



**Elmer  
Keech**

*Army*

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**Aug 17, 1922 -**

**BIRTHPLACE: Emporia, Kansas**

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### **SOLDIER DETAILS**

**DIVISION: Army, 96th Infantry Division, 381st  
Infantry Regiment**

**THEATER OF OPERATION: Pacific**

**SERVED: Oct 1, 1942 - Jan 1, 1946**

**HONORED BY: Wife, Alice Keech; Daughters: Pam  
Harnden and Marilyn Bean**

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### **BIOGRAPHY**

Elmer participated in the Beachheads at Leyte, Philippines and in Okinawa. He received the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart.