

GENERAL ORDERS)

22 April 1945

NUMBER 118) AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded by the Commanding General to the following:

DORWIN B. CLAYTON, 38104369, Technician Fourth Grade, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, Headquarters, Special Troops, 63d Infantry Division, for gallantry in action on 19 March 1945, in the vicinity of Esenheim, Germany. During a mortar barrage which killed two officers, one enlisted man and wounded five others, Technician Fourth Grade Clayton, disregarding his own wound, directed two other soldiers in administering first aid under extreme difficulties and evacuating all wounded personnel to a position of safety. His gallant action in carrying out his assigned mission is in accord with the highest traditions of the Medical Corps. Entered military service from Otis, Colorado.

FLOYD L. EDSALL, 0555952, First Lieutenant, Infantry, Company "C", 254th Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 3 March 1945, in the vicinity of Hartungshof, Germany. Lieutenant Edsall went to the rescue of a seriously wounded man who was under intense enemy fire and successfully carried him through heavy enemy fire to a place of safety. This officer's outstanding gallantry is in accord with the highest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Sparks, Nevada.

→ FRED E. GUENTHER, 37151443, Sergeant, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, for gallantry in action on 17 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ommersheim, Germany. Called upon by an infantry officer to bring fire on enemy machine gun nests and pillboxes, Sergeant Guenther, disregarding his personal safety and under intense enemy artillery and mortar fire, made a foot reconnaissance to find the best possible firing positions for his tank destroyer. He led it to a firing position on the forward slope, knowing that he would probably draw direct fire. Exposing himself by standing in the turret he directed the fire of his tank destroyer and succeeded in knocking out the machine gun nests and pillboxes, allowing the infantry to breach the Siegfried Line. When his 90 millimeter gun became overheated and failed to fire he further exposed himself on the deck of the destroyer to fire the .50 caliber machine gun at enemy personnel. Sergeant Guenther's superior leadership, courage and devotion to duty reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces. Entered military service from Shambaugh, Iowa.

JOSEPH E. JOHNSON, 33700846, Technician Fifth Grade, Medical Department, Medical Detachment, 255th Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 15 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ommersheim, Germany. Although subjected to heavy artillery, mortar and small arms fire, Technician Fifth Grade Johnson, with utter disregard for personal safety, moved among the men of Company "K" administering first aid. Despite severe enemy artillery and machine gun fire, he carried severely wounded men to covered positions where first aid could be given and evacuation was possible. His outstanding gallantry and determination to perform his mission reflect great credit upon himself and the military service. Entered military service from Sarver, Pennsylvania.

MARTIN

HORACE A. MARTIN, 38665201, Private First Class, Infantry, Company "E", 254th Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 17 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ennsheim, Germany. During the attack on the Siegfried Line a strong enemy counter-attack, supported by artillery, forced the withdrawal of the entire company. Private First Class Martin, unconscious due to concussion from an enemy grenade, and six other wounded men were taken to an abandoned pillbox for protection. Shortly after Private First Class Martin regained consciousness, his company was forced to withdraw further, but although he realized the possibility of being either captured or killed by the enemy, he refused to go but elected to stay with the wounded men to care for and protect them. This brave and gallant action on the part of Private First Class Martin probably saved the lives of the wounded and is in keeping with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Mountain View, Arkansas.

→ FRED H. MENNING, 35478660, Staff Sergeant, Field Artillery, Company "C", *** Tank Destroyer Battalion, for gallantry in action on 30 March 1945, in the vicinity of Neuenheim, Germany. Sergeant Menning commanded a platoon of tank destroyers which was given the mission of supporting the infantry in attacking Neuenheim, Germany. He determinedly led his platoon through hostile fire to successfully neutralize enemy strongpoints. During this action he was severely wounded but continued to direct the fire of his destroyers until relieved. The tenacity and fortitude exhibited by Sergeant Menning undoubtedly saved the lives of many men in the attack and enabled the infantry to accomplish its mission. Entered military service from Lawrenceburg, Indiana.

PAUL R. MYERS, 02007088, Second Lieutenant, Infantry, Company "K", 255th Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 15 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ommersheim, Germany. When, during an attack, the advance of his company was held up by intense enemy small arms, mortar and artillery fire, Lieutenant Myers, commanding the leading platoon, displayed great calmness, courage and initiative in withdrawing his platoon from its exposed position and maneuvering to flank the enemy pocket of resistance, resulting in the capture by his platoon of nineteen prisoners, three self-propelled guns and one 150 millimeter howitzer and enabled the company to reach its objective. Lieutenant Myers' gallant performance inspired his men to overcome determined enemy resistance and reflects the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Los Angeles, California.

POWELL

WILLIAM R. POWELL, 20549054, Staff Sergeant, Infantry, Company "B", 253d Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 5 March 1945, in the vicinity of Sarreguemines, France. While his company was attacking, the enemy counter-attacked. Sergeant Powell, with utter disregard for personal safety, stood up and, advancing through intense machine gun and artillery fire, placed his men in position to successfully repel the counter-attack. Later, he administered aid to a severely wounded man whom the medical aid men had been unable to reach. Entered military service from Freeman, West Virginia.

By command of Major General HIBBS:

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Adjutant General.

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Colonel, G. S. C.,
Chief of Staff.

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23 April 1945

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Award of the Silver Star (Posthumous) I
Award of the Silver Star. II

I. AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR (POSTHUMOUS) - By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, by the Commanding General to the following:

OAL L. HUTCHISON, 18028714, Sergeant, Field Artillery, Battery "C", 863d Field Artillery Battalion, for gallantry in action on 15 February 1945, in the vicinity of Bliesbrucken Wald, France. Volunteering as field artillery observer in an attack, Sergeant Hutchison, without regard for his personal safety and under small arms, artillery and mortar fire, moved forward through an enemy mine-field to fulfill his mission. During this heroic action, Sergeant Hutchison contacted an enemy mine and was killed instantly. His sacrifice and outstanding courage remain as a lasting inspiration to members of his organization. Next of kin: Homer Hutchison (Father), Poughkeepsie, Arkansas.

WILLIAM A. KEIGHTLY, 33036372, Staff Sergeant, Infantry, Company "E", 254th Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 17 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ensheim, Germany. Sergeant Keightly was given the difficult task of leading his squad against a strongly fortified pillbox which had been retarding the advance of Company "E". During its advance, the squad was pinned down by intense enemy machine gun fire. Sergeant Keightly, quickly realizing that his entire squad would be soon wiped out by the enemy fire, moved to an exposed position and with his M-1 rifle, neutralized the pillbox, allowing his squad to withdraw. Sergeant Keightly was mortally wounded during this action. His gallant sacrifice and courageous leadership remain as a lasting inspiration to the men he led. Next of kin: Mrs. Emma Keightly (Mother), 321 Huntington Pike, Foxchase, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

II. AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR - By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Silver Star is awarded by the Commanding General to the following:

JAMES M. BOYD, 024168, Captain, Air Corps, Headquarters, Third Battalion, 255th Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 16 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ommerheim, Germany. Captain Boyd, as commanding officer of Company "K", personally led an assault through a wooded and mined area under intense enemy fire. A large number of the enemy were captured or wounded and an entire field artillery battalion was disabled. His personal direction and leadership during the attack were outstanding and enabled his company to reach and hold its objective promptly and with minimum casualties. The devotion to duty and outstanding gallantry in action displayed by Captain Boyd are in accord with the highest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from San Francisco, California.

FULMAN PRITCHARD, 38115102, Sergeant, Field Artillery, Company "C", 822d Tank Destroyer Battalion, for gallantry in action on 7 March 1945, in the vicinity of Schaffhausen, Germany. After placing his gun in direct firing position under enemy observation, Sergeant Pritchard opened fire on enemy strongpoints and outposts. After neutralizing the enemy, his gun position became the target of intense artillery and mortar fire. Displaying great leadership and bravery, Sergeant Pritchard ordered his squad into the basement of a nearby house while he remained at his gun position to operate his radio and telephone. During the intense shelling, the telephone line was broken, and with utter disregard for his personal safety, he dashed fifty yards in the midst of falling shells to make necessary repairs, then returned to his gun and radio and remained there until the shelling ceased. The outstanding gallantry displayed by Sergeant Pritchard is commensurate with the finest traditions of the military service. Entered military service from Blue Ridge, Texas.

OSCAR T. SEMIT, 36765828, Technical Sergeant, Infantry, Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 255th Infantry Regiment, for gallantry in action on 17 March 1945, in the vicinity of Heckendalheim, Germany. When Sergeant Semit, platoon sergeant of an anti-tank platoon, saw one of the guns of his platoon abandoned by its crew and still attached to the truck in an open field under heavy enemy machine gun fire, with great initiative and magnificent courage he crawled out to the truck and drove it to a concealed area, even though it was being pierced and all its tires punctured by machine gun fire at the time. His outstanding gallantry in saving his gun reflects great credit on himself and the military service. Entered military service from Chicago, Illinois.

→ OLIVER J. STEVENS, 31131235, Staff Sergeant, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, for gallantry in action on 18 March 1945, in the vicinity of Heckendalheim, Germany. Having no other means of communication, Sergeant Stevens personally and repeatedly contacted on foot, in the face of heavy enemy fire, the commanding officer of the infantry company to which his platoon was attached for information concerning enemy targets, after which in each instance he returned to his platoon and directed its fire on the indicated enemy machine gun nests and pillboxes. When the infantry was forced to withdraw, Sergeant Stevens kept his tank destroyers in position and continued firing until their ammunition was exhausted. The effective fire of his destroyers contributed greatly to the taking of the final objective by the infantry. Entered military service from Fairhaven, Massachusetts.

By command of Major General HIBBS:

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2 May 1945

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AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal is awarded by the Commanding General to the following:

HARRY J. MURPHY, 32293452, Staff Sergeant (then Technician Fourth Grade), Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 863d Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic achievement in action on 16 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ensheim, Germany. When his battery encountered severe enemy artillery fire, Sergeant Murphy repaired and maintained communications, enabling our artillery to adjust fire on the enemy. The courage displayed by Sergeant Murphy was an inspiration to all who witnessed his actions and contributed greatly to the success of the attack. Entered military service from Albany, New York.

BURON E. NAILS, 34355843, Private First Class, Field Artillery, Battery "B", 44th Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic achievement in action on 6 April 1945, in the vicinity of Buchhof, Germany. Private First Class Nails voluntarily occupied an exposed position under intense enemy fire to relay commands from the forward observer to the radio operator, thereby aiding in placing artillery fire on the attacking enemy. The courage displayed by Private First Class Nails was an inspiration to all who witnessed his actions and contributed greatly in repulsing the enemy attack. Entered military service from Buchanan, Georgia.

ANGELO E. PILLA, 01290123, Captain, Infantry, Company "E", 253d Infantry Regiment, for heroic achievement in action on 17 February 1945, in the vicinity of Munkirch, France. Company "E", of which Captain Pilla was commander, was ordered to re-take a position being counter-attacked by the enemy with self-propelled guns and infantry, and which was thought to have been overrun. Upon receiving the order to advance, Captain Pilla led his company in the face of heavy mortar and artillery fire until it occupied, consolidated, and held the position. The courage and leadership displayed by Captain Pilla were an inspiration to the men under him and contributed greatly to the success of the attack. Entered military service from Milford, Massachusetts.

ARTHUR J. PURCELL, 20233774, Technical Sergeant, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 863d Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic achievement in action on 16 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ensheim, Germany. When his battery encountered severe enemy artillery fire, Sergeant Purcell repaired and maintained communications, enabling our artillery to adjust fire on the enemy. The courage displayed by Sergeant Purcell was an inspiration to all who witnessed his actions and contributed greatly to the success of the attack. Entered military service from Montrose, New York.

→ GEORGE H. RITTER, 0439201, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, for heroic achievement in action on 18 March 1945, in the vicinity of Ommersheim, Germany. Lieutenant Ritter's platoon of tank destroyers was to pass through a breach in the Siegfried Line to support the infantry's attack. Finding the breach insufficient, he secured assistance from the engineers, exposing himself meanwhile to intense enemy fire. The breach was opened and his tank destroyers joined the infantry in its operations. The courage displayed by Lieutenant Ritter was an inspiration to the men under him and contributed greatly to the success of the attack. Entered military service from South Rockwood, Michigan.

ROBERT W. SELTON, 026673, First Lieutenant, Infantry, Headquarters, First Battalion, *** Infantry Regiment, for heroic achievement in action on 4 April 1945, in the vicinity of Untergiesheim, Germany. Although in an exposed position and subjected to intense enemy fire, by his careful observation and exact sensings, he was able to direct his mortar platoon's fire upon the enemy positions, causing him casualties and forcing his retreat. The courage and leadership displayed by Lieutenant Selton were an inspiration to the men under him and contributed greatly to the success of the attack. Entered military service from Forrest Hills, New York.

CHARLES W. SOUTHERLAND, 3665921, Technician Fifth Grade, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, *** Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic achievement in action on 6 April 1945, in the vicinity of Buchhof, Germany. Technician Fifth Grade Southerland, traveling alone in his vehicle, drove into a town during a heavy artillery and mortar barrage, followed by a counter-attack of infantry and armor, in order to find the infantry Battalion command post and his liaison officer. Failing to find them, he remained in the town and calmly directed our infantrymen to the only road left open and assisted in evacuating the wounded. The courage and leadership displayed by Technician Fifth Grade Southerland were an inspiration to all who witnessed his actions and contributed greatly to the comfort of the men under fire. Entered military service from Bloomington, Illinois.

HARRY L. TINDALL, 36076099, Corporal, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, *** Field Artillery Battalion, for heroic achievement in action on 6 April 1945, in the vicinity of Buchhof, Germany. During an enemy counter-attack upon the infantry to which he was assigned, Corporal Tindall, carrying a heavy radio, continued on his mission through exposed positions with complete disregard for personal safety. Under heavy enemy fire for four hours, he assisted in maintaining communications with his Artillery Battalion, thus enabling the liaison officer to protect our infantry with artillery fire. The courage displayed by Corporal Tindall was an inspiration to all who witnessed his actions and contributed greatly in repulsing of the enemy counter-attack. Entered military service from Bad Axe, Michigan.

By command of Major General HISSB:

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HEADQUARTERS 10th INFANTRY DIVISION
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AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, 27 September 1943, as amended, the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in connection with military operations against the enemy is awarded following named individuals:

CAPTAIN ROBERT J. BUTLER, 0435264, Field Artillery, Headquarters 363d Field Artillery Battalion, from 9 November 1944 to 7 April 1945 in France and Germany. Residence: Bayard, Nebraska.

CAPTAIN JAMES R. HUDSON, 0496257, Medical Corps, Company "D", 326th Medical Battalion, from 10 November 1944 to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Paducah, Ohio.

Technical Sergeant Lyndall E. Frazier, 37246609, Signal Corps, 103d Signal Company, from 10 November 1944 to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany, and Austria. Residence: Cowgill, Missouri.

Technician Fifth Grade Le Roy E. Patskowski, 36550515, Medical Department, Company "C", 326th Medical Battalion, on 15 - 17 November 1944 near Les Haute Jacques, France. Residence: Detroit, Michigan.

Private George T. Mathews, 14192033, Medical Department, Company "C", 326th Medical Battalion, on 16 - 17 November 1944 near Les Haute Jacques, France. Residence: Asheville, North Carolina.

Master Sergeant Andrew C. Millingham, 32163031, Ordnance Department, 603d Ordnance (LM) Company, from 10 November 1944 to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Harton, Texas.

Master Sergeant Julian T. Clemenger, 6644025, Ordnance Department, 603d Ordnance (LM) Company, from 24 January to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Elizabethtown, North Carolina.

Technical Sergeant Robert T. Anderson, 37190816, Ordnance Department, 603d Ordnance (LM) Company, from 10 November 1944 to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Colwell, Iowa.

Corporal Robert E. Vovles, 36551229, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 382nd Field Artillery Battalion, from 15 December 1944 to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Detroit, Michigan.

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AWARD OF BROTHER STAR ADAL (Cont'd)

FIRST LIEUTENANT JOHN S. DIBOSH, 01316421, Ordnance Department, 803d Ordnance (Hq) Company, from 10 November 1944 to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: St. Louis, Missouri.

Master Sergeant John M. Tardie, 33074052, Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery, 928th Field Artillery Battalion, from 10 November 1944 to 8 May 1945 in France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

→ Private First Class Sheldon W. Mcswelling, 11083371, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Dexter, Maine.

→ Sergeant Louis M. Grimm, 37081852, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Valbo, North Dakota.

→ Private First Class Dan R. Orth, 1707661A, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Kansas City, Missouri.

→ Corporal Theodor T. Bodline, 38139875, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Vernon, Texas.

→ Sergeant Milton E. Schaffer, 37126109, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Lemay, Missouri.

→ Sergeant Joseph J. Hays, 38115907, Field Artillery, Company "B", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Fort Worth, Texas.

→ Corporal Elmer E. Jackson, 38132029, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Chillicothe, Texas.

→ Private First Class Troy E. Burke, 37047743, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Prairie Hill, Texas.

→ Private First Class Stanley J. Gherab, 36602074, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Chicago, Illinois.

→ Technician Fifth Grade Raymond Hestad, 37126002, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Paxton, North Dakota.

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 AWARD OF ARMY MEDAL (Cont'd)

- Sergeant Jim F. Best, 37127453, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Pineville, Missouri.
- Sergeant William F. Burk, 37136019, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Arbyrd, Missouri.
- Technician Fifth Grade Jake W. Framer, 37333693, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Henderson, Colorado.
- Technician Fifth Grade Philip P. Foster, 37149987, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Glen Ullin, North Dakota.
- Sergeant Brady J. Green, 34018824, Field Artillery, Company "A", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Vicksburg, Mississippi.
- Sergeant Cyril F. Jerkhurst, 12051867, Field Artillery, Company "A", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Castleton, Kansas.
- Sergeant Kenneth S. Backlund, 20945066, Field Artillery, Company "A", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Bismarck, North Dakota.
- Sergeant Winnie A. Ellis, 37210532, Field Artillery, Company "A", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Kansas City, Kansas.
- Corporal Amador O. Sisneros, 39154612, Field Artillery, Company "C", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Compton, California.
- Sergeant Wilbur C. Buckley, 20928221, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Blackfoot, Idaho.
- Technician Fifth Grade John R. Nicholls, 37164314, Field Artillery, Reconnaissance Company, 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 8 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: St. Paul, Minnesota.

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→ Sergeant Donald D. Reed, 35331997, Field Artillery, Company "A", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 6 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Akron, Ohio.

→ Corporal Leon A. Riddle, 3115269, Field Artillery, Company "A", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 6 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Fort Oak, Texas.

→ Sergeant Herbal M. Hamberg, 37395571, Field Artillery, Company "A", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 6 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Oakland, Minnesota.

→ Sergeant John S. Wilson, 20745727, Field Artillery, Company "D", 776th Tank Destroyer Battalion, from 13 March 1943 to 6 May 1945 in North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and Austria. Residence: Bismarck, North Dakota.

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