

Coral Ridge Man Slain.

One Kentuckian has been killed in action in France, fourteen Louisvillians and sixty-eight other Kentuckians have been wounded in the European area, the War Department disclosed yesterday.

Dead.

SHIELDS, Pfc. Willie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie H. Shields, Coral Ridge, killed in action August 30 in France. Entering the service May 11, 1943, Shields went overseas a year later. Also surviving are



**Willie
Shields**

Army

Willie Shields

May 15, 1924 - Aug 30, 1944

BIRTHPLACE: Boston, Kentucky

SOLDIER DETAILS

HIGHEST RANK: Pfc

DIVISION: Army, 29th Infantry Division 116th
Infantry Regiment Company C

THEATER OF OPERATION: European

SERVED: May 11, 1943 - Aug 30, 1944

BATTLE: D-Day St. Lo Brest, France

MILITARY HONORS: Purple Heart World War II
Victory Medal Bronze Star European Campaign
medal (with 3 Battle Stars Good Conduct Medal
American Campaign Medal (did not Receive)

HONORED BY: me

KILLED IN ACTION

BIOGRAPHY

He fought and was killed in action in Brest, France