sheridan - Fort Sheridan National Cemetery**

Arnold, William H. (1924)

Tack, Willis J. (1914)

KANSAS**Fort Leavenworth - Fort Leavenworth National Cemetery**

Barth, George B. (1918)

Beach, William D. (1879)

Chapman, Herschel E. (1950)

Hanna, Mark J. (1950)

Tansey, Patrick H., Jr. (1941)

Weed, Mahlon G. (1952)

Fort Scott - Fort Scott National Cemetery

Woodbridge, John P. (1926) (POW-MIA)

MINNESOTA**Minneapolis - Fort Snelling National Cemetery**

Fried, David E. (1959)

Graham, James W. (1941)

Keeley, Harry J. (1911)

Krutz, Robert D. (1956)

Wilson, Wesley C. (1929)

MISSISSIPPI**Biloxi - Biloxi National Cemetery**

Buck, George T., Jr. (1942)

MISSOURI**Lemay - Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery**

Byers, Andrew D. (2008) (KIA)

Hilgard, Carter D. (1935) (KIA)

Shiley, Earle M. (1938) (POW-KIA)

Sloan, George B. (1937)

NEW MEXICO**Fort Bayard - Fort Bayard National Cemetery**

Garretson, Ralph B., Jr. (1961)

Santa Fe - Santa Fe National Cemetery

Brown, Burton R. (1938) (POW)

Corlett, Charles H. (1913)

Coughlin, John G. (1932)

Looney, Jack R. (1939)

Rhoades, John F. (1935)

NEW YORK**East Farmingdale - Long Island National Cemetery**

Ramee, Eric P. (1935)

NORTH CAROLINA**Salisbury - Salisbury National Cemetery**

McConnell, Edward T. (1939)

OKLAHOMA**Elgin - Fort Sill National Cemetery**

Bullock, Victor T. (1956)

Fort Gibson - Fort Gibson National Cemetery

Kirkpatrick, Graham (1925)

Moroney, William J. (1919)

OREGON**Portland - Willamette National Cemetery**

Gates, Robert E., Jr. (1965)

PENNSYLVANIA**Annvile - Indiantown Gap National Cemetery**

Adams, Jonathan E., Jr. (1941)

Greene, James F., Jr. (1943)

Wagonhurst, Arland H. (1945)

SOUTH CAROLINA**Beaufort - Beaufort National Cemetery**

Collins, Kenneth W. (1939)

Connor, William M. (1936)

Dunn, Robert H. (1952)

Finn, John M. (1938)

Fitzpatrick, Francis C. (1941)

Higgins, Walter M., Jr. (1939)

Hoy, Charles J. (1935)

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Linnell, Frank H. (1941)
Seaman, Jonathan O. (1934)
Smith, Edward P. (1939)
Standish, Frederick D., II (1942)
Surles, Alexander D., Jr. (1937)
Taylor, James, Jr. (1938)
Tucker, Reuben H. (1935)

Columbia - *Fort Jackson National Cemetery*
Danielsen, Theodore S. (1960)

SOUTH DAKOTA

Rapid City - *Black Hills National Cemetery*
Wallace, Josiah A., Jr. (1946)

TENNESSEE

Chattanooga - *Chattanooga National Cemetery*
DeBrocke, William P. (1943)

TEXAS

Dallas - *Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery*
Clements, Robert M. (1963)
Jackson, George D. (1945)
Munford, Charles A. (1947)

El Paso - *Fort Bliss National Cemetery*

Allen, Terry D. (1911)
Blake, Charles J., Jr. (1938)
Dugan, Augustine D. (1924)
Fischer, Robert C. (1957)
Herman, Dean A. (1931)
Hewitt, Leland H. (1918)
Johnson, Harry W. (1926)
Marslender, William H. (1949)
Massello, William, Jr. (1932) (POW)
Millener, George A., Jr. (1949)
Miller, Austin A. (1933)
Nickerson, John C., Jr. (1938)
Panke, Robert E. (1941)
Patton, David W. (1955)
Power, George W. (1932)
Roberts, Ernst E. (1949)

Houston - *Houston National Cemetery*
Adams, John C. (1924)

San Antonio - *Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery*
Adair, Don W. (1946)
Alexander, Irvin (1919) (POW)
Almquist, Peter W. (1944)

Artman, George (1938)
Ball, Clinton F. (1941)
Barrett, John C., Jr. (1946)
Bass, George C. (1969) (KIA)
Blaha, Elmer C. (1937)
Blake, Gordon A. (1931)
Blanchard, Robert M., Jr. (1933)
Boles, John K., Jr. (1939)
Brant, Philip D. (1937)
Brousseau, Andre R. (1940)
Browne, Charles J. (1937) (POW-MIA)
Brown, Ralph P. (1963)
Brown, Thomas W. (1943)
Burdett, Allen M., Jr. (1943)
Campbell, Robert M. (1904)
Carpenter, John W., III (1939)
Carr, Warner W. (1916)
Chandler, Rex E. (1923)
Cherry, Henry T., Jr. (1935)
Clarke, Christian H., Jr. (1930)
Collier, John H. (1919)
Combs, Cecil E. (1936)
Cooper, Ralph C. (1929)
Davis, Bennie L. (1950)
Davis, Thomas W., III (1939) (POW)
Dayton, Thomas E. (1957)
Duquemin, Gordon J. (1947)
Fellenz, Walter J. (1940)
Gard, Robert G. (1919)
Gibson, Edward S. (1922)
Gill, Isaac, Jr. (1914)
Graham, Ephriam F., Jr. (1937)
Gray, Marshall R. (1937)
Growdon, John S. (1935)
Hall, Charles P. (1911)
Harris, William A. (1933)
Hattan, Roy E. (1929)
Heard, Falkner (1913)
Hinds, John H. (1918)
Hinds, Sidney R. (1920)
Hodes, Henry I. (1920)
Hodes, John T. (1949)
Horan, Robert M. (1945) (KIA)
Hutchings, Henry, Jr. (1917)
Ives, Washington M., Jr. (1924)
Joseph, Robert E., Jr. (1955)
Kellam, Frederick C. (1936) (KIA)
Knapp, James B. (1939)

Langdon, Wendell H. (1930)
 Larter, Harry C., Jr. (1925)
 Lewis, Thomas E. (1922)
 Liebel, Willard K. (1924)
 MacKinnon, Robert N. (1945)
 March, Francis A. (1918)
 Mastoris, William, Jr. (1950)
 McGee, George A., Jr. (1937)
 McGee, John H. (1931) (POW)
 McNair, William S. (1890)
 Meloy, Guy S., III (1953)
 Merrill, John N., Jr. (1906)
 Milam, James T. (1944) (KIA)
 Mildren, Frank T. (1939)
 Morgan, John M. (1893)
 Mundy, George W. (1928)
 Murphy, John R. (1942)
 Murray, John T. (1917)
 Neilson, Henry (1934)
 Old, William D., II (1954)
 Pearson, James P., Jr. (1933)
 Pendergrast, James R. (1942)
 Peploe, George B. (1925)
 Peters, Ernest C. (1931)
 Poinier, Norman E. (1929)
 Powell, Beverley E. (1936)
 Rattan, Donald V. (1945)
 Reilly, William R. (1939)
 Rogers, Robert J. (1939)
 Ruhlen, George (1935)
 Russ, Joseph R. (1935)

Sachers, Henry S. (1950)
 Schmid, Edwin P. (1939)
 Slavens, Thomas H. (1887)
 Smith, Lowell B. (1943)
 Stadler, John H., Jr. (1924)
 Stewart, Donald B. (1940) (POW)
 Stillman, Robert M. (1935) (POW)
 Swift, Innis P. (1904)
 Tully, Joseph M. (1916)
 Tully, Robert B. (1946)
 Turner, Vernon R. (1943) (POW)
 Vincent, Clinton D. (1936)
 Walk, Gary J. (1964)
 Whitson, Robert K. (1916)
 Williams, Gerald E. (1931)
 Williams, Urquhart P. (1934)
 Woodruff, Roscoe B. (1915)
San Antonio - San Antonio National Cemetery
 Leary, Edmund M. (1892)

VIRGINIA

Hampton - Hampton National Cemetery
 Tucker, Robert E. (1935)

WASHINGTON

Kent - Tahoma National Cemetery
 Bender, John A. (1949)
 Gideon, Robert R., Jr. (1939)
 Thurston, Benjamin E. (1926)

RECIPIENTS BURIED IN CEMETERIES AROUND THE UNITED STATES (539):

ALABAMA

Anniston - Forestlawn Gardens and Mausoleum: Foster, Robert T. (1918)
Auburn - Auburn Memorial Park Cemetery: Waterman, John J. (1910)
Auburn - Pine Hill Cemetery: Pick, Lewis A., Jr. (1950)
Auburn - Pine Hill Cemetery: Whelchel, Willis W. (1927)
Birmingham - Elmwood Cemetery: Bare, Walter E., Jr. (1935) (POW)
Birmingham - Elmwood Cemetery: Wray, Stanley T. (1932)
Cherokee County - Oak Grove Cemetery: Kingston, Joseph P. (1949)
Eufaula - Fairview Cemetery: Joerg, Wood G. (1937) (KIA)
Florence - Florence Cemetery: Calhoun, William R. (1933)
Huntsville - Maple Hill Cemetery: Spragins, Robert L. (1913)

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Mobile - *Magnolia Cemetery*: Mickle, Gerald S. (1919)
Mobile - *Magnolia Cemetery*: Vidmer, George (1894)
Mobile - *Pine Crest Cemetery*: Clarke, Logan (1929)
Montgomery - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Dessert, Kenneth O. (1941)
Montgomery - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Hughes, Aquilla B., Jr. (1940)
Montgomery - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Kirkpatrick, Leslie W. (1949) (KIA)
Montgomery - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Pickett, George B., Jr. (1941)
Prairieville - *Saint Andrews Episcopal Cemetery*: Collins, John W., III (1943) (POW)
Talladega - *Oak Hill Cemetery*: Larsen, Stanley R. (1939)
Tuscaloosa - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Ross, David M. (1918)
Tuskegee - *Tuskegee City Cemetery*: Hurt, Marshall H., Jr. (1930) (POW-KIA)

ARIZONA

Bisbee - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Davis, Leonard D. (1965) (KIA)
Maricopa County - *Chaparral Christian Church Memorial Garden*: Smith, Charles B. (1939)
Phoenix - *Greenwood Memory Lawn Cemetery*: Ruggles, John F. (1931)
Phoenix - *National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona*: Burroughs, William D. (1955) (POW)
Phoenix - *National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona*: Curtis, Coy L. (1937)
Sahuarita - *Green Valley Cemetery*: Hampton, Ephraim M. (1930)
Sierra Vista - *Fort Huachuca Cemetery*: Heath, Louis T. (1930)
Sierra Vista - *Fort Huachuca Cemetery*: Shaughnessey, Leo W. (1934)
Sierra Vista - *Fort Huachuca Cemetery*: Wilson, Jasper J. (1939)
Sun City - *Sunland Memorial Park*: Neilson, Alexander M. (1918)
Tucson - *East Lawn Palms Cemetery and Mortuary*: Porter, George W. (1943)

ARKANSAS

Conway - *Crestlawn Memorial Park*: Pickhardt, Paul A. (1924)
Dardanelle - *Bearley Cemetery*: Meek, Carroll S. (1949)
Fort Smith - *Rose Lawn Park Cemetery*: Bowen, Claude L., Jr. (1933)
North Little Rock - *Arkansas State Veterans Cemetery*: Cronkhite, Willis D., Jr. (1946)
Pine Bluff - *Bellwood Cemetery*: Seawell, William T. (1941)
Pine Bluff - *Graceland Cemetery*: Cone, John D. (1929)

CALIFORNIA

Altadena - *Mountain View Cemetery and Mausoleum*: Bradburn, Clarence E. (1913)
Altadena - *Mountain View Cemetery and Mausoleum*: Lange, Otto F. (1916)
Benicia - *Benicia City Cemetery*: Quandt, Douglass P. (1937)
Camarillo - *Conejos Mountain Memorial Park*: Regnier, Augustus J. (1924)
Colma - *Cypress Lawn Memorial Park*: Bristol, Matt C. (1939)
Colton - *Montecito Memorial Park*: Roberts, William L. (1913)
Dutch Flat - *Dutch Flat Cemetery*: Lynch, James R. (1944)
El Cerrito - *Sunset View Cemetery*: Malloy, John T. (1931)
Escondido - *Oak Hill Memorial Park*: Van Petten, Albert A. (1947)
Eureka - *Ocean View Cemetery*: Monroe, Thomas H. (1940)
Fresno - *Belmont Memorial Park*: Miller, Burton T., Jr. (1958)

Glendale - *Forest Lawn Memorial Park*: Howell, Reese M. (1915)
Glendale - *Forest Lawn Memorial Park*: Thompson, Thomas D., Jr. (1967) (KIA)
Glendale - *Forest Lawn Memorial Park*: Wyman, Charles L. (1907)
Inglewood - *Inglewood Park Cemetery*: Hayden, Gilbert (1922)
Kenwood - *Saint Patrick's Memorial Garden*: Amos, Arthur K. (1937)
Lafayette - *Oakmont Memorial Cemetery*: Sellers, Raymond W. (1933)
Lafayette - *Oakmont Memorial Park*: Kerr, Edwin B. (1945)
Lompoc - *Lompoc Evergreen Cemetery*: Baker, Russell A. (1924)
Long Beach - *All Souls Cemetery*: Kiley, Michael J. (1964) (KIA)
Mendocino - *Hillcrest Cemetery*: Jones, Jack J. (1943)
Oakland - *Mountain View Cemetery*: Heldman, James R. (1962)
Orange - *Holy Sepulcher Cemetery*: Shanley, Thomas J. (1939)
Palo Alto - *Alta Mesa Memorial Park*: Colladay, Edgar B., Jr. (1942)
Paso Robles - *Paso Robles District Cemetery*: Ham, Lewis H., Jr. (1954)
Prunedale - *Queen of Heavy Cemetery*: Candler, Harry W. (1931)
Quincy - *Quincy Cemetery*: Miller, Allen C., II (1936)
Riverside - *Riverside Cemetery*: Hurdis, Charles E. (1917)
Salinas - *Garden of Memories*: Scott, Loxley R. (1945)
San Diego - *Cypress View Mausoleum and Crematory*: Pitts, Younger A., Jr. (1943)
San Diego - *El Camino Memorial Park*: Murray, Edward H. (1943)
San Diego - *Good Samaritan Episcopal Church Memorial Garden*: Drake, Thomas D., II (1945)
San Mateo - *Skylawn Memorial Park*: Hickey, Sanford W. (1939)
San Mateo - *Skylawn Memorial Park*: Weaver, James R. (1936)
Santa Barbara - *Calvary Cemetery*: Fechet, D'Alary (1912)
Saratoga - *Madronia Cemetery*: Coolidge, Joseph B. (1931)
Saratoga - *Madronia Cemetery*: Kendree, Ulmont R., Jr. (1949)
Stockton - *Stockton Rural Cemetery*: Sanderson, Alfred L. (1950)
Visalia - *Visalia Public Cemetery*: Snelling, Walter H. (1944)
Westminster - *Westminster Memorial Park (Cremated - Cenotaph)*: Jackson, Charles R. (1919) (POW)

COLORADO

Colorado Springs - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Coats, Wendell J. (1940)
Colorado Springs - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Forrest, John F. (1949)
Colorado Springs - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Hennig, William H. (1928)
Colorado Springs - *Fairview Cemetery*: Hughes, David R. (1950)
Colorado Springs - *Memorial Gardens Cemetery and Mausoleum*: Moore, John G. (1924)
Denver - *Fairmont Cemetery*: Ryan, John E. (1949)
Denver - *Fairmount Cemetery*: Kolb, Herbert G. (1943)
Denver - *Fairmount Cemetery*: Ward, Orlando (1914)
Sedalia - *Bear Canon Cemetery*: Manhart, Ashton H. (1932)
Wheat Ridge - *Crown Hill Cemetery*: Cummings, Barnard, Jr. (1949) (MIA-KIA)

CONNECTICUT

Canton - *Calvary Cemetery*: Arnold, Archibald V. (1912)
Fairfield - *Oak Lawn Cemetery*: Daly, Michael J. (1945)
Fairfield - *Oak Lawn Cemetery*: Daly, Paul G. (1916)

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Fairfield - *Oak Lawn Cemetery*: Daly, Paul G. (1916)
Fairfield - *Oak Lawn Cemetery*: Jacobellis, Benedict R. (1948)
Milford - *Milford Cemetery*: Smith, Bradish J., II (1941)
New Hartford - *Town Hill Cemetery*: Jones, Frank W., Jr. (1943)
Putnam - *Grove Street Cemetery (Memorial)*: Godfray, Leonard C. (1936) (MIA-KIA)

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington - *Rock Creek Cemetery*: Meigs, Montgomery C. (1940) (KIA)
Washington - *Rock Creek Cemetery*: Nairn, William W., III (1947)

FLORIDA

Clearwater - *Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park*: Frederick, John D. (1919)
Clearwater - *Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park*: Thomas, Richard G., Jr. (1924)
Gainesville - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Mason, Lassiter A. (1933) (POW)
Gainesville - *Forest Meadows Memorial Park East*: Niles, John S. (1918)
Jacksonville - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Howell, Martin D. (1949)
Miami - *Miami Memorial Park Cemetery*: Mackenzie, Gabriel T. (1915)
Naples - *Trinity-By-The-Cove Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Guthrie, John S. (1930)
Niceville - *Heritage Gardens Cemetery*: Power, John O., Jr. (1943)
Orlando - *Chapel Hill Cemetery*: Donahue, James G. (1953)
Orlando - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Fassett, William M. (1897)
Palatka - *Oak Hill West Cemetery*: Jordan, Clarence E., Jr. (1946)
Palmetto - *Skyway Memorial Gardens*: Hunt, Henry J., Jr. (1920)
Rockledge - *Florida Memorial Gardens*: Drain, Jesse C., Jr. (1936)
Rockledge - *Florida Memorial Gardens*: Guilhaus, Howard H. (1963)
Royal Palm - *Our Lady Queen of Peace Cemetery*: Murphy, Kyran M., III (1945)
Saint Petersburg - *Royal Palm South Cemetery*: Fisher, Henry G. (1923)
St. Augustine - *Memorial Garden of Trinity Episcopal Church*: Blakeslee, James A. (1948)
Tallahassee - *Old City Cemetery*: Lowry, Dexter (1929)
Tallahassee - *Roselawn Cemetery*: Jenna, Russell W. (1934)
Tampa - *Myrtle Hill Memorial Park*: Adams, Paul D. (1928)
Winer Park - *Glen Haven Memorial Park and Mausoleum*: Ellery, Frederick W. (1932)
Winter Haven - *Lakeside Memorial Park*: Hays, John H. (1965) (KIA)
Winter Haven - *Lakeside Memorial Park*: Hood, Richard E., Jr. (1966) (KIA)

GEORGIA

Athens - *Oconee Hill Cemetery*: Mackert, John R. (1949)
Augusta - *Summerville Cemetery*: Hagler, Carter B. (1950) (MIA-KIA)
Augusta - *Westover Memorial Park*: Barton, Raymond O. (1912)
Carrollton - *Carroll Memory Gardens*: Beall, John A., Jr. (1935)
Clermont - *Trinity Cemetery*: Quillian, Amzi R. (1937) (KIA)
Columbus - *Linwood Cemetery*: Bowman, Donald C. (1957)
Columbus - *Park Hill Cemetery*: Howard, Claude M. (1934)
Columbus - *Park Hill Cemetery*: Mount, Charles M., Jr. (1939)
Columbus - *Riverside Cemetery*: Thayer, Allen (1928) (POW-KIA)

Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Caldwell, William B., III (1948)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Carley, John T. (1945)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Moore, Dennis M. (1924) (POW)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Rickard, Daniel S. (1953)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Thompson, James V. (1927)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Wetzel, Robert L. (1952)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Costello, Normando A. (1929)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Holton, Earl F. (1936)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Kotrc, James C. (1964) (KIA)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Kunzig, Henry B. (1930)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Lynch, George E. (1929)
Fort Benning - *Fort Benning Main Post Cemetery*: Ross, Marion C. (1949)
Gainesville - *Alta Vista Cemetery*: McCrary, Thomas A. (1934)
Gainesville - *Alta Vista Cemetery*: Rew, Leland C., Jr. (1953)
La Fayette - *La Fayette City Cemetery*: Hillhouse, Charles H. (1939)
Lavonia - *Lavonia-Burgess City Cemetery*: Cornog, William W., Jr. (1924) (KIA)
Macon - *Rose Hill Cemetery*: Hayes, Thomas H. (1934)
McDonough - *McDonough Memorial Cemetery*: Duncan, George T. (1932)
Milledgeville - *Georgia Veterans Memorial Cemetery*: Finley, Joe W. (1946)
Milledgeville - *Georgia Veteran's Memorial Cemetery*: Greer, Thomas U. (1950)
Sandy Springs - *Arlington Memorial Park*: Callaway, John W. (1941)
Sandy Springs - *Arlington Memorial Park*: Gage, Philip S., Jr. (1936) (POW)
Sandy Springs - *Arlington Memorial Park*: Schellman, Robert H. (1939)
Sandy Springs - *Arlington Memorial Park*: Simonet, Kenneth A. (1952) (POW)
Savannah - *Bonaventure Cemetery*: Oliver, Francis M. (1936) (KIA)
Savannah - *Bonaventure Cemetery*: Eichorn, William N., II (1950)
Savannah - *Bonaventure Cemetery*: Kent, Richard S. (1962)
Savannah - *Hillcrest Memorial Cemetery*: Shearer, Irvine H. (1940)
Savannah - *St. Peter's Episcopal Church*: Arthur, David W. (1966)
St. Simons Island - *Christ Church Episcopal Cemetery*: Davis, Corbin J. (1946)
Tifton - *Oak Ridge Cemetery*: Britt, Henry C. (1932)
Tucker - *Floral Hills Memory Gardens*: McBride, Thomas E., Jr. (1950)

HAWAII

Honolulu - *Schofield Barracks Post Cemetery*: Elson, Peter M. (1964)
Kaneohe - *Hawaii State Veterans Cemetery*: Clarkin, Thomas R. (1935)
Kaneohe - *Hawaii State Veterans Cemetery*: Doughtie, Claude H., Jr. (1950)
Lihue - *Saint Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church*: Beck, Clarence E. (1938)

IDAHO

Boise - *Morris Hill Cemetery*: Holbrook, Lucius R. (1896)
Lewiston - *Normal Hill Cemetery*: Collins, Joseph E. (1946)

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ILLINOIS

Alton - *Oakwood Cemetery*: Childers, Stephen A. (1963) (KIA)
Bethalto - *Rose Lawn Memory Gardens*: Wood, Robert H. (1963)
DeKalb - *South Grove Cemetery*: Day, Stephen A. (1945)
Fort Sheridan - *Fort Sheridan Cemetery*: Richardson, Edwin W. (1937)
Geneva - *Oak Hill Cemetery*: Bartel, Thomas B. (1939)
Geneva - *Oak Hill Cemetery*: Trott, Clement A. (1899)
Marion - *Rose Hill Cemetery*: Wilson, Russell A. (1928) (MIA-KIA)
Marion - *Rose Hill Cemetery*: Zoller, Virgil L. (1938)
Peoria - *Parkview Cemetery*: Talbott, Coral M. (1938) (POW-KIA)
Peoria - *Springdale Cemetery and Mausoleum*: Golden, Joe E. (1932)
Pontiac - *South Side Cemetery*: Harris, Boyd M. (1966)
Springfield - *Oak Ridge Cemetery*: Colby, Ralph A. (1940) (KIA)
Springfield - *Oak Ridge Cemetery*: Poston, Edmund D. (1945) (KIA)
Villa Ridge - *Cairo City Cemetery*: Kerth, Monroe C. (1898)
Clay City - *Maple Grove Cemetery*: Luther, John J., Jr. (1943)

INDIANA

Indianapolis - *Crown Hill Cemetery*: Cooper, Roland E. (1951) (KIA)
Knightstown - *Glen Cove Cemetery*: Ham, Samuel V. (1892)
Porter County - *Ogden Dunes Community Church Memorial Garden*: Gerometta, Arthur L. (1949)

INDIANA

Union City - *Lisbon Cemetery*: Mangas, Cloyce L. (1950)
Bellevue - *Saint Joseph's Catholic Cemetery*: Menard, Noel A. (1937)
Clinton - *Springdale Cemetery*: Volckmann, Russell W. (1934)
Council Bluffs - *Walnut Hill Cemetery*: Everest, Frank F. (1928)
Fairfield - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Hackett, Wallace J. (1940)
Whiting - *Whiting Cemetery*: Langren, Donald R. (1950)

KANSAS

Fort Riley - *Fort Riley Post Cemetery*: Van Natta, Thomas F., Jr. (1903)
Hoisington - *Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Cemetery*: Susank, Firman E. (1943) (KIA)
Kingman - *Walnut Hill Cemetery*: Journey, Claude E. (1930)
Lansing - *Mount Muncie Cemetery*: Murphy, Joseph M. (1915)
Sharon Springs - *Sharon Springs Cemetery*: Lutz, Ward A. (1963)

KENTUCKY

Corbin - *Pine Hill Cemetery*: Corum, Dabney R. (1933)
Corbin - *Pine Hill Cemetery*: Murphy, William F. (1960)
Elizabethtown - *Elizabethtown City Cemetery*: Pritchard, James R. (1933)
Frankfort - *Frankfort Cemetery*: Woodyard, Thomas W., Jr. (1935)
Fulton - *Fairview Cemetery*: Ivey, Robert H. (1942)

Henderson - *Fernwood Cemetery*: Johnson, Thomas J. (1908)
Lexington - *The Lexington Cemetery*: Clay, Robert P. (1925)
Louisville - *Cave Hill Cemetery*: Boos, Francis H. (1928)
Louisville - *Cave Hill Cemetery*: Cureton, William H. (1916)
Louisville - *Cave Hill Cemetery*: Weaver, William G. (1912)
Midway - *Midway Cemetery*: Buster, William R. (1939)
Millersburg - *Millersburg Cemetery*: Leer, James B. (1936)
Owensboro - *Family Burial Plot*: Luckett, James S. (1930)
Owensboro - *Rosehill Elmwood Cemetery*: Millican, Raymond W. (1940)
Somerset - *Somerset City Cemetery*: Pickering, James A. (1916)
Winchester - *Winchester Cemetery*: Whitehead, Henry C. (1896)

LOUISIANA

Eunice - *Saint Paul Cemetery*: Smith, Frank M. (1958)
Haynesville - *Haynesville*: Kellum, William H. (1950) (POW-KIA)
Jennings - *Calvary Cemetery*: Robert, Wade H., Jr. (1943)
Madisonville - *Theodore Dendinger Jr. Memorial Gardens*: Koch, Robert J. (1947)
Opelousas - *Bellevue Memorial Park*: Dubuisson, James G. (1940)
Ruston - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Freudendorf, Chester M. (1940)
Ruston - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Shelley, James M. (1940)
Shreveport - *Forest Park East Cemetery*: Kennedy, John E., Jr. (1942)
West Monroe - *Kilpatrick's Serenity Gardens*: Balluff, James G. (1935)

MAINE

Bath - *Oak Grove Cemetery*: Huse, John E. (1939) (MIA-KIA)
Belfast - *Grove Cemetery*: Hazeltine, Charles B., Jr. (1940)
Kennebunk - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Packard, Harry B. (1930) (POW-KIA)
Northeast Harbor - *Forest Hill Cemetery*: Herkness, Lindsay C., Jr. (1939)
Portland - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Stevens, Burrowes G., Jr. (1943)

MARYLAND

Annapolis - *Saint Margaret's Church Cemetery*: Harris, Frederick M. (1920)
Crownsville - *Saint Stephen's Church Cemetery*: Rogers, Joseph B. (1946)
Denton - *Denton Cemetery*: Cook, Bailey C. (1936)
Frederick - *Mount Olivet Cemetery*: Hayward, Gregory J. (1964)
Perryman - *Saint George's Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Van Bibber, Edwin M. (1929)
Rockville - *Parklawn Memorial Park and Menorah Gardens*: Crockett, Edward P. (1950)
Silver Spring - *Saint Marks Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Conley, Edgar T. (1897)
Silver Spring - *Saint Mark's Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Conley, Edgar T., Jr. (1929)
Sparks - *Immanuel Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Waters, John K. (1931) (POW)
St. Michaels - *Christ Church Episcopal Cemetery*: Phelps, Joseph V. (1919)

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MASSACHUSETTS

Belmont - *Highland Meadows Cemetery*: Mahoney, Brian E. (1967)
Hamilton - *Hamilton Cemetery*: Williams, Clarence C. (1894)
Harvard - *Bellevue Cemetery*: Rogers, Delmer J. (1939)
Lee - *Saint Mary's Cemetery*: Reardon, James V. (1939)
Quincy - *Mount Wollaston Cemetery*: Toomey, Joseph D. (1949) (POW-MIA)
Springhill - *Hillcrest Park Cemetery*: Guion, James L. (1917)
Tewksbury - *Pine Hill Cemetery*: Elliott, John C. (1926)
West Dennis - *West Dennis Cemetery*: Pope, Phillip H. (1933)
Westfield - *Pine Hill Cemetery*: Van Deusen, Frederick F. (1953) (KIA)
Winthrop - *Winthrop Cemetery*: Booras, Peter D. (1955)

MICHIGAN

Battle Creek - *Oak Hill Cemetery*: Robinson, Robert W. (1950) (KIA)
Bay City - *Green Ridge Cemetery*: Majeske, LeRoy E. (1947) (KIA)
Berkley - *Roseland Park Cemetery*: Sherrard, Robert G., Jr. (1935)
Constantine - *Constantine Township Cemetery*: Bandholtz, Harry H. (1890)
Flat Rock - *Michigan Memorial Park*: Beauchamp, Charles E. (1930)
Fremont - *Maple Grove Cemetery*: Darling, John E., Jr. (1968) (KIA)
Lima Center - *Lima Center Cemetery*: Beach, Dwight E. (1932)
Newago - *Newaygo Cemetery*: Brooks, John A., III (1941)
St. Joseph - *Memorial Park Cemetery*: Rosebaum, Dwight A. (1920)
Three Rivers - *Riverside Cemetery*: Schermerhorn, John G. (1937)
Topinabee - *Burt Mullett Cemetery*: Porter, Harry C. (1932)
Vanderbilt - *Vanderbilt Cemetery*: Yuill, Charles W. (1917)

MINNESOTA

Collegeville - *John The Baptist Catholic Church Cemetery*: Mahowald, Robert A. (1947)
Greenleaf - *Saint Colmbans Church Cemetery*: Lawrence, Thomas E. (1944)
Janesville - *Saint Ann's Cemetery*: O'Toole, George P., Jr. (1965) (KIA)
Marty - *Holy Cross Catholic Church Cemetery*: Bartelme, Michael J. (1962)

MISSISSIPPI

Columbus - *Friendship Cemetery*: Love, Joseph B. (1950)
Holly Springs - *Hill Crest Cemetery*: Olson, John E. (1939) (POW)
Lawrence - *Lawrence Community Cemetery*: Parks, William T. (1955)
McComb - *Hollywood Cemetery*: Stewart, LeRoy J. (1922)
Port Gibson - *Wintergreen Cemetery*: Watson, James W. (1880)
Starkville - *Odd Fellows Cemetery*: Miley, William M. (1918)
Vicksburg - *Cedar Hill Cemetery*: Roberts, Lea C. (1935)

MISSOURI

Aftton - *Resurrection Cemetery*: Berra, Charles (1942) (KIA)
Columbia - *Columbia Cemetery*: Hinton, John (1918)
Fayette - *Walnut Ridge Cemetery*: Rogers, Dixon C. (1944)
Harrisonville - *Orient Cemetery*: Crowley, John D. (1942)
Liberty - *New Hope Cemetery*: Chiles, John H. (1936)
Macon - *Oakwood Cemetery*: Clarkson, Gordon M. (1938) (KIA)
Norborne - *Trinity Lutheran Cemetery*: Moentmann, Dwain T. (1958)
St. Joseph - *St. Joseph Memorial Park*: Essman, Graydon C. (1933)
St. Louis - *Calvary Cemetery*: Clarke, Powhatan H. (1884)
St. Louis - *Calvary Cemetery and Mausoleum*: Erwin, James B. (1880)
St. Louis - *Valhalla Cemetery*: Burr, William E. (1914)

MONTANA

Billings - *Mountview Cemetery*: Birely, Everett M. (1910)
Bozeman - *Sunset Hills Cemetery*: Mathis, Robert C. (1948)
Great Falls - *Highland Cemetery*: Murphy, Raymond P. (1942)
Missoula - *Fort Missoula Cemetery*: Milburn, Frank W. (1914)
Missoula - *Missoula Cemetery*: Johnson, Walter M. (1927)
Redstone - *Valleyview Cemetery*: Nathe, Michael L. (1967) (KIA)

NEBRASKA

Hooper - *Hooper Cemetery*: Schwab, Virgil A. (1940) (MIA-KIA)
Scottsbluff - *Fairview Cemetery*: Uglow, Homer H. (1937) (POW-KIA)

NEVADA

Reno - *Mountain View Cemetery*: Osborne, Stanley D. (1950) (KIA)

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Boscawen - *New Hampshire State Veterans Cemetery*: Chapman, Curtis W., Jr. (1941)
Dover - *Pine Hill Cemetery*: Peterman, Sidney C. (1943)
Londonderry - *Glenwood Cemetery*: Young, Mason J. (1915)
Meredith - *Meredith Village Cemetery*: Atteberry, Roy L., Jr. (1941)
Springfield - *Pleasant View Cemetery*: Nulsen, Charles K., Jr. (1949)

NEW JERSEY

Montville - *Montville Dutch Reformed Churchyard*: VanDuyne, Frederick W. (1899)
Trenton - *Saint Mary's Cemetery*: Smith, Leo A. (1917)

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NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque - *Fairview Memorial Park*: Drum, Heister H. (1941)
Albuquerque - *Fairview Memorial Park*: Scholtz, John C., Jr. (1949)
Albuquerque - *Sunset Memorial Park*: Ellis, Paul R. (1943)
Las Cruces - *Hillcrest Memorial Gardens Cemetery*: Short, Walter D. (1942)
Las Cruces - *Masonic Cemetery*: Caffey, Eugene M. (1918)
Roswell - *South Park Cemetery*: Crosby, Stanley W., Jr. (1947) (KIA)
Santa Fe - *Rosario Cemetery*: Walsh, James H. (1935)

NEW YORK

Allegany - *Saint Bonaventure Cemetery*: Upthegrove, Fay R. (1927)
Auburn - *Fort Hill Cemetery*: Lawton, Louis B. (1893)
Bolton - *Bolton Rural Cemetery*: McElroy, Edward R. (1945) (KIA)
Boonville - *Boonville Cemetery*: Merrill, John W. (1934) (KIA)
Brockport - *Lakeview Cemetery*: Hazen, John L., Jr. (1944) (KIA)
Brooklyn - *Green-Wood Cemetery*: Sutherland, Edwin V. (1936)
Canastota - *Mount Pleasant Cemetery*: Barott, William C. (1951) (KIA)
Fleming - *Fleming Rural Cemetery*: Chamberlain, Smith B. (1945)
Garrison - *St. Philip's Church Cemetery*: Benjamin, Julian A. (1900)
Glendale - *Mount Carmel Cemetery*: Rosen, Robert H. (1941) (KIA)
Hector - *Logan Cemetery*: Andrews, Lincoln C. (1893)
Huntington - *Huntington Rural Cemetery*: Crane, Albert E. (1912)
Naples - *Rose Ridge Cemetery*: Goodrich, Walker R. (1932)
Randolph - *St. Patrick's Cemetery*: Dunwoody, Harold H. (1943)
Rhinebeck - *Schultzville Union Cemetery*: Harrell, William F. (1902)
Schenectady - *Park View Cemetery*: Scholtz, James H. (1949)
Scottsville - *Oatka Cemetery*: Schoeffel, Francis H. (1891)
Springfield - *Springfield Cemetery*: Sollohub, Julian V. (1937)
West Babylon - *New Montefiore Cemetery*: Lichtenberg, Alan A. (1951)

NORTH CAROLINA

Asheville - *Saint Giles Chapel Memorial Garden*: Williams, George K. (1968)
Black Mountain - *Western Carolina State Veterans Cemetery*: Scheewe, Lawrence R. (1962)
Charlotte - *Evergreen Cemetery*: McAfee, James B. (1940)
Fayetteville - *Cross Creek Cemetery #2*: Lilly, Edmund J., III (1950) (MIA-KIA)
Fayetteville - *Cross Creek Cemetery #2*: Lutterloh, Samuel A. (1951) (POW-KIA)
Fayetteville - *LaFayette Memorial park*: Horan, Earl C., Jr. (1961)
Flat Rock - *Wilderness Cemetery*: deSaussure, Edward H., Jr. (1941)
Fletcher - *Calvary Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Lampert, Lester L., Jr. (1939)
Fort Bragg - *Fort Bragg Main Post Cemetery*: Wyche, Ira T. (1911)
Goldsboro - *Willow Dale Cemetery*: Weathers, James W., Jr. (1944)
Hertford - *Holy Trinity Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Crawford, William R. (1937) (KIA)
Hickory - *Oakwood Cemetery*: Tipton, Norman E. (1931)
Linden - *Sardis Presbyterian Church Cemetery*: Williams, Alexander E. (1898)
Naples - *Shepherd Memorial Park*: Graves, Rupert D. (1924)

Raleigh - *Oakwood Cemetery*: Bailey, Kincheon H., Jr. (1945)
Raleigh - *Saint Mark's Episcopal Church Memorial Garden*: Doty, Mercer M. (1948)
Rocky Mount - *Pineview Cemetery*: Gatsis, Andrew J. (1945)
Scotts Hill - *Wesleyan Chapel United Methodist Cemetery*: Lee, James M. (1950)
Smithfield - *Riverside Cemetery*: Broadhurst, Edwin B. (1937)
Smithfield - *Tees Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery*: Royall, Henry E. (1930)
Spring Lake - *Sandhills Veterans Cemetery*: Smith, Wayne R. (1955)
Wilmington - *Oakdale Cemetery*: Elmore, John A. (1924)

NORTH DAKOTA

Fargo - *Riverside Cemetery*: Morrow, Jared W. (1945) (KIA)
Mandan - *North Dakota Veterans Cemetery*: Albrecht, Warren H., Jr. (1966)
Richardton - *Saint Mary's Cemetery*: Schmidt, Charles L. (1963)

OHIO

Chillicothe - *Grandview Cemetery*: Ware, Thomas A. (1948)
Cincinnati - *Spring Grove Cemetery*: McGraw, Donald C. (1948)
Coshocton - *Prairie Chapel Church Cemetery*: Bailey, Edward A. (1938)
Crooksville - *Crooksville Cemetery*: Burley, Wilson L., Jr. (1935) (KIA)
Evendale - *Rest Haven Memorial Park*: White, Alpheus W., Jr. (1941)
Franklin - *Woodhill Cemetery*: Harding, Edwin F. (1909)
Franklin - *Woodhill Cemetery*: Harding, Edwin F., Jr. (1941)
Gallipolis - *Mound Hill Cemetery*: Bush, George E., Jr. (1929)
Lockbourne - *Saint Joseph Cemetery*: Kreber, Leo M. (1918)
Mansfield - *Mansfield Cemetery*: Parker, Frank (1894)
Steubenville - *Union Cemetery*: Bennett, John H. (1925) (POW-KIA)
Upper Sandusky - *Old Mission Cemetery*: Wilson, Franklin L. (1951)
Wilmington - *Sugar Grove Cemetery*: Metzger, John H. (1949)

OKLAHOMA

Fort Sill - *Fort Sill Cemetery*: Rogers, Guy A. (1946)
Fort Sill - *Fort Sill Post Cemetery*: Critz, Harry H. (1935)
Fort Sill - *Fort Sill Post Cemetery*: Pennell, Robert (1939) (POW)
Fort Sill - *Fort Sill Post Cemetery*: Sanders, Horace L. (1934)
Fort Sill - *Fort Sill Post Cemetery*: Spencer, Floyd B., Jr. (1958) (KIA)
Gotebo - *Gotebo Cemetery*: Boake, Corwin, Jr. (1946)
Hobart - *Hobart Rose Cemetery*: Styron, James C. (1918)
Muskogee - *Memorial Park Cemetery*: Anthis, Louis L. (1948) (KIA)
Oklahoma City - *Memorial Park Cemetery*: Bird, John F. (1925)
Oklahoma City - *Memorial Park Cemetery*: Hutchison, David W. (1931)
Shattuck - *Shattuck Cemetery*: Vallaster, John J., Jr. (1945)

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OREGON

Florence - *Drew Cemetery*: Hatch, Kenneth M. (1947)
Portland - *River View Cemetery*: Cabell, Henry C., Jr. (1883)
Portland - *River View Cemetery*: Martin, Charles H. (1887)

PENNSYLVANIA

Allentown - *Grandview Cemetery*: Fischl, Frank R., Jr. (1951)
Ambler - *Whitemarsh Memorial Park*: Conrad, Robert G. (1945)
Berwick - *Pine Grove Cemetery Annex*: Hardick, William L. (1931)
Bethlehem - *Saints Cyril and Methodius Catholic Cemetery*: Farris, Stephen C. (1939) (POW)
Carlisle - *St. Patrick's Cemetery*: Otis, Glenn K. (1953)
Churchtown - *Mount Zion Cemetery*: Hoefling, John A. (1946)
Hanover - *Saint Mary's Cemetery*: Lee, John C., Jr. (1941)
Leechburg - *Forks Zion Lutheran Church*: Shaffer, John R. (1950)
Leighton - *Leighton Cemetery*: David, Bert A. (1946)
Mercer - *Mercer Citizens Cemetery*: Barton, David B. (1923) (KIA)
Merion - *West Laurel Hill Cemetery*: Webster, Warren, III (1950) (KIA)
Milford - *Milford Cemetery*: Harper, Richard W. (1965) (KIA)
Morgan Township - *Greene County Memorial Park*: Doody, Richard F. (1952)
New Providence - *New Providence Mennonite Cemetery*: Rush, Hugo P. (1920)
Philadelphia - *North Cedar Hill Cemetery*: Hackett, Horatio B., Jr. (1904)
Pittsburgh - *Allegheny Cemetery*: Sands, Alfred L. (1904)
Quarryville - *Quarryville Cemetery*: McComsey, Robert M. (1940)
Reading - *Alsace Lutheran Church Cemetery*: Meyer, Arthur L. (1941)
Romansville - *Romansville Friends Burying Ground*: Berry, Sidney B. (1948)
Wilkes-Barre - *Hollenback Cemetery*: Thomas, Richard M. (1900)

RHODE ISLAND

Portsmouth - *Saint Mary's Episcopal Churchyard*: Parker, Cortlandt (1906)
Portsmouth - *St. Mary's Episcopal Cemetery*: Parker, James (1876)
Providence - *North Burial Ground*: Johnson, Robert C. (1929) (KIA)

SOUTH CAROLINA

Barnwell County - *Elko City Cemetery*: Stansell, Joshua A. (1917) (POW)
Charleston - *Cathedral Church of Saint Luke and Saint Peter*: Wohlfeil, Carl H. (1939)
Charleston - *Magnolia Cemetery*: Simpson, William C. (1946)
Chesterfield - *Chesterfield Cemetery*: Pusser, Thomas W. (1961) (KIA)
Columbia - *Elmwood Memorial Gardens*: Perry, Basil H. (1917)
Columbia - *Elmwood Memorial Gardens*: Robertson, Edwin W. (1947)
Columbia - *First Presbyterian Churchyard*: McMaster, George H. (1892)
Columbia - *Greenlawn Memorial Park*: Bacon, Robert C. (1956)
Columbia - *Greenlawn Memorial Park*: Clifford, Paul T. (1939)
Columbia - *Greenlawn Memorial Park*: Saine, Harold J. (1943)
Columbia - *Greenlawn Memorial Park Cemetery*: Corley, John T. (1938)

Columbia - *Northeast Presbyterian Church Cemetery*: Ayers, Thomas D. (1952)
Columbia - *Trinity Episcopal Cathedral Cemetery*: Chalgren, Edward G. (1938)
Columbus - *Greenlawn Memorial park*: Corley, John T., Jr. (1967) (KIA)
Dillon - *Riverside Cemetery*: Baxley, William J., Jr. (1950)
Edgefield - *Edgefield Village Cemetery*: Mewshaw, Harry C. (1918)
Georgetown - *Elmwood Cemetery and Annex*: King, Richard T., Jr. (1933) (POW)
Georgetown - *Prince George Winyah Cemetery*: Overton, Dolphin D., III (1949)
Greenville - *Woodlawn Memorial Park*: Hardaway, Eads G. (1937) (POW)
Greenwood - *Magnolia Cemetery (Cenotaph)*: Cothran, Wade R., Jr. (1918) (POW-KIA)
Hartsville - *Magnolia Cemetery*: Greene, Byron D., Jr. (1946)
Hilton Head Island - *Six Oaks Cemetery*: Timberlake, Edward J. (1931)
Hilton Head Island - *St. Luke's Catholic Church*: Dean, Fred M. (1938)
Kingstree - *Williamsburg Presbyterian Cemetery*: McCabe, Robert C. (1938)
Lydia - *Wesley Chapel Cemetery*: Beasley, Lewis E. (1952)
Marion - *Rose Hill Cemetery*: Mills, Benjamin W., Jr. (1943) (KIA)
Mount Pleasant - *Christ Church Cemetery*: Lucas, William C. (1923)
Mount Pleasant - *Mount Pleasant Memorial Gardens*: Flynn, Allan S. (1950)
Mt. Pleasant - *Mt. Pleasant Memorial Gardens*: Jackson, Charles L. (1938)
Myrtle Beach - *Ocean Woods Memorial Cemetery*: Hackler, James F., Jr. (1943)
Sumter - *Sumter Cemetery*: McKee, Edgar S. (1938)
Winnsboro - *Bethel Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church Cemetery*: Johnson, John T., Jr. (1965)

SOUTH DAKOTA

Aberdeen - *Sacred Heart Cemetery*: Saunders, Laverne G. (1928)
Groton - *Groton Cemetery*: McGee, Frank D. (1915)
Pierre - *Riverside Cemetery*: Scurr, Kenneth R. (1945)

TENNESSEE

Clarksville - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Bond, Van H. (1931)
Clarksville - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Muiznieks, Nikolajs R. (1961)
Erin - *Erin Oak Hill Cemetery*: Campbell, Dan H. (1960)
Gallatin - *Gallatin City Cemetery*: Bell, Clyde B., Jr. (1949)
Knoxville - *Cremated (Ashes Interred)*: Holloway, Bruce K. (1937)
Maryville - *Unknown Cemetery*: Shultz, Harold D. (1951)
Mountain City - *Rainbow Cemetery*: Adams, Dwight L. (1950)
Nashville - *Calvary Cemetery*: Maihafer, Harry J. (1949)
Nashville - *Spring Hill Cemetery*: Napier, James W., III (1955)
Nashville - *Woodlawn Memorial Park and Mausoleum*: Love, Robert W. (1938)
Pegram - *Middle Tennessee Veterans Cemetery*: Myerchin, Thomas S. (1961)
Triune - *Triune Cemetery*: Parks, Samuel W. (1941)

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TEXAS

Amarillo - *Llano Cemetery*: Minahan, Daniel J., Jr. (1939)
Amarillo - *Llano Cemetery*: Simpson, Everett S. (1938)
Amarillo - *Llano Cemetery*: Watlington, Thomas M. (1927)
Austin - *Austin Memorial Park Cemetery*: Stone, Reed L. (1955)
Ballinger - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Taylor, Ewing M. (1917)
Beaumont - *Forest Lawn Memorial Park*: Ruddy, Kenneth E. (1948)
Boerne - *Boerne Cemetery*: Rozelle, George F., Jr. (1903)
Cameron - *Oak Hill Cemetery*: Gillis, William G., Jr. (1941) (KIA)
Center Point - *Center Point Cemetery*: Oliver, George S. (1950)
Center Point - *Center Point Cemetery*: Walker, Edwin A. (1931)
Clarksville - *Fairview Cemetery*: Gooding, Clarence E. (1936)
College Station - *College Station Cemetery*: Delamater, Benjamin F., III (1940)
Corpus Christi - *Holy Cross Cemetery*: Adams, Lewis M. (1903)
Dallas - *Grove Hill Memorial Park*: Kail, Samuel G. (1939)
Dallas - *Restland Memorial Park*: Brandon, Harry N. (1939)
Dallas - *Restland Memorial Park*: Long, Philip W. (1939)
Dallas - *Restland Memorial Park*: Loughheed, Melvill J. (1950)
Dallas - *Sparkman Hillcrest Memorial Park*: Bates, John O., Jr. (1950) (KIA)
Dallas - *Sparkman Hillcrest Memorial Park*: Warren, Joe H., Jr. (1946)
El Paso - *Evergreen Cemetery*: Manzo, Salvatore E. (1939)
Gladewater - *Friendship Cemetery*: Merritt, Daniel A. (1972)
Houston - *Brookside Memorial Park*: Batjer, John F. (1937)
Houston - *Glenwood Cemetery*: Minor, John M. (1946)
Houston - *Memorial Oaks Cemetery*: Willis, James T. (1936)
Killeen - *Central Texas State Veterans Cemetery*: Diller, Richard W. (1954)
Killeen - *Central Texas State Veterans Cemetery*: Meyer, Stewart C. (1943)
Killeen - *Central Texas State Veteran's Cemetery*: Shoemaker, Robert M. (1946)
Killeen - *Texas State Veterans Cemetery*: McSpadden, Garland R. (1948)
San Angelo - *Fairmont Cemetery*: Harris, Leslie E., Jr. (1949) (KIA)
San Antonio - *Mission Burial Park North*: Barr, John E. (1931)
San Antonio - *San Fernando Cemetery #3*: Klein, Donald D. (1949)
San Antonio - *St. Mark's Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Alness, Harvey T. (1934)
San Antonio - *Sunset Memorial Park*: McHugh, Harry D. (1924)
Taylor - *Taylor City Cemetery*: Shrader, Cecil L. (1958)
Tyler - *Rose Lawn Cemetery*: Lawrence, Richard D. (1953)
Webster - *Forest Park East Cemetery*: Prescott, Daniel C. (1945)
Woodrow - *Peaceful Gardens Memorial Park*: Carvey, James B. (1939)

UTAH

Bountiful - *Lakeview Memorial Park*: Quinn, Edward B. (1950)
Eden - *Mountain View Cemetery*: Bock, Frank L. (1928)
Salt Lake City - *Salt Lake City Cemetery*: Parkinson, Parley D. (1915)

VERMONT

Belmont - *New Mechanicsville Cemetery*: Barton, Paul L. (1934)
Bennington - *Park Lawn Cemetery*: Maguire, William H. (1932) (POW-KIA)
Middlebury - *Unknown Cemetery*: White, John W. (1938)
Newbury - *Oxbow Cemetery*: Harmon, Ernest N. (1917)
Northfield - *Mount Hope Cemetery*: Tompkins, Francis P. (1918)
Albemarle County - *Monticello National Park Grounds*: Truscott, Lucian K., III (1945)
Alexandria - *Grace Episcopal Church Columbarium*: Daniel, Charles D. (1944)
Alexandria - *Ivy Hill Cemetery*: Smith, Stephen H. (1944)
Burke - *Church of the Nativity*: Landry, John R. (1962)
Christiansburg - *Roselawn Memorial Gardens*: Munford, Thomas W. (1918)
Culpeper - *Fairview Cemetery*: Davis, Donald F. (1953)
Culpeper - *Fairview Cemetery*: Nalle, Richard (1944)
Emory - *Emory and Henry Cemetery*: Hillman, Rolfe L., Jr. (1945)
Front Royal - *Prospect Hill Cemetery*: Akers, Russell F., Jr. (1933)
Halifax - *Saint John's Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Bowie, Kyle W. (1946)
Heathsville - *Saint Stephens Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Hartness, Harlan N. (1919)
Lawrenceville - *Oakwood Cemetery*: Booth, Shepherd A., Jr. (1946)
Leesburg - *Union Cemetery*: Dulaney, Robert L. (1923)
Leesburg - *Union Cemetery*: Harrison, Bertram C. (1938)
Leesburg - *Union Cemetery*: Riley, Lowell M. (1917)
Leesburg - *Union Cemetery*: Vandevanter, Elliott (1939)
Little Washington - *Saint Peter's Cemetery*: Goodenough, Fred W. (1958)
Middleburg - *Emmanuel Episcopal Church Cemetery*: Arnold, Milton W. (1931)
Norfolk - *Forest Lawn Cemetery*: Bunting, Bertram A. (1960) (KIA)
Norfolk - *Old Norfolk City Hall Memorial Cemetery*: MacArthur, Douglas (1903)
Petersburg - *Blandford Cemetery*: Bolling, Alexander R., Jr. (1943) (POW)
Petersburg - *Blandford Cemetery*: Kevan, William P., Jr. (1940)
Petersburg - *Blandford Cemetery*: Ware, Richard S., Jr. (1944)
Richmond - *Hollywood Cemetery*: Reed, Charles H. (1922)
Roanoke - *Evergreen Burial Park*: McNulty, William A. (1932)
Sparta - *Salem Baptist Church Cemetery*: Lewis, William F. (1940)
Stanardsville - *Stanardsville Public Cemetery*: Burke, Alvin L. (1938)
Sterling - *Sterling Cemetery*: Lynch, John M. (1936)
Suffolk - *Albert G. Horton, Jr. Memorial Veterans Cemetery*: Dixon, Gerald E. (1966)
Weems - *Christ Church Cemetery*: Tyson, Robert N. (1934)
Williamsburg West - *Williamsburg Memorial Park*: Mead, Armistead D. (1924)

WASHINGTON

Coupeville - *Sunnyside Cemetery*: Ashworth, Robert L. (1938)
Joint Base Lewis-McChord - *Camp Lewis Cemetery*: Renwanz, Rowland H. (1940)
Joint Base Lewis-McChord - *Camp Lewis Cemetery*: Stone, David L. (1898)
Pullman - *Pullman City Cemetery*: Hoge, William M., Jr. (1941)
Seattle - *Evergreen-Washelli Memorial Park*: Alakulppi, Vesa J. (1963) (KIA)
Seattle - *Fort Lawton Cemetery*: Hochwalt, Earl B. (1912)
Spokane - *Holy Cross Cemetery*: Wightman, Richard M. (1917)

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Spokane - *St. Stephens Episcopal Church Columbarium*: Clizbe, Reginald J. (1940)

WEST VIRGINIA

Ronceverte - *Riverview Cemetery*: Clifford, Thomas E. (1936) (KIA)

Wheeling - *Greenwood Cemetery*: Slack, Clarence V., Jr. (1945) (MIA-KIA)

WISCONSIN

Appleton - *Highland Memorial Park*: Peplinski, William J. (1968)

Beloit - *Eastlawn Cemetery*: Green, Malcolm D., Jr. (1937)

Eau Claire - *Forest Hill Cemetery*: Simpson, Eber E. (1943)

Janesville - *Oak Hill Cemetery*: Richardson, Lorrain T. (1895)

La Crosse - *Oak Grove Cemetery*: Anderegg, Harold R. (1949)

Merrill - *Merrill Memorial Park*: Van Nostrand, William S. (1934) (POW-KIA)

Milwaukee - *Forest Home Cemetery*: Knight, Archie J. (1940)

Oshkosh - *Plummer Cemetery*: Wesner, Charles W. (1927)

Cheyenne - *Frances E. Warren Air Base Cemetery*: Hunter, Charles N. (1929)

The following are buried in foreign countries:

CANADA

The Beaches, Ontario - *St. Joh's Norway Cemetery and Crematorium*: Matheson, Donald R. (1938)

ITALY

Rome - *Campo Cestio*: Evans, Robert K. (1875)

The following **67** recipients were cremated with no identified cemetery or memorial:

Anderson, John M. (1942)	Dillard, David S. (1939)
Beasley, Benjamin B. (1957)	Duryea, Lyman C., Jr. (1960)
Besson, Robert (1937) (POW)	Dwyer, Gerald T. (1957)
Bingham, Sidney V., Jr. (1940)	Ellsworth, Robert A. (1924)
Bishop, Glade M. (1965)	English, John T. (1938)
Bolduc, Lucien E., Jr. (1950)	Evans, William J. (1946)
Bolton, Donnelly P. (1942)	Fink, George B. (1946)
Boylan, Vincent L. (1939)	Fuller, Horace H. (1909)
Brown, Gary L. (1962)	Goodwin, Samuel M. (1940)
Brown, John K., Jr. (1935)	Harris, Robert L., Jr. (1967)
Byars, David O., III (1969)	Harrison, Willard E., Jr. (1962)
Cartwright, Thomas F. (1958)	Hawkins, Charles F. (1968)
Chase, Paul N. (1957)	Hemphill, John A. (1951)
Daniel, Maurice W. (1920)	Hodges, Joseph H., Jr. (1937)
Dawley, Ernest J. (1910)	Holloway, Bruce K. (1937)
Hughes, William R. (1942)	Paddock, Richard B. (1914)
Hull, John B. (1943)	Palastra, Joseph T., Jr. (1954)
Hylander, Walter R., Jr. (1945)	Poinier, Arthur D. (1939)
Ivy, William L. (1963)	Quinn, Daniel W., III (1929)
Kirwin, James M. (1954)	Rigley, Orin H., Jr. (1939)
Korchek, Robert L. (1952)	Romig, Eugene A. (1939)
Ledzinski, Jerome M. (1965)	Root, James T. (1945)
Letchworth, Robert (1959)	Rusteberg, Edwin (1934)
Lockett, James W. (1928) (POW)	Samsey, Philip B. (1950)
Loffert, John W. (1958)	Schuh, Charles A. (1955)
Magoffin, Morton D. (1937) (POW)	Serff, Paul C. (1923)
Maladowitz, Raymond (1950)	Shawe, Hamilton B., Jr. (1946) (POW)
McBride, Robert B., Jr. (1916)	Shugg, Roland P. (1916)
McCorkle, Charles M. (1936)	Taylor, Oliver B. (1939)
McGurk, Robert S. (1962)	Taylor, William N. (1930)
Mearns, Fillmore K. (1938)	Thomasson, John T. (1965)
Monson, Nelson P. (1941) (POW)	Thompson, Robert I. (1945)
Moore, Thomas E., Jr. (1944)	Timberlake, Edward W. (1917)
Morgan, John F. (1963)	Whitlow, Robert V. (1943)
Murrah, Charles R. (1941)	Williams, George W. (1959)
O'Brien, Robert E., Jr. (1936)	Wolf, Karl E. (1943)
Oshel, Michael E. (1966)	Yarbrough, Samuel K., Jr. (1934)
Osteen, John L., Jr. (1948)	Yon, Everett M., Jr. (1956)

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Anderson, Glen H. (1917)	Gatewood, Moses J., Jr. (1943)	Nelson, Robert B. (1949)
Barney, James P., Jr. (1920)	Gerhardt, Igor D. (1959)	Partridge, Earle E. (1924)
Barrell, Donald H. (1960)	Gillette, Arville W. (1932)	Preston, Guy H. (1888)
Belan, Charles G. (1960)	Gott, Rodney C. (1933)	Price, Walter E. (1950)
Benson, George C. (1945)	Gower, Donald N. (1949)	Prince, William R. (1936)
Bosch, Edward J., Jr. (1943)	Grant, Walter H. (1939)	Puckett, Ralph, Jr. (1949)
Bowman, Edgar E. (1943)	Gray, David W. (1933)	Reinburg, William H. (1917)
Bringham, Robert A. (1917)	Hayward, Charles W. (1950)	Robert, Emile A., Jr. (1963)
Byrne, Bernard A. (1919)	Hayward, Harold I. (1944)	Sawyer, Willis B. (1941)
Calvert, Parker (1937)	Hester, Arthur C. (1965)	Scott, Richard P. (1941)
Cameron, Robert C. (1940)	Hoban, James J., Jr. (1943)	Sears, Robert (1909)
Carter, Charles F., Jr. (1945)	Hoblitt, Jerry N. (1958)	Shoss, Morris L. (1940) (POW)
Cave, Edmund H. (1949)	Holliday, Sam C. (1948)	Sickel, Horatio G. (1876)
Chandler, Malcolm W., Jr. (1950)	Hopkins, Edward O. (1919)	Skelton, Winfred G. (1919)
Clarke, William E., Jr. (1959)	Jackley, Lawrence W. (1950)	Smith, Woodrow M. (1940)
Clough, Casper, Jr. (1939)	Jalbert, Donald J. (1943)	Smoak, John R., Jr. (1965)
Cofer, Floyd S., Jr. (1941)	Johnson, James A. (1947)	Steed, Thomas W. (1928)
Cox, Noel M. (1935)	Johnson, Ross L. (1949)	Thomson, Earl F. (1922)
Davis, John N. (1939)	Juvenal, Michael P. (1952)	Titus, Calvin P., Jr. (1940)
Day, Seth S. (1949)	Kaiser, James L. (1941)	Triplet, William S. (1924)
DeGavre, Chester B. (1933)	Kane, Matthew W. (1933)	Vaughan, William J. (1941)
Denson, Pierre B. (1925)	Kasper, William M. (1940)	Virant, Leo B., II (1963)
Dolph, Cyrus A., III (1933)	Keeley, John T. (1919)	Walker, Fred L., Jr. (1936)
Donovan, James C. (1950)	Kennedy, Edwin L. (1950)	Wallach, Marshall (1939)
Draper, Robert F. (1947)	Kopcsak, Peter J. (1934)	Walz, Charles (1949)
Duffie, Claire A. (1942)	Kunkel, David E., Jr. (1941)	Watkins, Gaulden M. (1928)
Duttweiler, Oscar E., Jr. (1944)	Litton, William P. (1940) (POW)	Webster, Thomas J. (1939) (KIA)
Dwyer, Philip R. (1923)	MacLachlan, Clifton L. (1931)	West, Lowry A. (1965)
Fellows, Francis E. (1929) (POW)	Matheson, Charles F. (1941)	Whitehouse, Thomas B. (1939)
Ferguson, Henry T. (1890)	McKee, Richard L. (1934)	Wiegand, Charles D. (1929)
Fite, William C., II (1938)	Metts, Albert C., Jr. (1943)	Williams, John M. (1936)
Fowler, David M. (1922)	Miner, Russell M. (1935)	Zierath, Frederick R. (1933)
Gaddis, John W. (1925)	Morrison, Robert C. (1950)	

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If someone had told me that these numbers would define my life-work, I'd have never believed it possible. It was certainly nothing I planned.

More than two decades ago I began building a website (www.homeofheroes.com*) and developing a database containing the citations for the highest valor awards to American Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Marines. Fortunately I had the *shoulders* of great historians like Harry Stringer (WWI), Jane Blakeney (Marine Corps) and above all, the late Colonel Albert Gleim, to stand on.

I understand the passion of these great historians because I felt the same drive and passion to insure that the accounts of men and women who have received our highest combat decoration should never be "lost to history".

The military services neither track awards or compile award citations for any award other than the Medal of Honor. Two decades ago I began the seemingly impossible mission of fixing that problem. Unfortunately, my efforts including testimony before Congress, have failed to get a positive official response to the need for a comprehensive database of highly decorated American heroes.

I have estimated that somewhere near 350,000 awards above the Bronze Star have been awarded in history. My two decades of research has identified 200,000 of these, including 95% of all who received awards of the Silver Star or higher. I have compiled and digitized more than 80,000 of these awards including the citations for every Medal of Honor, Marine Corps Brevet Medal, Navy Cross, Air Force Cross, and 85% of the Distinguished Service Crosses.

When I began this project in the early 1990s there were very few books available, even related to the Medal of Honor. In recent years much has been published about the Medal of Honor and recipients of that award, but other highly decorated Americans are vastly overlooked. I am determined to change that. In addition to continued research and digitizing of citations, over the last few years I have begun to these citation compendiums available in print form. It is my way of insuring that my decades of research and work "outlive me."

Feel free to click through the various pages of this, my new website. You are sure to find books that will interest you. In fact, not infrequently have individuals found a friend or relative listed in the database I curate for "Military Times" (<https://valor.militarytimes.com/>) that did not even know that person had received such high awards. In a couple of instances, I have heard from combat veterans who found themselves listed for awards as high as the Distinguished Service Cross and Silver Star, who themselves, never knew they had received that high accolade.

These cases, and the fact that I know that these heroes will live on in history, is what motivates me. If all these books become my legacy, I will be satisfied to know I did my best and accomplished something important.



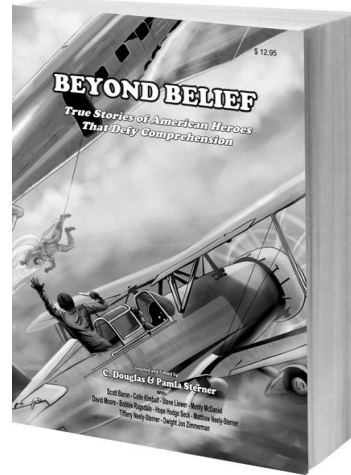
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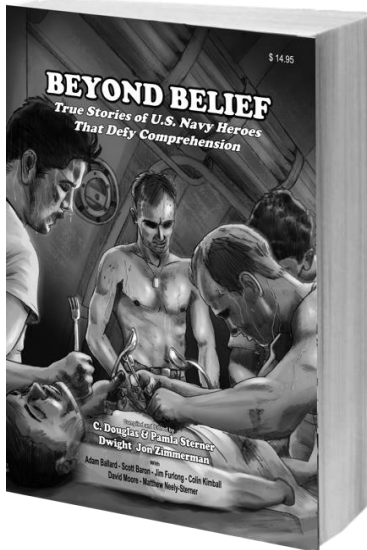
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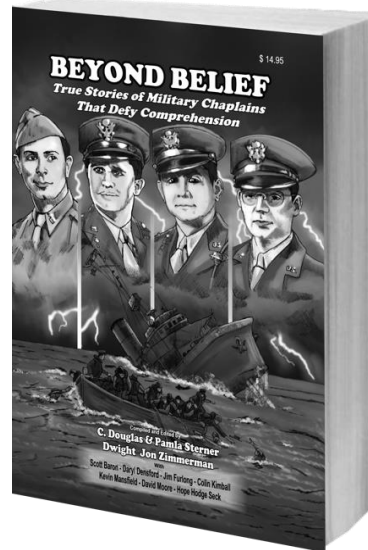
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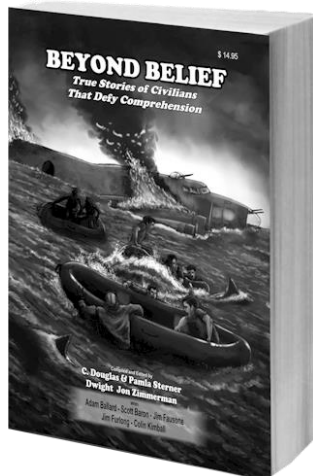
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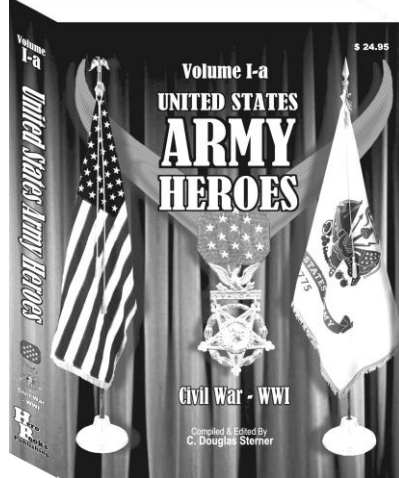


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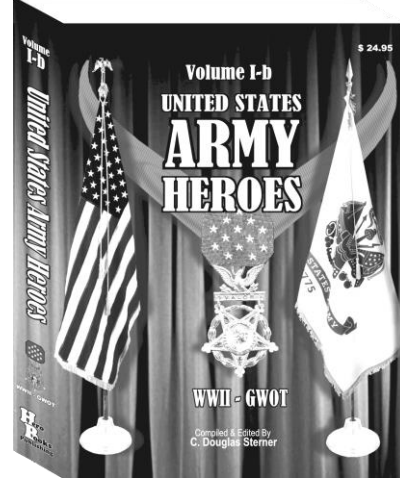
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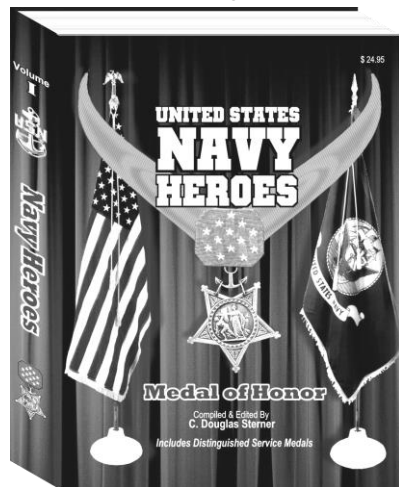
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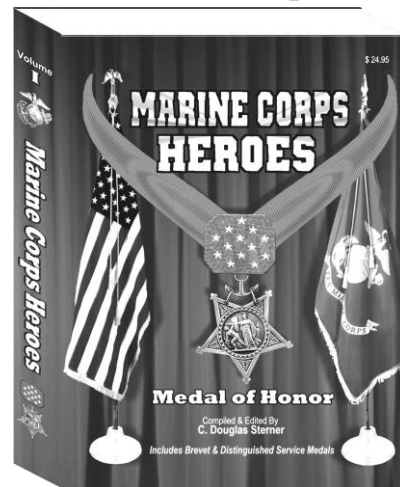
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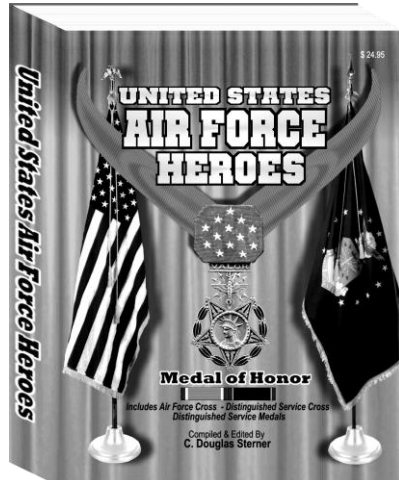
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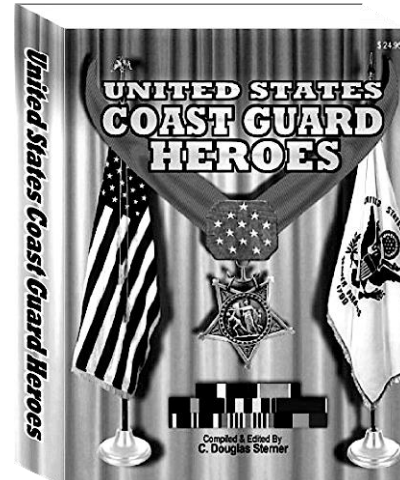
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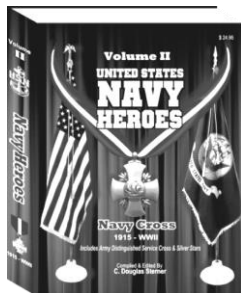
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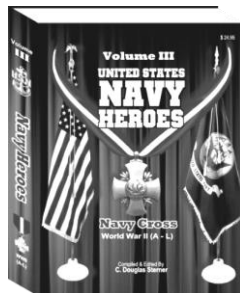
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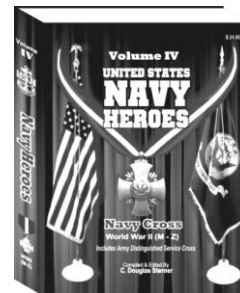
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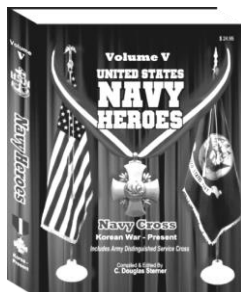
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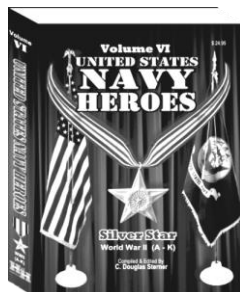
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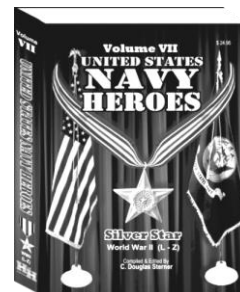
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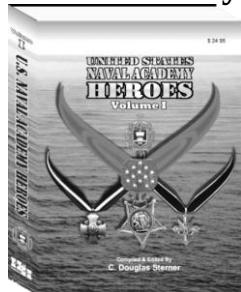
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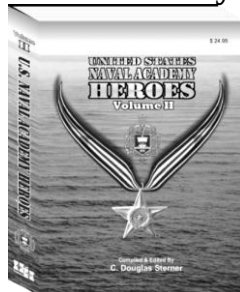
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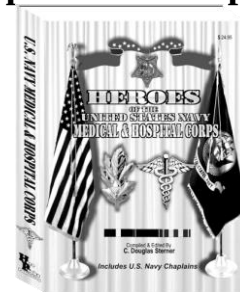
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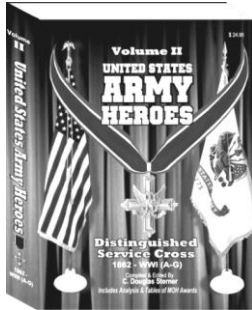
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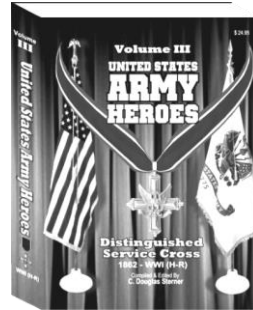
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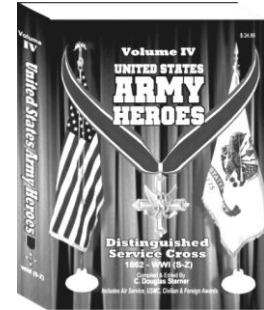
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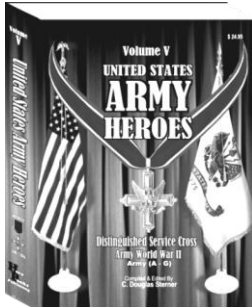
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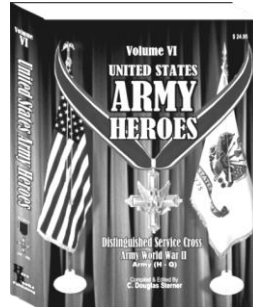
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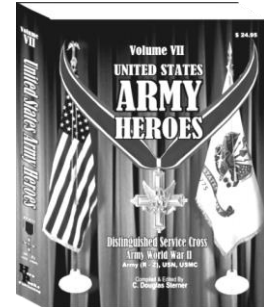
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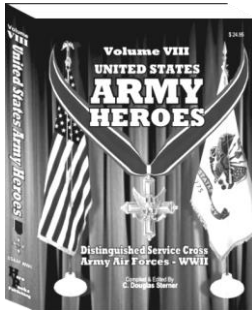
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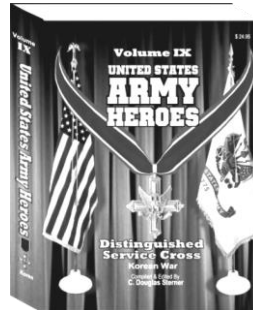
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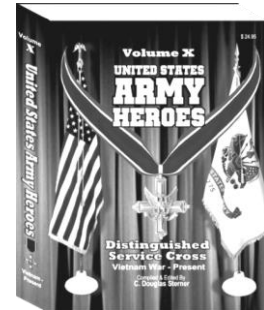
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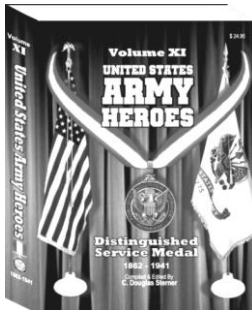
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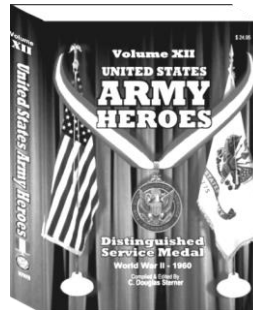
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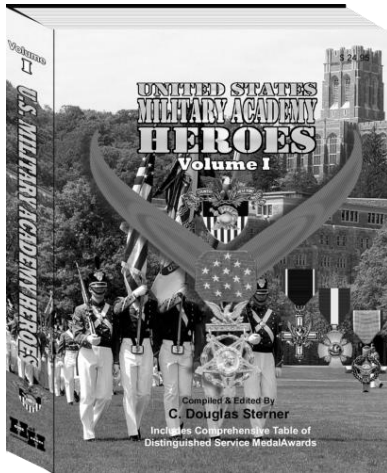
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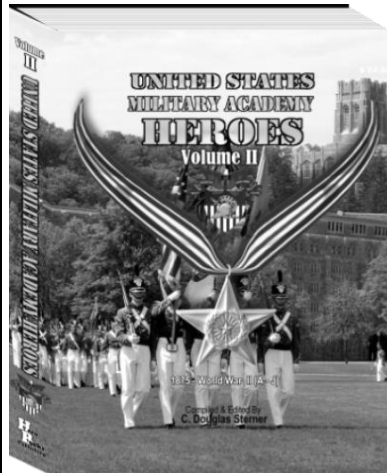
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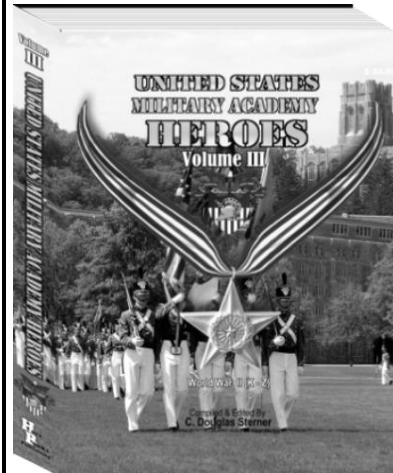
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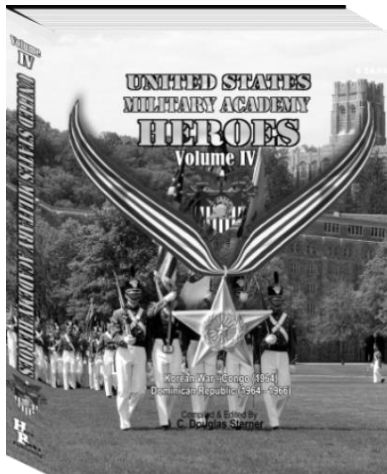
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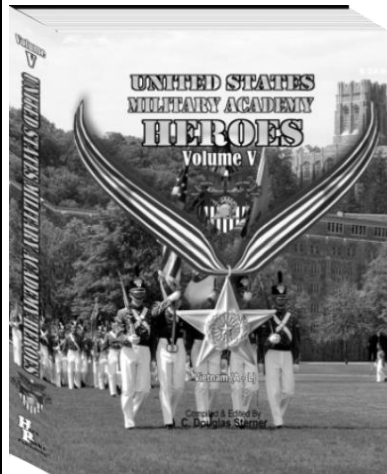
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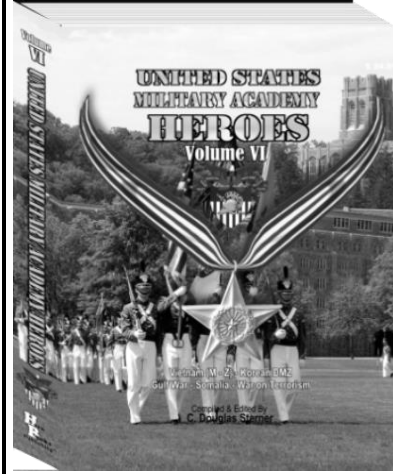
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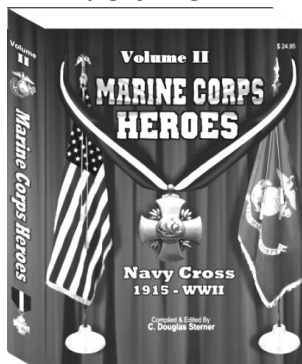
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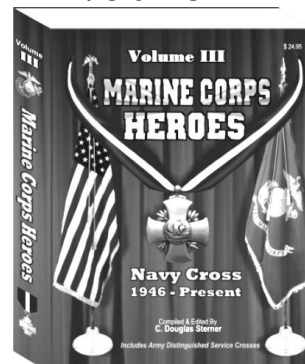
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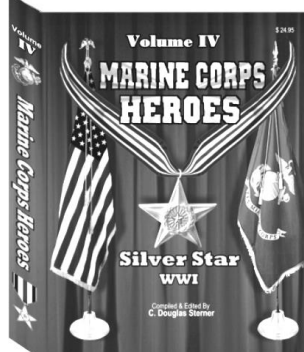
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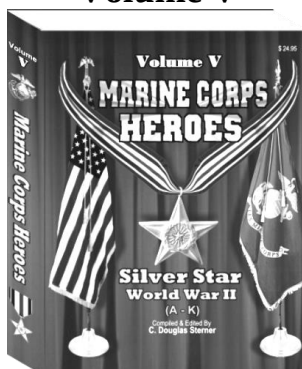
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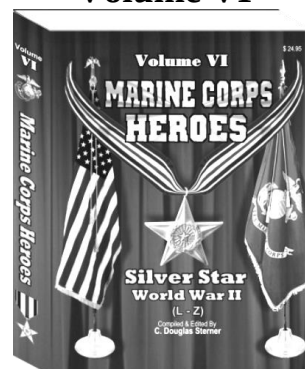
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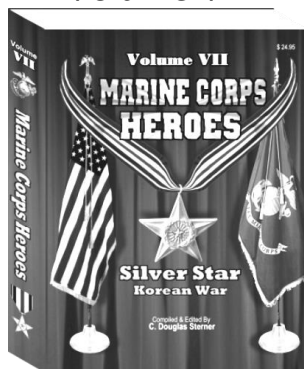
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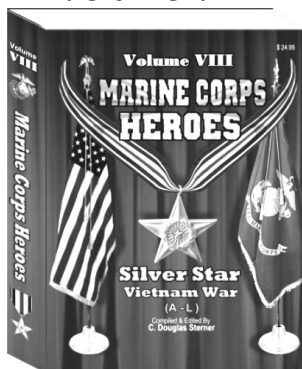
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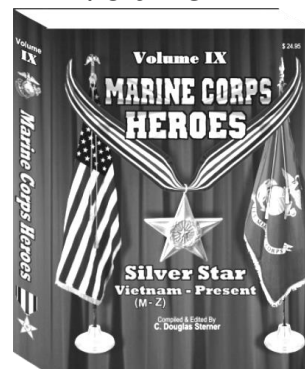
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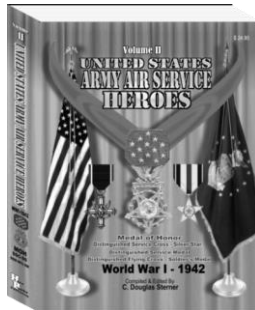
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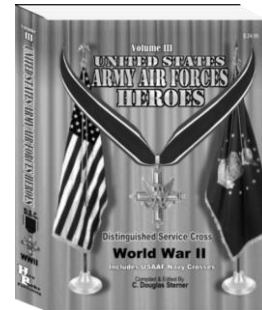
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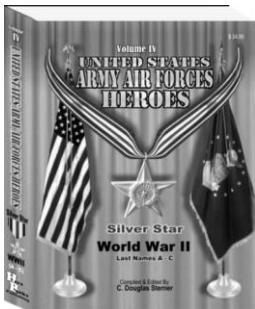
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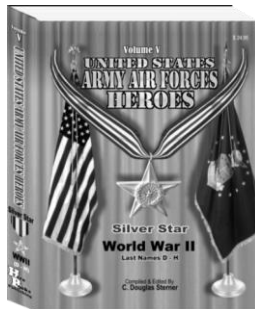
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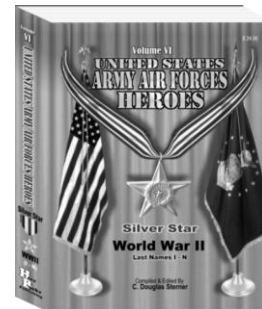
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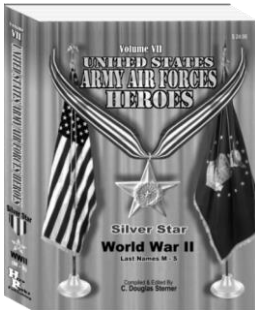
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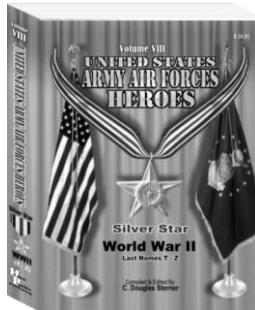
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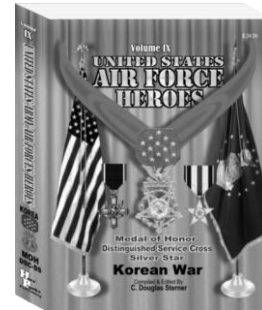
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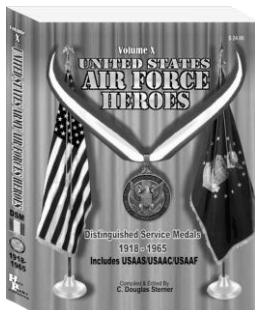
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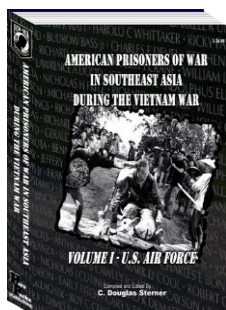
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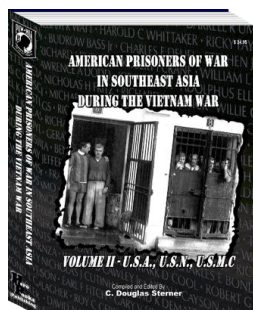
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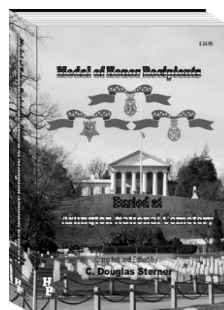


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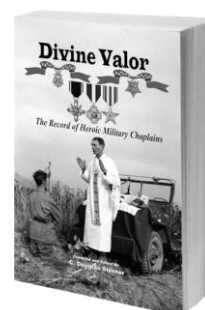
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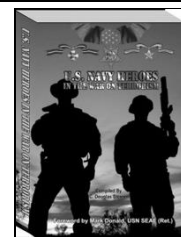


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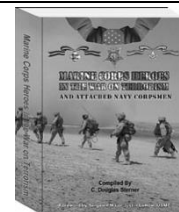
Navy Heroes in the War on Terrorism

Citations for all awards of the Medal of Honor, Navy Cross, and the majority of Silver Star to members of the U.S. Navy in the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. Appendixes provide analysis of recipients by unit, by specialty, by rank/rating, as well as a chronological analysis of these awards.



Marine Corps Heroes in the War on Terrorism

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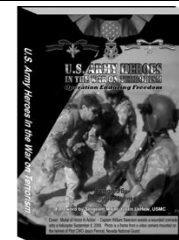
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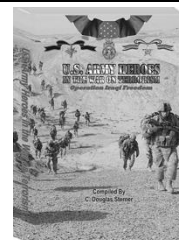
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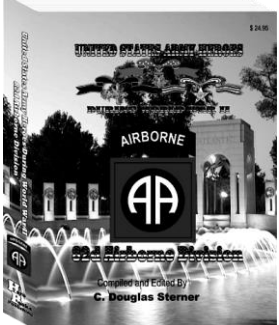
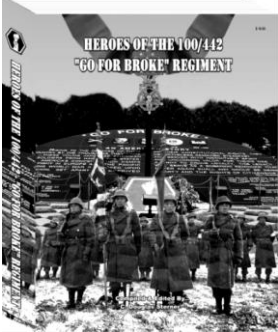
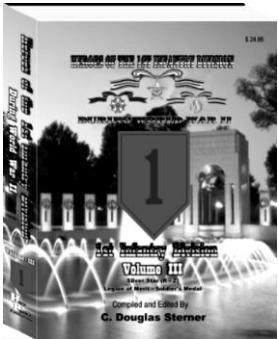
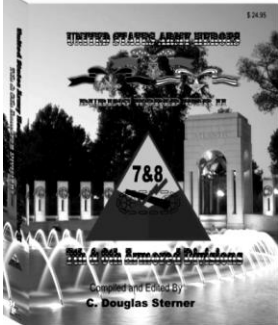
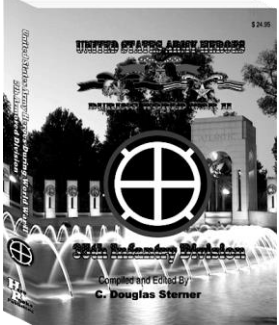
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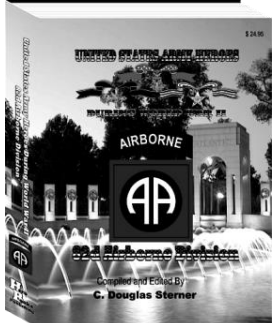
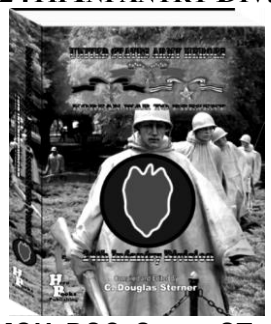
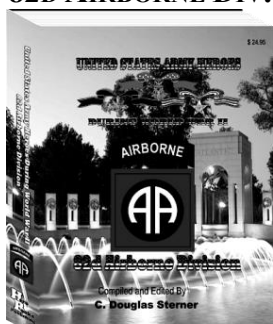
Citations for all awards of the Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross and Silver Stars to members of the U.S. Army during Operation IRAQI FREEDOM in Iraq. Appendixes provide analysis of recipients by unit, by specialty, by rank, as well as a chronological analysis of these awards.



U.S. ARMY HEROES BY DIVISION

This is the most comprehensive compilation of citations ever published. Each volume the names of the recipients of our highest military awards, and in many cases brief biographical information, a photo of the recipient, and personal data such as Date and Place of Birth, Home Town, Date of Death, and Burial Location. Appendixes break down the awards by rank, military specialty, unit, and more.

WORLD WAR I			
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WORLD WAR II			
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1ST INFANTRY DIV. VOLUME II  SILVER STAR "R"-"Z"	7 & 8 ARMOR DIV.  MOH, DSC, SILVER STAR	35TH INFANTRY DIV.  MOH, DSC, SILVER STAR	37TH INFANTRY DIV.  MOH, DSC, SILVER STAR

42D INFANTRY DIV.  MOH, DSC, SILVER STAR	63D INFANTRY DIV.  MOH, DSC, SILVER STAR	80TH INFANTRY DIV.  MOH, DSC, SILVER STAR	82D AIRBORNE DIV.  (WWI – PRESENT) MOH, DSC, SILVER STAR
KOREAN WAR			
2D INFANTRY DIV. VOLUME I  MOH, DSC, SS "A" - "K"	2D INFANTRY DIV. VOLUME II  SILVER STAR "L" - "Z"	3D INFANTRY DIV. VOLUME I  MOH, DSC, SS "A" - "K"	3D INFANTRY DIV. VOLUME II  MOH, DSC, SS "A" - "K"
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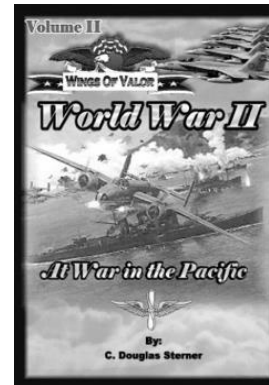
OTHER COLLECTIONS

WINGS OF VALOR

*A Projected 6-Volume History of
Army & Air Force Heroism in the Sky*

Volume I—The Birth of Military Aviation

Read the evolution of early combat aviation in World War II through the lives and actions of the 4 WWI Air Service Medal of Honor recipients. Follow the continuing efforts to establish a military air arm in the interim from 1918—1941.



Volume II—At War in the Pacific

From the attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941 until the close of 1943, the tide of war turned quickly in the Pacific. Through the lives, heroism, and in too many cases their death, the eight Pacific War Medal of Honor recipients from 1941 to 1943 reveal inspiring tales of the continuing evolution of combat aviation.



Volume III—Bombs Over Europe

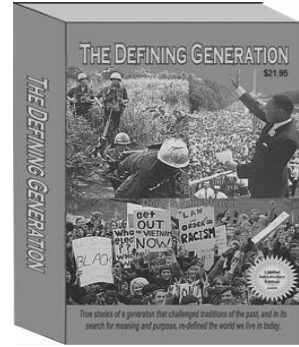
The stories of 18 Medal of Honor recipients demonstrate how the United States Army Air Forces went head-to-head with the vaunted German Luftwaffe, and gained the aerial superiority necessary to enable the subsequent D-Day ground invasion.



THE DEFINING GENERATION

True Stories of a generation that challenged the traditions of the past, and in its search for meaning and purpose, redefined the world we live in today.

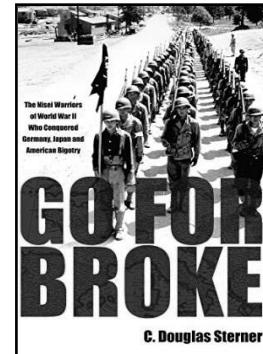
Fifteen years in development, “The Defining Generation” is a 600+ page tribute to the children of “The Greatest Generation.” Baby boomers themselves, authors Doug and Pam Sterner weave personal vignettes, history, and the inspiring true stories of heroes and leaders of their generation. It is a positive portrayal of a generation in rebellion that rose up against traditions of the past, rejecting “the establishment” and its narrow views of life, equality, poverty and world need. The genesis of their thesis: “The Greatest Generation indeed saved our world (in World War II), but their children redefined it, making it better.”



GO FOR BROKE:

The Nisei Warriors of World War II Who Conquered Germany, Japan, and American Bigotry

During World War II, Japanese-Americans were forcefully removed from their homes and businesses, and placed in “relocation” camps throughout the West. With countless instances of “Gestapo-like” tactics used against them, no one would have faulted them for being bitter or angry at the country that held them captive. Instead, the remarkable story of these Nisei (first generation Japanese born outside of Japan) warriors explains why they were eager to defend their American homeland, and how they became the most decorated fighting unit ever assembled in U.S. military history. Go For Broke is the incredible story of how these soldiers, known as the purple Heart Battalion,” helped liberate Europe, the Pacific, and America from its pervasive and systemic bigotry.



A SPLENDID LITTLE WAR

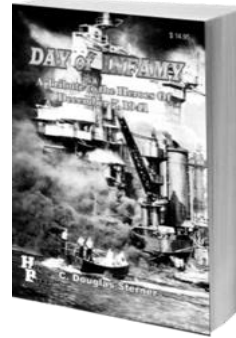
“A Splendid Little War” recounts the chronology of events leading up to and during the fighting of the Spanish-American War. Perhaps no war in our history has been more popular at home or among those who fought it. American media played a significant role in instigating war, and fanning the patriotic fervor that made it so. In these pages you will meet the heroes of both sides and follow the chronology of battle through the actions of the aging Civil War heroes that commanded the American forces, and the young Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Army Nurses who were conspicuous by their gallantry and devotion to duty and to each other.



DAY OF INFAMY

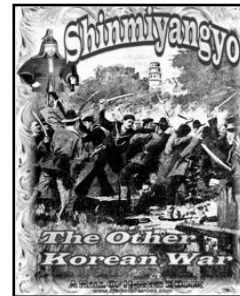
A Tribute to the Heroes of Pearl Harbor

The Japanese surprise attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, on December 7, 1941 was perhaps the most cataclysmic event of the 20th Century. Within two hours the U.S. Navy 's Pacific Fleet was almost completely destroyed and Americas air forces at Hawaii and in the Far East were nearly annihilated. "Day of Infamy" takes the reader through the chronology of that fateful day through the actions of the 15 Sailors whose heroic actions in earned them the Medal of Honor. The little known stories of other heroes, and interesting snippets of human interest, enhance the narrative. Liberally illustrated with photos, maps, and pictures of individual heroes, this book is more than a history book—it is a look inside the human character of those who faced unbelievable odds in the most trying of times.



SHINMIYANGYO—THE OTHER KOREAN WAR

This book details the first American incursion in Korea in 1871, with narratives that are woven through the actions of the 14 Marines and Navy Bluejackets who received Medals of Honor for this first foreign war.



BOOKS BY AND ABOUT US

HOW PUEBLO BECAME THE HOME OF HEROES

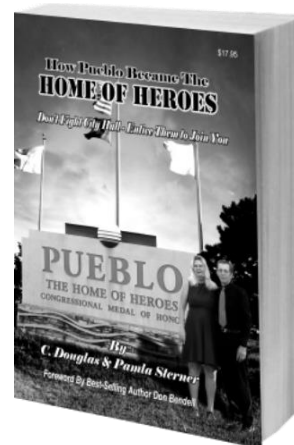
Don't Fight City Hall – Entice them to Join You

How Pueblo Became the Home of Heroes is much more than a fun read which is hard to put down. It is a memoir about the unique couple who spearheaded the drive to make Pueblo the Home of Heroes: Doug and Pam Sterner. Doug and Pam are both magicians, singers, ventriloquists, but more important, patriots.

Pueblo, Colorado, the town they live in, at one time, was the only city in America which was the home of four living recipients of the Medal of Honor. It prompted a President of the nation to ask, “Is there something in the water out there?”

The stories of the celebrity-filled visits to Pueblo by celebrities, such as Wayne Newton and Adrian Cronauer (Good Morning, Vietnam!) and too many Medal of Honor recipients to share are neat and interesting. Few have done more to honor Medal of Honor recipients and other recipients of valorous military awards for all branches than the Sterners. It is great to read the story behind the stories.

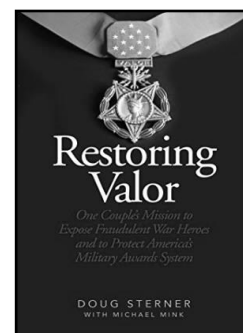
Don Bendell (Best-Selling Author)



RESTORING VALOR

One Couples Mission to Expose Fraudulent War Heroes and Protect Americas Military Awards System

Stolen valor occurs when a person lies about receiving military decorations that he or she has in fact never earned. It has become a major societal problem that has been discussed numerous times in the news and, most recently, by the US Supreme Court. In Restoring Valor, Doug Sterner provides riveting case studies of the stolen valor imposters he has investigated and exposed, and the serious crimes—including murder—they have committed. He chronicles the evolution of stolen valor from the inception of the republic to today. Sterner demonstrates why the federal law he and his wife Pam helped to enact, called the Stolen Valor Act, is necessary.



JAMIE 'S STORY: GOD IS GOOD

A True Story of Friendship and Faith

Jaime Pacheco, one of the last Army Rangers killed in the Vietnam War, was the close friend of this author. In this small booklet, Doug Sterner details his own missions as a combat correspondent with Jamie 's Ranger Team, the impact on his life of Jamie 's death after Doug returned home, and the unexpected reunion with Jaime 's family decades later. Originally written as a personal memoir, this touching story set the stage for Doug 's subsequent work in his Home Of Heroes website, and much more.

