



Honorable Discharge

This is to certify that

JOHN W. BURNS, 37 146 268, Technician Fifth Grade

48th Tank Battalion

Army of the United States

is hereby Honorably Discharged from the military service of the United States of America.

This certificate is awarded as a testimonial of Honest and Faithful Service to this country.

Given at SEPARATION CENTER
Fort Leavenworth, Kansas

Date 26 September 1945

STATE OF MISSOURI

Jefferson County, | ss.

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Mary E. Schmidt
County Clerk

Joseph L. Gutting
JOSEPH L. GUTTING,
Major, Inf.

ENLISTED RECORD AND REPORT OF SEPARATION HONORABLE DISCHARGE

1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL Burns John W			2. ARMY SERIAL NO. 37 146 268		3. GRADE Tec 5	4. ARM OR SERVICE ARMD	5. COMPONENT AUS		
6. ORGANIZATION 48th Tank Battalion			7. DATE OF SEPARATION 26 Sep 45		8. PLACE OF SEPARATION Separation Center Fort Leavenworth Kansas				
9. PERMANENT ADDRESS FOR MAILING PURPOSES 1022 Bell St % C W Burns Beatrice Gage Co Nebraska					10. DATE OF BIRTH 19 Sep 1915		11. PLACE OF BIRTH Beatrice Nebraska		
12. ADDRESS FROM WHICH EMPLOYMENT WILL BE SOUGHT See 9					13. COLOR EYES Brown	14. COLOR HAIR Brown	15. HEIGHT 5'6"	16. WEIGHT 165 LBS.	17. NO. DEPEND. 0
18. RACE X		19. MARITAL STATUS X		20. U.S. CITIZEN X		21. CIVILIAN OCCUPATION AND NO. Nursery Worker 3-39.10			

MILITARY HISTORY

22. DATE OF INDUCTION 22 Feb 42		23. DATE OF ENLISTMENT 22 Feb 42		24. DATE OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE SERVICE 22 Feb 42		25. PLACE OF ENTRY INTO SERVICE Fort Leavenworth Kansas	
26. REGISTERED X		27. LOCAL S.S. BOARD NO. 1		28. COUNTY AND STATE Gage Co Nebraska		29. HOME ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENTRY INTO SERVICE See 9	

30. MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTY AND NO. Cook 060		31. MILITARY QUALIFICATION AND DATE (i.e., infantry, aviation and marksman ship badges, etc.) Thompson Sub-Machine Gun 2nd Cl Gunner 27 Jan 43	
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32. BATTLES AND CAMPAIGNS
GO 33 WD 45 Naples-Foggia Rome-Arno Northern France Rhineland Central Europe

33. DECORATIONS AND CITATIONS
FOR CONVIENIENCE, A CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY NO. 23906 Nebr. HAS BEEN ISSUED BY THE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION TO BE USED FOR THE FUTURE REQUEST OF ANY GUARANTY OR INSURANCE BENEFIT UNDER TITLE 16 OF THE SERVICESMEN'S READJUSTMENT ACT OF 1944, AS AMENDED, THAT MAY BE AVAILABLE TO THE PERSON TO WHOM THIS SEPARATION PAPER WAS ISSUED. VARO Omaha Nebraska

34. WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION
None

35. LATEST IMMUNIZATION DATES				36. SERVICE OUTSIDE CONTINENTAL U.S. AND RETURN		
SMALLPOX	TYPHOID	TETANUS	OTHER (specify)	DATE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	DATE OF ARRIVAL
17 Oct 44	4 Sep 45	10 Jan 45		2 Apr 43	E A M E T	13 Apr 43
37. TOTAL LENGTH OF SERVICE				38. HIGHEST GRADE HELD		
CONTINENTAL SERVICE		FOREIGN SERVICE				
YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	
1	1	20	2	5	15	Tec 5
39. PRIOR SERVICE				7 Sep 45 U S A 16 Sep 45		

40. REASON AND AUTHORITY FOR SEPARATION
Convenience of Government RR 1-1 (Demobilization) AR 615-365 15 Dec 44

41. SERVICE SCHOOLS ATTENDED
None

42. EDUCATION (Years)		
Grammar	High School	College
8	1	0

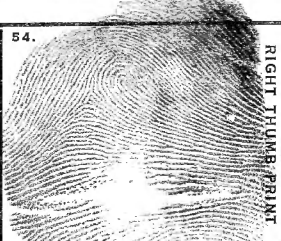
PAY DATA

43. LONGEVITY FOR PAY PURPOSES			44. MUSTERING OUT PAY		45. SOLDIER DEPOSITS	46. TRAVEL PAY	47. TOTAL AMOUNT, NAME OF DISBURSING OFFICER	
YEARS	MONTHS	DAYS	TOTAL	THIS PAYMENT	None	\$ 7.55	245.93	LOYD R BEVINGTON
3	7	5	\$ 300.00	\$ 100.00				

INSURANCE NOTICE

IMPORTANT IF PREMIUM IS NOT PAID WHEN DUE OR WITHIN THIRTY-ONE DAYS THEREAFTER, INSURANCE WILL LAPSE. MAKE CHECKS OR MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO THE TREASURER OF THE U. S. AND FORWARD TO COLLECTIONS SUBDIVISION, VETERANS ADMINISTRATION, WASHINGTON 25 D. C.

48. KIND OF INSURANCE		49. HOW PAID		50. Effective Date of Allotment Discontinuance	51. Date of Next Premium Due (One month after 50)	52. PREMIUM DUE EACH MONTH	53. INTENTION OF VETERAN TO	
Nat. Serv.	U.S. Govt.	None	Allotment	Direct to V. A.	30 Sep 45	31 Oct 45	\$ 3.44	5000
X			X					Continue Only Discontinue

54.  RIGHT THUMB PRINT

55. REMARKS (This space for completion of above items or entry of other items specified in W. D. Directives)
Lapel button issued ASR Score (12 May 45) 89

56. SIGNATURE OF PERSON BEING SEPARATED John W Burns		57. PERSONNEL OFFICER (Type name, grade and organization - signature) J B RABINOWITZ 1st Lt WAC Asst Adjutant	
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 Gage Co Nebraska
 at Leavenworth, Mo.
 12 May 45
 J. B. Rabinowitz
 County Clerk

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**ARMY
SEPARATION QUALIFICATION RECORD**

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LAST NAME BURNS	FIRST NAME JOHN	MIDDLE INITIAL W	ARMY SERIAL No. 37 146 268	GRADE Tec5	DATE OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE SERVICE 22 Feb 42	SEX M	DATE OF BIRTH 19 Sep 1915
PERMANENT ADDRESS FOR MAILING PURPOSES (STREET AND NUMBER, CITY, COUNTY, STATE) 1022 Bill Street, Beatrice, Gage County, Nebraska							

CIVILIAN EDUCATION

HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED 8$\frac{1}{2}$	LAST YEAR OF ATTENDANCE 1932	HIGHEST DEGREE RECEIVED None	MAJOR COURSE OF STUDY None	NAME AND ADDRESS OF LAST SCHOOL ATTENDED Beatrice High School Beatrice, Nebraska			
OTHER TRAINING OR SCHOOLING							
COURSE None	No. HRS.	COURSE	No. HRS.	COURSE	No. HRS.	COURSE	No. HRS.

SERVICE EDUCATION

SERVICE SCHOOL None	COURSE	WKS. OR HRS.	RATING	ARMY SPECIALIZED TRAINING PROGRAM			
				INSTITUTION WHERE ENROLLED	CURRICULUM AND TERM (COURSE OF TRAINING PURSUED)	NO. OF WEEKS	GRADUATED YES/NO
				None			

CIVILIAN OCCUPATIONS

MAIN OCCUPATION (TITLE) NURSERY WORKER			SECONDARY OCCUPATION (TITLE) NONE				
JOB SUMMARY Worked in nursery digging trees, grading, and doing general labor. Was foreman of the planting gang (12 men) in the nursery.			JOB SUMMARY				
No. OF YEARS	LAST DATE OF EMPLOYMENT	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	No. OF YEARS	LAST DATE OF EMPLOYMENT	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER		
10	Feb 42	Sondenger Nursery Beatrice, Nebraska					

MILITARY SPECIALTIES

ASSIGNMENTS									
YEARS	MONTHS	GRADE	PRINCIPAL DUTY	ARMY CODE No.	YEARS	MONTHS	GRADE	PRINCIPAL DUTY	ARMY CODE No.
3	6	Tec5	Cook	060					

SUMMARY OF MILITARY OCCUPATION AND CIVILIAN CONVERSIONS (SHOWN BY TITLE)

COOK: Prepared food for the personnel of a military organization using a daily menu as a guide. Seasoned and cooked meats, soups, desserts, vegetables, sauces, and gravies in accordance with military methods of food preparation. Understands all regulations governing kitchen sanitation. Has set-up and operated a field range. Served in Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria with the 636th Tank Destroyer Battalion for 29 months. **RELATED CIVILIAN OCCUPATIONS:** Chef III; Cook V; Short Order Chef; Pastry Chef II; Delicatessen Maker; and Kitchen Supervisor.

*THIS INFORMATION BASED ON SOLDIER'S STATEMENT. (INDICATE BY * ANY ITEMS NOT SUPPORTED BY MILITARY RECORDS)

DATE OF SEPARATION 26 Sep 45	SIGNATURE OF SOLDIER <i>John W Burns</i>	SIGNATURE OF SEPARATION CLASSIFICATION OFFICER <i>Chester J. Dickinson</i> CHESTER J. DICKINSON, Major AGD
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