

HEADQUARTERS 106TH INFANTRY DIVISION
A.P.O. #443, U. S. Army

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NO. 21)

16 February 1945

AWARD OF PURPLE HEART

Under the provisions of AR 600-45, 22 September 1943, as amended, and pursuant to authority contained in Circular 2, First United States Army, 4 January 1945, the Purple Heart is awarded to the following officers and enlisted men for wounds received in action against the enemy in Northwest Europe, on the date shown:

424TH INFANTRY

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
First Lieutenant Costigan, Charles H	0 528 468	14 January 45	New Hampshire
First Lieutenant Logan, Robert G	01 307 264	15 January 45	Iowa
Staff Sergeant Faulkner, George H	31 068 117	24 January 45	Massachusetts
Staff Sergeant Gillespie, Earl L	14 009 839	24 January 45	North Carolina
Staff Sergeant Long, Oscar A, Jr (then Sergeant)	34 644 579	24 December 44	South Carolina
Staff Sergeant Yakupchina, Andrew G (then Sergeant)	33 464 886	13 January 45	Pennsylvania
Sergeant Klenke, Owen E	36 573 200	14 January 45	Michigan
Sergeant Liggett, Robert G	36 961 696	30 January 45	Illinois
Sergeant Nelson, Harold V (then Private First Class)	17 082 962	28 December 44	Missouri
Corporal Sevas, Stanley	31 022 661	26 January 45	Connecticut
Corporal Shaver, Alan E	16 102 222	1 February 45	Illinois
Technician Fifth Grade Brooks, Carl D	34 724 615	24 January 45	Tennessee
Technician Fifth Grade Kruppo, Adolph S	32 771 846	24 January 45	New Jersey
Technician Fifth Grade Matscherz, Edward K	33 401 837	30 January 45	Pennsylvania
Technician Fifth Grade Melanson, Alderick R	31 301 996	24 January 45	Massachusetts
Technician Fifth Grade Werner, Albert V	32 498 061	24 January 45	New York
Private First Class Alva, Moses M (then Private)	38 677 721	17 January 45	Texas
Private First Class Anderkin, Bert	35 899 186	30 January 45	Indiana
Private First Class Garabedian, Aram	33 408 934	9 February 45	Pennsylvania
Private First Class Peltier, Loress J	38 652 421	16 January 45	Louisiana
Private First Class Schlesinger, Richard H	15 358 855	15 January 45	Ohio
Private First Class Schull, Walter (then Private)	33 935 684	24 January 45	Pennsylvania
Private First Class Stanley, Joseph E	36 165 663	24 December 44	Michigan
Private First Class Welsh, Harry J	33 806 793	14 January 45	Pennsylvania
Private Borman, Glen A	36 989 587	26 January 45	Wisconsin
Private French, William A	36 874 357	13 January 45	Michigan
Private Hester, Joseph E	35 827 641	14 January 45	Kentucky
Private Jones, John F	6 987 405	15 January 45	West Virginia
Private Rogers, Robert S	20 756 318	9 February 45	Missouri

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592D FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>ENTERED MILITARY SERVICE FROM</u>
Private First Class Chmielewski, Steve F	6 712 017	13 January 45	New York
Private First Class Erdman, Issy (then 589th Field Artillery Battalion)	35 024 883	31 December 44	Ohio
Private First Class Lindsay, Carl M (then Private)	34 920 881	12 January 45	Tennessee

331ST MEDICAL BATTALION

Private First Class West, Dana A, Jr	33 306 929	20 January 45	Pennsylvania
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81ST ENGINEER BATTALION

Captain Wells, James E	01 107 226	8 February 45	Michigan
First Lieutenant Merwin, Fredrick W	0 555 198	26 January 45	Pennsylvania
Sergeant Gallagher, John I	33 487 155	8 February 45	Pennsylvania
Sergeant Hale, William M	37 605 324	26 January 45	Missouri
Technician Fourth Grade Sollars, Robert J	36 124 270	8 February 45	Michigan
Corporal Cook, Robert J	34 338 978	8 February 45	Alabama
Corporal Leon, Frank, Jr (then Private First Class)	33 575 461	12 December 44	Pennsylvania
Corporal Smith, J C	34 088 229	26 January 45	Georgia
Private First Class Gregory, Frank R	38 629 517	8 February 45	Texas
Private Basinger, Albert F, Sr	34 814 973	8 February 45	Alabama
Private Karras, Elmer A	36 478 648	26 January 45	Illinois
Private Talley, Otto B, Jr	33 628 186	26 January 45	Virginia

106TH MILITARY POLICE PLATOON

Sergeant McCreery, William H	31 013 206	20 December 44	Rhode Island
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By command of Major General STROH:

WILLIAM C. BAKER, JR.
Colonel, G.S.C.
Chief of Staff

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