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I -- SILVER STAR (Posthumous Award). Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Silver Star is awarded, posthumously, to the following enlisted man:

Staff Sergeant Robert M Swim, 35579575, Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the * * * sector, Normandy, France, 12 July 1944. When the withdrawal of his unit was necessitated by strong enemy opposition, Sergeant Swim, a rifle squad leader, exercising tactical acumen, directed his squad in an orderly manner to new positions, while himself remaining behind to cover their safe withdrawal. In rejoining his squad, he was killed by enemy action. The leadership displayed by Sergeant Swim, his gallantry in action and devotion to duty, reflect the highest credit upon his character as a soldier, and upon the military service. Entered military service from Indiana.

II -- SILVER STAR. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Silver Star is awarded to the following enlisted men of this command:

Staff Sergeant Ralph N Whiting, 20724123, Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the * * * sector, Normandy, France, on 19 July 1944. When he observed a large wrecker strike a mine and burst into flames, Sergeant Whiting went immediately into the flaming area and succeeded in evacuating an injured man trapped in the burning wreckage, to the side of the road. The enemy began to place observed mortar fire in the area, and Sergeant Whiting lifted the injured soldier to his shoulders and removed him to a place of safety. The gallant and courageous actions of Sergeant Whiting, who placed the welfare of an injured comrade above his personal safety, reflect the highest credit upon his character as a soldier and upon the military service. Entered military service from Kansas.

Sergeant John Morici, 32718488 (then private first class), Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the vicinity of * * *, France, on 30 July 1944. Sergeant Morici, an assistant machine gunner, together with the gunner successfully retarded an attempted enemy counterattack by exposing himself to enemy fire on his unit's flank and effectively firing his weapon until it was destroyed. Even then, he continued to harass the enemy with his pistol fire, as a result of which his unit was enabled to intercept the enemy counterattack. Sergeant Morici's zealous devotion to duty and his tenacity of purpose constitute such gallantry in action as to reflect high credit upon the military service. Entered military service from New York.

Private First Class Harry V Zarbaugh, 35415828, Infantry, United States Army, for gallantry in action in the * * * sector, France, 30 July 1944. Private Zarbaugh, a light machine gunner, aided by his assistant gunner, successfully retarded an attempted enemy counterattack by exposing himself to enemy fire on his unit's flank and effectively firing his weapon until it was destroyed, and he was wounded by enemy hand grenades. Despite his wound, Private Zarbaugh continued to harass and delay the enemy with his pistol fire, as a result of which his unit was enabled to intercept the enemy counterattack. Private Zarbaugh's zealous devotion to duty and his tenacity of purpose constitute such gallantry in action as to reflect high credit upon the military service. Entered military service from Ohio.

III -- BRONZE STAR MEDAL (Posthumous Awards). Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded, posthumously to the following enlisted men:

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First Sergeant Warren P Schrader, 37070691, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 6 September 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

Technical Sergeant James A Murray, 20607323, Infantry, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * sector, Normandy, France, on 15 July 1944. Sergeant Murray, a first scout, voluntarily went forward under heavy enemy fire and, together with another enlisted man, evacuated wounded soldiers who were left behind when their unit was forced to withdraw. The brave actions of Sergeant Murray, who placed the welfare of wounded comrades above his personal safety, reflect credit upon his character as a soldier. Entered military service from Illinois.

IV -- BRONZE STAR MEDAL. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Bronze Star Medal is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men of this command:

Captain Victor H English, 01310423, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 15 July to 8 September 1944. Entered military service from Oregon.

Captain Daniel C Gust, 01169991, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Captain Gust left the protection of his slit trench and supervised, directed and assisted a group of soldiers in extinguishing the fire. The heroic actions of Captain Gust, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from North Dakota.

Captain James A Leach, 0283517, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 15 July to 8 September 1944. Entered military service from Iowa.

Captain Harvey A Smith, 0294924, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 12 September 1944. Entered military service from Texas.

Captain George A Stevens, 0408430, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service 15 to 16 August 1944. Entered military service from New York.

First Lieutenant Charles E Etchison, 01169094, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Lieutenant Etchison left the protection of his slit trench and supervised, directed and assisted a group of soldiers in extinguishing the fire. The heroic actions of Lieutenant Etchison, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from Indiana.

First Lieutenant Orval E Faubus, 01306079, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 11 September 1944. Entered military service from Arkansas.

First Lieutenant Morton Kligerman, 01305268, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 11 September 1944. Entered military service from New York.

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First Lieutenant Harold E Peterson, 01313917, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 8 September 1944. Entered military service from California.

Second Lieutenant Carl Ernelbauer, 01325186, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 5 August 1944. Entered military service from New York.

Staff Sergeant Howard L Fonck, 20732875, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Sergeant Fonck left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Sergeant Fonck, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from Kansas.

Staff Sergeant Adam S Harowicz, 33609009 (then private first class), Infantry, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, Normandy, France, on 15 July 1944. Sergeant Harowicz, a scout, voluntarily went forward under heavy enemy fire and, together with another enlisted man, evacuated wounded soldiers who were left behind when their unit was forced to withdraw. The brave actions of Sergeant Harowicz, who placed the welfare of wounded comrades above his personal safety, reflect credit upon his character as a soldier. Entered military service from Pennsylvania.

Staff Sergeant Eddie Hill, 34075058, Infantry, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, Normandy, France, on 16 July 1944. Sergeant Hill was one of a group of seven soldiers who refused to withdraw when their platoon was forced back one hedgerow by an enemy counterattack. Attempting to hold its position, this group courageously withstood several counterattacks and inflicted heavy losses upon the enemy before it withdrew. In the interim, the platoon gained time to reorganize and successfully withstand another heavy counterattack. The courage and initiative on the part of Sergeant Hill reflect credit upon his character as a soldier. Entered military service from Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant Donald F Mulliner, 39027412, Field Artillery, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 15 July to 5 September 1944. Entered military service from Utah.

Staff Sergeant James S Sims, 34684773, Field Artillery, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 19 August 1944. Entered military service from Georgia.

Staff Sergeant Donald R Thompson, 20733414, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0030 on 10 August a camouflage net and some 105mm ammunition were set on fire during a bombing and strafing attack by enemy aircraft, when two large bombs exploded at a gun position. Sergeant Thompson left the protection of his foxhole, exposed himself to the continuous bombing and strafing, and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire with his bare hands. The heroic actions of Sergeant Thompson, his coolness and disregard for personal safety, not only saved the gun position from serious damage, but eliminated a dangerous fire which would have served as a reference point for enemy aircraft. Entered military service from Kansas.

Staff Sergeant Arthur L Venneman, 37002830, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service from 11 July to 31 August 1944. Entered military service from Kansas.

Sergeant Henry L Christie, 35247020, Infantry, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * sector, Normandy, France, 22 July 1944. When an enemy patrol

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attacked a gun position on a dark and rainy night, forcing the guard to withdraw, Sergeant Christie, together with his assistant gunner, left his foxhole in the rear of the gun position, went forward and threw hand grenades at the enemy, recovering the gun and driving the enemy patrol from the area. Sergeant Christie's courage, coolness and disregard for personal safety reflect credit upon his character as a soldier. Entered military service from Ohio.

Sergeant Virgil P Stephan, 37150004, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Sergeant Stephan left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Sergeant Stephan, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from Kansas.

Technician Fourth Grade Joseph E Runck, 39188296, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Technician Runck left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Technician Runck, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from North Dakota.

Corporal Jack Lindeman, 20723946, Infantry, United States Army, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding service on 22 August 1944. Entered military service from Missouri.

Corporal Eddie L Moreland, 19063554, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Corporal Moreland left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Corporal Moreland, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from California.

Corporal Modesto G Trevino, 38094635, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0030 on 10 August, a camouflage net and some 105mm ammunition were set on fire during a bombing and strafing attack by enemy aircraft, when two large bombs exploded at a gun position. Corporal Trevino left the protection of his slit trench, exposed himself to the continuous bombing and strafing, and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire with his bare hands. The heroic actions of Corporal Trevino, his coolness and disregard for personal safety, not only saved the gun position from serious damage, but eliminated a dangerous fire which would have served as a reference point for enemy aircraft. Entered military service from Texas.

Technician Fifth Grade David F Brown, 34646288, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0042, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Technician Brown left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Technician Brown, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from South Carolina.

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Technician Fifth Grade Peter Ourfalian, 31334683, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * , sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Technician Ourfalian left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Technician Ourfalian, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from Connecticut.

Technician Fifth Grade Charles E Smith, 20760087, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States near * * * , Normandy, France, on 22 July 1944. On the night of 22 July, Technician Smith, accompanied by a machine gunner, was detailed to haul water to his battery position. Upon the return trip, from the water point, he was subjected to heavy enemy artillery fire, and his machine gunner was wounded by shell fragments. Disregarding the continuing artillery barrage, Technician Smith calmly administered first aid, then placed the wounded soldier in the truck and evacuated him to a clearing station. He then completed his mission, after again encountering enemy artillery fire. The personal bravery, devotion to duty, and disregard for personal safety on the part of Technician Smith reflect credit upon his character as a soldier. Entered military service from Kansas.

Private First Class Lester Crockett, 39171213, Infantry, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * sector, Normandy, France, 22 July 1944. When an enemy patrol attacked a gun position on a dark and rainy night, forcing the guard to withdraw, Private Crockett, together with his squad leader, left his foxhole in the rear of the gun position, went forward and threw hand grenades at the enemy, recovering the gun and driving the enemy patrol from the area. Private Crockett's courage, coolness and disregard for personal safety reflect credit upon his character as a soldier. Entered military service from Washington.

Private First Class Robert J Powers, 6149548, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Private Powers left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Private Powers, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from Rhode Island.

Private Richard W Baird, 19078419, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0030 on 10 August, a camouflage net and some 105mm ammunition were set on fire during a bombing and strafing attack by enemy aircraft, when two large bombs exploded at a gun position. Private Baird left the protection of his slit trench, exposed himself to the continuous bombing and strafing, and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire with his bare hands. The heroic actions of Private Baird, his coolness and disregard for personal safety, not only saved the gun position from serious damage, but eliminated a dangerous fire which would have served as a reference point for enemy aircraft. Entered military service from California.

Private Thomas Cooper, 34645351, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0030 on 10 August, a camouflage net and some 105mm ammunition were set on fire during a bombing and strafing attack by enemy aircraft, when two large bombs exploded at a gun position. Private Cooper left the protection of his slit trench, exposed himself to the continuous bombing and strafing, and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire with his bare hands. The heroic actions of Private Cooper, his coolness and disregard for personal safety, not only saved the gun position from serious damage,

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but eliminated a dangerous fire which would have served as a reference point for enemy aircraft. Entered military service from South Carolina.

Private Anthony P Ferraris, 19005034, Field Artillery, United States Army, for heroic service in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States, in the * * * sector, France, on 10 August 1944. About 0040, 10 August 1944, a truck loaded with 105mm ammunition was set afire during an enemy bombing and strafing attack, endangering all troops and materiel of the battery and serving as a signal light for enemy aircraft and artillery. Although the area was subjected to continuous anti-personnel bombing and strafing, Private Ferraris left the protection of his slit trench and, with the aid of other soldiers, extinguished the fire. The heroic actions of Private Ferraris, his coolness, initiative and disregard for personal safety, not only prevented destruction of the ammunition truck and considerable materiel, but undoubtedly prevented casualties among the personnel of the battery. Entered military service from Oregon.

V — PURPLE HEART. Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, a Purple Heart is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men of this command for wounds received in action against the enemy in France on dates indicated:

<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
First Lieutenant Russell S Harper 01290241, Infantry	11 Sep	Virginia
Second Lieutenant James A Ball 01304486, Infantry	15 Sep	New York
Second Lieutenant Howard R Bondie 01320215, Infantry	10 Sep	Michigan
Second Lieutenant Michael A DeFeen 01290767, Infantry	22 Aug	Pennsylvania
Second Lieutenant James N Lloyd 0537188, Infantry	12 Sep	Pennsylvania
Technical Sergeant Arnold L Barden 20607050, Infantry	15 Sep	Wisconsin
Technical Sergeant Harry E McEntaffer 20723168, Infantry	11 Sep	Nebraska
Staff Sergeant August Anderson 37169023, Infantry	8 Aug	Minnesota
Staff Sergeant Oscar E Bruner 37070858, Infantry	15 Sep	Kansas
Staff Sergeant Edward E Dagenhart 20724955, Infantry	13 Sep	Kansas
Staff Sergeant Okey J Harvey 35207706, Infantry	1 Aug	West Virginia
Staff Sergeant Charlie A McGarrah 36077287, Infantry	28 Jul	Illinois
Staff Sergeant Stanley Porter 37169124, Infantry	13 Sep	Minnesota
Staff Sergeant Cleo L Schroeder 35541933, Infantry	11 Sep	Ohio
Staff Sergeant Steve Stamis 32018362, Infantry	1 Aug	New York
Staff Sergeant William I Wagoner 20725405, Infantry	13 Sep	Kansas
Technician Third Grade Earl Spengler 20726741, Medical Department	14 Sep	Kansas
Sergeant Harland W Balfanz 37303029, Infantry	11 Sep	Minnesota
Sergeant Reuben R Belis 39281482, Infantry	12 Aug	California
Sergeant Warren Hatfield 7027657, Infantry	11 Aug	West Virginia
Sergeant Ralph C Kent 20725550, Infantry	13 Sep	Kansas
Sergeant Raymond Meier 37070797, Infantry	13 Sep	Kansas
Sergeant William L Place 33503573, Infantry	11 Sep	Pennsylvania
Sergeant S L Rich 34881613, Infantry	11 Sep	Tennessee
Sergeant Harvey H Strobels 37282557, Infantry	12 Sep	South Dakota
Sergeant Buster B Thompson 37107812, Infantry	13 Aug	Arkansas
Technician Fourth Grade Elmer F Christensen 20721284, Infantry	11 Sep	Nebraska
Technician Fourth Grade Walfred E Gustafson 39171479, Medical Department	12 Sep	Washington
Corporal James E Wells 20724730, Infantry	13 Sep	Kansas
Technician Fifth Grade Charles J Dick 33831673, Medical Department	12 Sep	Pennsylvania
Technician Fifth Grade Job Harvey 33353924, Infantry	23 Aug	Pennsylvania
Technician Fifth Grade Harry A Johnson 37275035, Medical Department	2 Aug	South Dakota
Technician Fifth Grade Alvin E Snead 39392645, Medical Department	15 Sep	California
Private First Class Herbert J Adams 37581456, Infantry	11 Sep	Minnesota
Private First Class Kenneth E Baird 35541900, Infantry	18 Aug	Ohio
Private First Class Leo J Balkus 36378514, Infantry	13 Sep	Illinois
Private First Class Lloyd R Barnett 34880197, Infantry	13 Sep	Tennessee
Private First Class Edwin F Bell 31303788, Infantry	14 Sep	Massachusetts
Private First Class Raymond H Bondie 36570905, Infantry	31 Jul	Michigan

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Private First Class Robert E Boroszewics 32171811, Infantry	13 Sep	New York
Private First Class John J Bransky 12008409, Infantry	15 Sep	New Jersey
Private First Class Kenneth L Clementson 37096036, Infantry	10 Aug	Minnesota
Private First Class Leonard L Coffman 6230052, Infantry	17 Aug	Iowa
Private First Class Robert M Conklin 32939097, Infantry	15 Sep	New York
Private First Class Paul I DeVoss 20721127, Infantry	15 Sep	Nebraska
Private First Class Herbert P Desrochers 11084887, Infantry	13 Sep	Vermont
Private First Class Tresco L Downum 34910072, Infantry	11 Sep	Georgia
Private First Class Henry E Els 36196135, Infantry	15 Sep	Michigan
Private First Class Julian S Gdzinski 31381655, Infantry	12 Sep	Connecticut
Private First Class J Hugh Gregory 35105179, Infantry	17 Aug	Kentucky
Private First Class Lyle G Grove 37134696, Infantry	12 Sep	Missouri
Private First Class William D Hammersley 33048133, Infantry	12 Sep	Virginia
Private First Class Donald E Haviland 37300790, Infantry	11 Aug	Minnesota
Private First Class J B Hawkins 34505520, Infantry	11 Sep	Tennessee
Private First Class Alvin C Kinsing 32951954, Medical Department	12 Sep	New Jersey
Private First Class Norman P Laedke 32015521, Infantry	11 Aug	New York
Private First Class Harold C Lincoln 36612386, Infantry	10 Aug	Illinois
Private First Class Iraeal R Livingstone Jr 34038763, Infantry	11 Sep	North Carolina
Private First Class Clifford E Mackey 20721683, Infantry	13 Sep	Nebraska
Private First Class William J McCracken 12005703, Infantry	12 Sep	New York
Private First Class Russell O Milz 36561269, Infantry	14 Sep	Michigan
Private First Class Ernest L Moll 20734940, Infantry	13 Sep	Kansas
Private First Class John W Munst 36552586, Infantry	17 Aug	Michigan
Private First Class Clarence A Murphy 34505316, Infantry	10 Aug	Tennessee
Private First Class Harold E Onnen 37111211, Infantry	13 Sep	Iowa
Private First Class John W H Patrick 32609483, Infantry	12 Sep	New York
Private First Class Joseph A Pietrzak 36903045, Infantry	13 Sep	Illinois
Private First Class Irwin W Radeck 37144910, Infantry	15 Sep	Kansas
Private First Class Thomas N Ramsey 37527783, Infantry	18 Aug	Kansas
Private First Class Joseph A Rotella 32747851, Infantry	8 Aug	New York
Private First Class Theodore W Schack 36561782, Infantry	11 Sep	Michigan
Private First Class August R Schreiber 20231964, Infantry	12 Sep	New Jersey
Private First Class Richard A Schultz 32781966, Infantry	11 Sep	New York
Private First Class Rome E Scott 35506441, Infantry	16 Aug	Indiana
Private First Class Henry G Shanelc 37144647, Infantry	13 Jul	Kansas
Private First Class John P Stampfel 20725092, Infantry	12 Sep	Kansas
Private First Class Charles G Stephens 34504752, Infantry	13 Sep	Tennessee
Private First Class Elmo Umfleet 34603346, Infantry	2 Aug	North Carolina
Private First Class Claude B Webb 35566030, Infantry	12 Aug	Indiana
Private First Class Raymond J Wehn 32782016, Infantry	31 Jul	New York
Private First Class Horace L West 34677885, Infantry	13 Sep	North Carolina
Private First Class Emery R Woolrey 37145158, Infantry	17 Aug	Missouri
Private Francis B Abare 32746708, Infantry	12 Sep	New York
Private Eugene F Atwell 35763213, Medical Department	15 Sep	West Virginia
Private Louis A Bove 42026448, Infantry	31 Jul	New York
Private Merle M Burke 6292194, Infantry	13 Sep	Texas
Private Guy R Burns Jr 35707755, Infantry	13 Sep	Kentucky
Private Robert H Dowdee 35903326, Infantry	12 Sep	Indiana
Private Joseph R Fowee 15057100, Infantry	12 Sep	Kentucky
Private Henry I Gorak 36561726, Infantry	30 Jul	Michigan
Private Eugene Kloskowski 31379199, Infantry	14 Sep	Connecticut
Private Ritchie Ledbetter 35641765, Infantry	11 Aug	West Virginia
Private Emmett F Lough 37660654, Infantry	12 Aug	Iowa
Private Edward P Markunas 36697944, Infantry	12 Sep	Illinois
Private Lawrence N McBrien 20726616, Infantry	17 Aug	Kansas
Private James J McGowan 33592252, Infantry	12 Sep	Pennsylvania
Private Charles G McMahan 33044508, Infantry	12 Sep	Washington, DC
Private Dallas A Newell 39469837, Infantry	12 Sep	Idaho
Private Leonard Neering 32609174, Infantry	10 Sep	New Jersey
Private William P Ott 33594655, Infantry	14 Sep	Pennsylvania

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Private Joseph T Petro 32958231, Medical Department	13 Sep	Delaware
Private Edwin Pina 31236736, Infantry	19 Aug	Massachusetts
Private Joseph R Shapinas Jr 32939104, Infantry	1 Aug	New York
Private Clarence Shehan 33762056, Medical Department	14 Sep	Pennsylvania
Private Walter Slipiec 33477434, Infantry	8 Aug	Pennsylvania
Private Rosendo Villa 38578534, Infantry	12 Sep	New Mexico
Private Thomas L Warren 39705155, Infantry	11 Sep	California
Private Edward C Wilhelm 33924132, Infantry	11 Sep	Ohio
Private Valentine C Zilinsky 15010999, Infantry	12 Sep	Ohio

VI — PURPLE HEART (OAK-LEAF CLUSTER). Pursuant to authority contained in AR 600-45, dated 22 September 1943, as amended, and Circular 6, Headquarters Third United States Army, 26 April 1944, in addition to the Purple Heart previously awarded, a bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded to the following officer and enlisted men of this command, for wounds received in action against the enemy in France on dates indicated:

<u>RANK, NAME, ASN AND BRANCH</u>	<u>DATE WOUNDED</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Major Frederick C Roecker Jr 024681, Infantry	11 Sep	Washington
Staff Sergeant Arthur A Day 37001841, Infantry	1 Aug	Iowa
Staff Sergeant Charles K Poorman 37070421, Infantry	12 Sep	Kansas
Sergeant Reuben R Bellis 39281482, Infantry	13 Sep	California
Private First Class Mason Herrin 38540958, Infantry	10 Aug	Texas

By command of Major General BAADE:

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