



**Homer
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Army

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Oct 16, 1914 - Feb 4, 1991

BIRTHPLACE: Stevens County Kansas

SOLDIER DETAILS

HIGHEST RANK: Private First Class

DIVISION: Army, 123rd Infantry

THEATER OF OPERATION: Pacific

SERVED: Feb 22, 1942 - Nov 19, 1945

HONORED BY: Rita Nix Burch

BIOGRAPHY

A Kansas farm boy who served in the Civilian Conservation Corps during the 1930's where he learned to be a Jeep mechanic. When drafted he trained in Tennessee, Ft. Lewis, Washington and in the Mojave Desert prior to being shipped out to the Hawaiian Islands and then on to Luzon, Philippines and New Guinea where he served as a combat infantryman and Jeep driver. He earned the following medals: American Service medal, Asiatic Pacific Service medal, Philippine Liberation medal with a Bronze Star, Good Conduct medal, and a World War II Victory medal.