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Gary L. Baker

Glen E. Kline

Gordon Richard Fultz, Jr.

Gordon Richard Fultz III

SFC Harold E. Jefferys

James R. Jones

Jerrold I. Bishop, Jr.

Major John Millard Kuhn

John R. Weader

Kelly J. Weader Ringaman

Kenneth E. Kelly

Martin Clayton Fultz

CPT. Nathan E. Gargus

Ned Allen Boonie, Sr.

Richard E. Wright

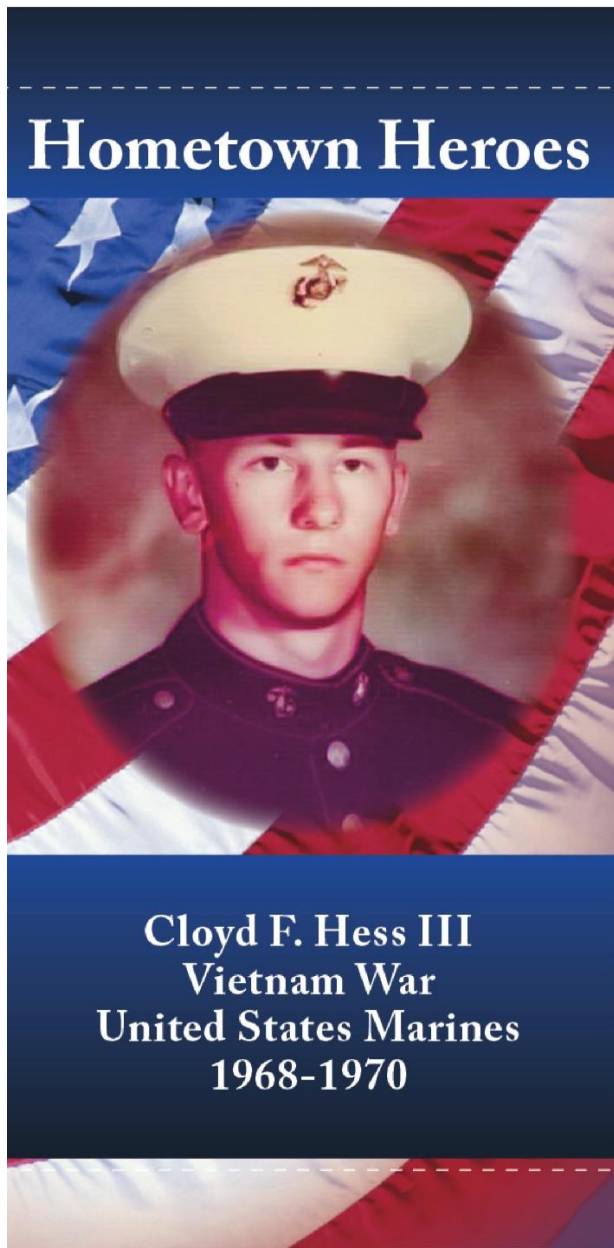
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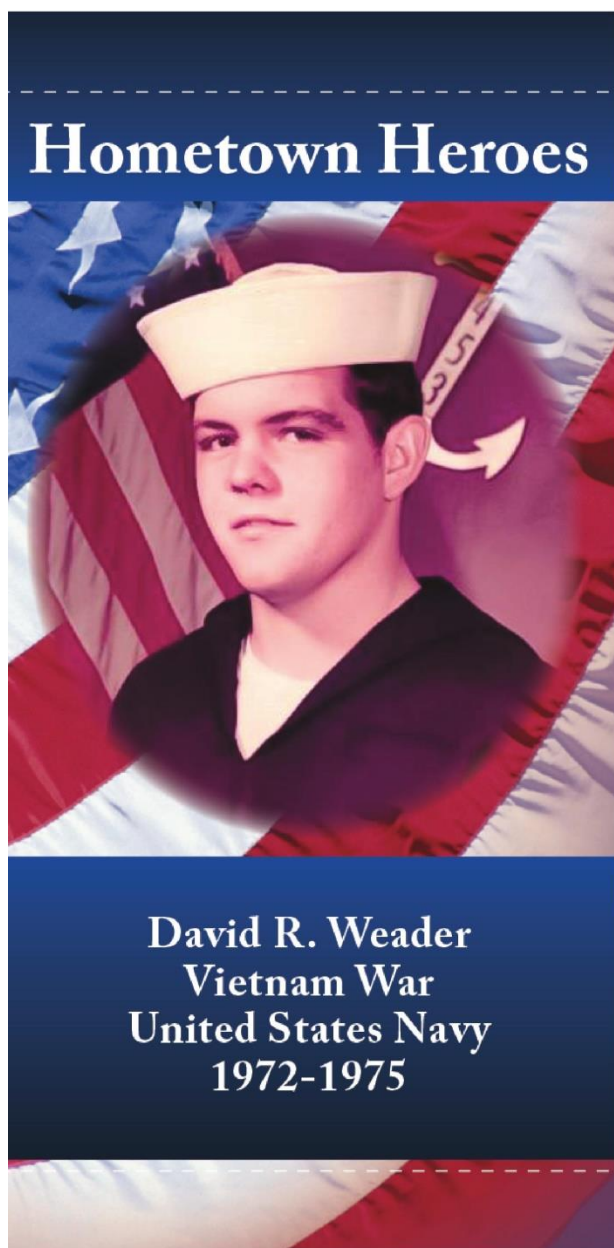
Vietnam War

United States Marines

1968-1970

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DAVID R. WEADER

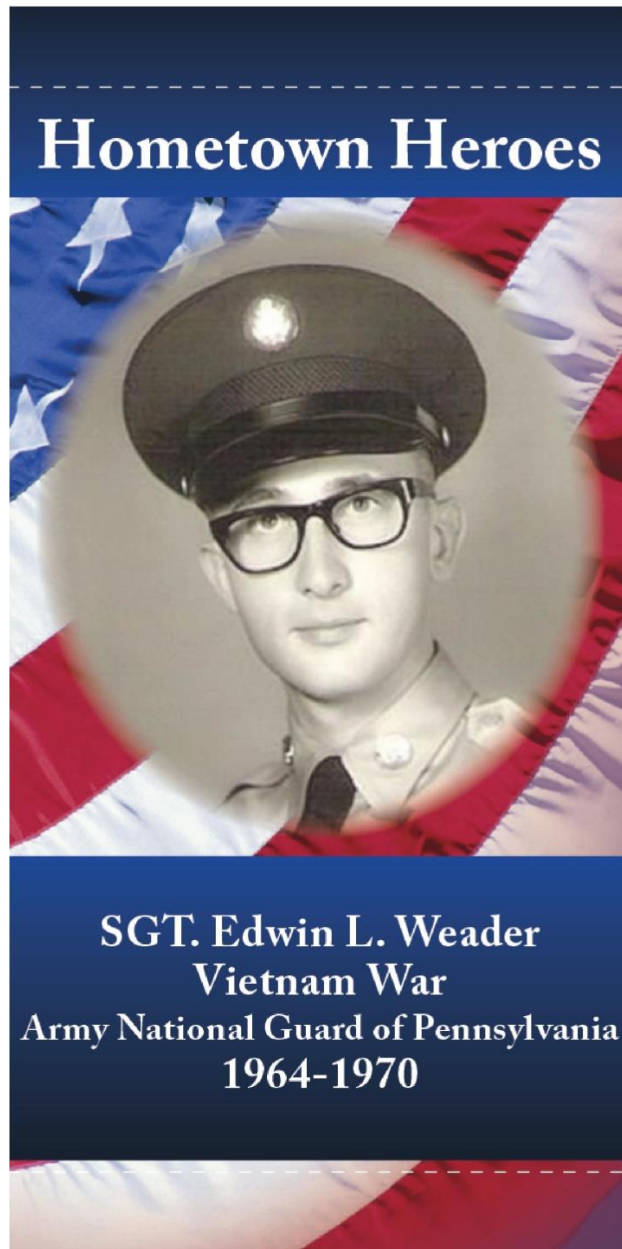
Vietnam War

United States Navy

1972-1975

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SGT. EDWIN L. WEADER

Vietnam War

Army National Guard of Pennsylvania

1964-1970

Date and Place of Enlistment:

11-12-1964, Lewistown, Penna. 17044

Date and Place of Discharge:

11-11-1970, Lewistown, Penna. 17044

Organization: HHT (-) 2d Sqdn 104th AC

Military Qualification and date:

Sharpshooter, Rifle M1, 05-18-1968

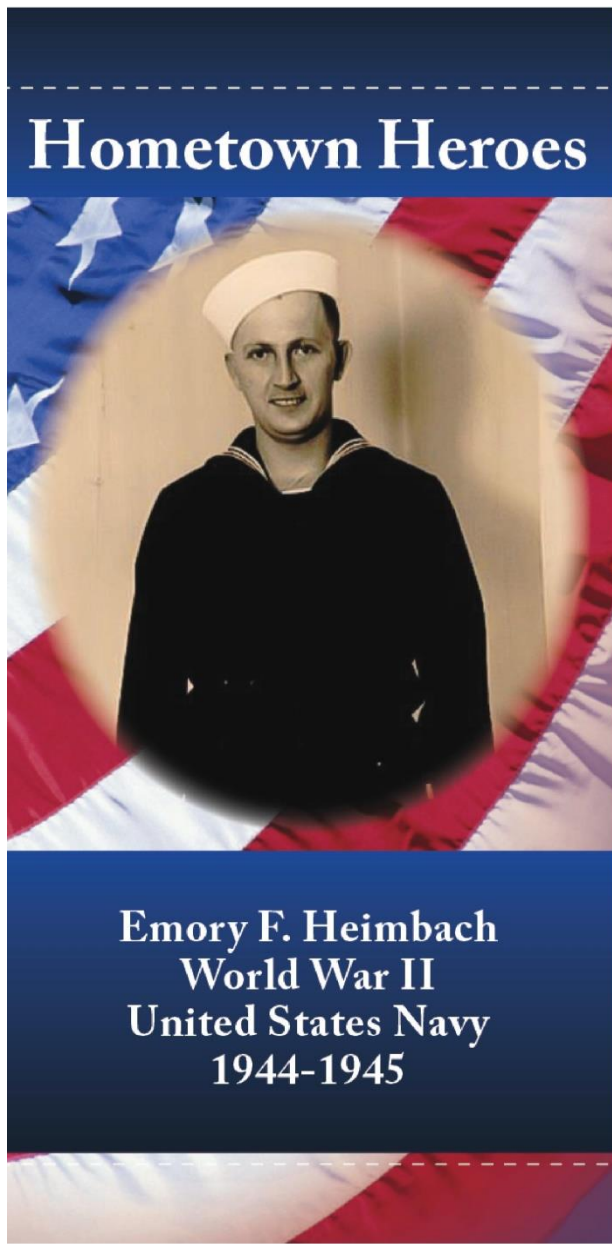
**Decorations, Citations, Medals, Badges, Commendations,
and Campaign Ribbons awarded or authorized:**

Sharpshooter Badge, Penna. Service Ribbon,

Gen. Thomas J. Stewart Medal

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EMORY F. HEIMBACH

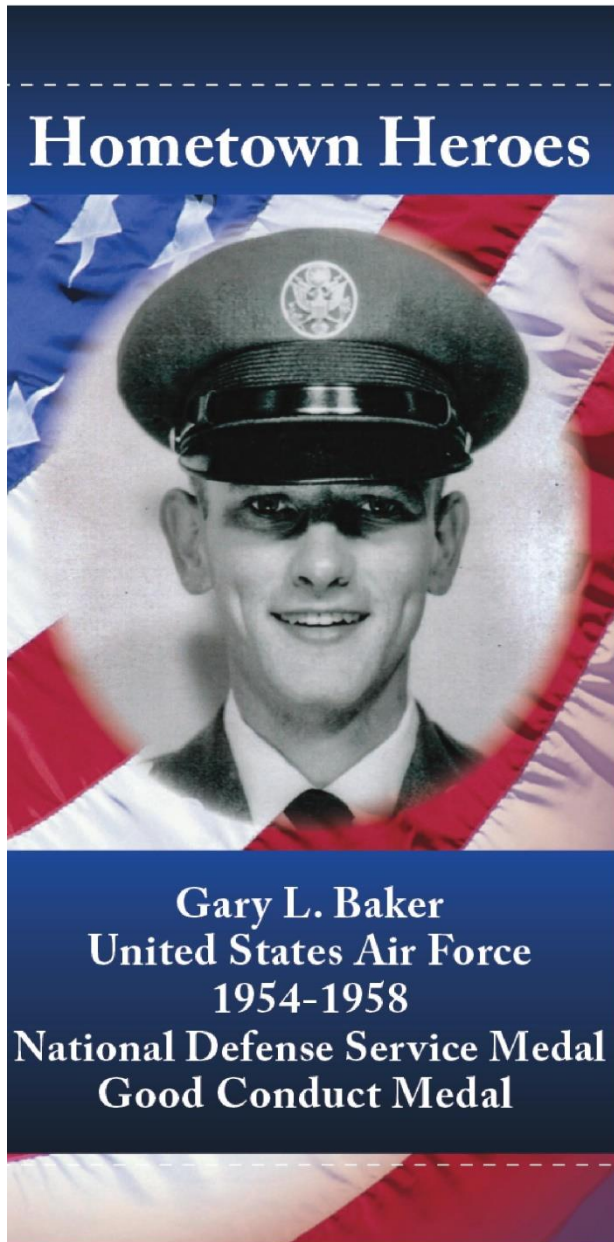
World War II

United States Navy

1944-1945

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GARY L. BAKER

Gary was born on November 9, 1936. His mother passed away a year later from sepsis, because penicillin didn't exist yet. Gary graduated from McClure High School in 1954, joining the Air Force on July 7th of that year. He received the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal during his four years of active duty. Gary told many stories about his deployment to Clark Air Force Base, just outside of Manilla, in the Philippine Islands. There he worked as an Administrative Clerk. In 1958, Gary was released from active duty, returning home to McClure. But, according to the Selective Service Law of that time, he was transferred to the Air Force Reserve, and assigned to the Ineligible Reserve Section for another four years. Gary received an Honorable Discharge from the Air Force in 1962.

Upon returning home in 1958, Gary began working as the store manager of Pheasants Building Supply in McClure. From there, he went to work at the Viscose in Lewistown, where he met his loving wife Helen. After they got married, Gary worked in purchasing for a construction company in Selinsgrove. Finally, he was hired at Hallmark Industries in McClure as the purchasing agent; becoming the Plant Manager until he retired in 1994 at age 58. Gary remained active in the First United Methodist Church in McClure, and the community. He was always willing to help others in any way he could. Gary and Helen enjoyed their "Golden Years" traveling and spending time with family and friends, until Helen's passing in 2017. He joined his wife soon after in 2018.

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GLEN E. KLINE

United States Army

1944-1946

Good Conduct Medal

Asiatic Pacific Theater Ribbon

World War II Victory Ribbon

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GORDON RICHARD FULTZ, JR.

United States Army National Guard

1985-1992

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GORDON RICHARD FULTZ, III

United States Air Force

2016-Present

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SFC. HAROLD E. JEFFERYS

Desert Storm

Iraqi Freedom

United States Army

1980-2006

Meritorious Service Medal

War on Terrorism Medal

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JAMES R. JONES

Vietnam War

United States Navy

1954-1974

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JERROLD I. BISHOP, JR.

Operation Desert Shield/Storm

United States Air Force

1992-1996

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MAJOR JOHN MILLARD KUHN

United States Army

1938-1944

Missing in Action (MIA)

John enlisted in the Army on July 8, 1938 at Shamokin, Pennsylvania. It was a two year enlistment to be served in Hawaii.

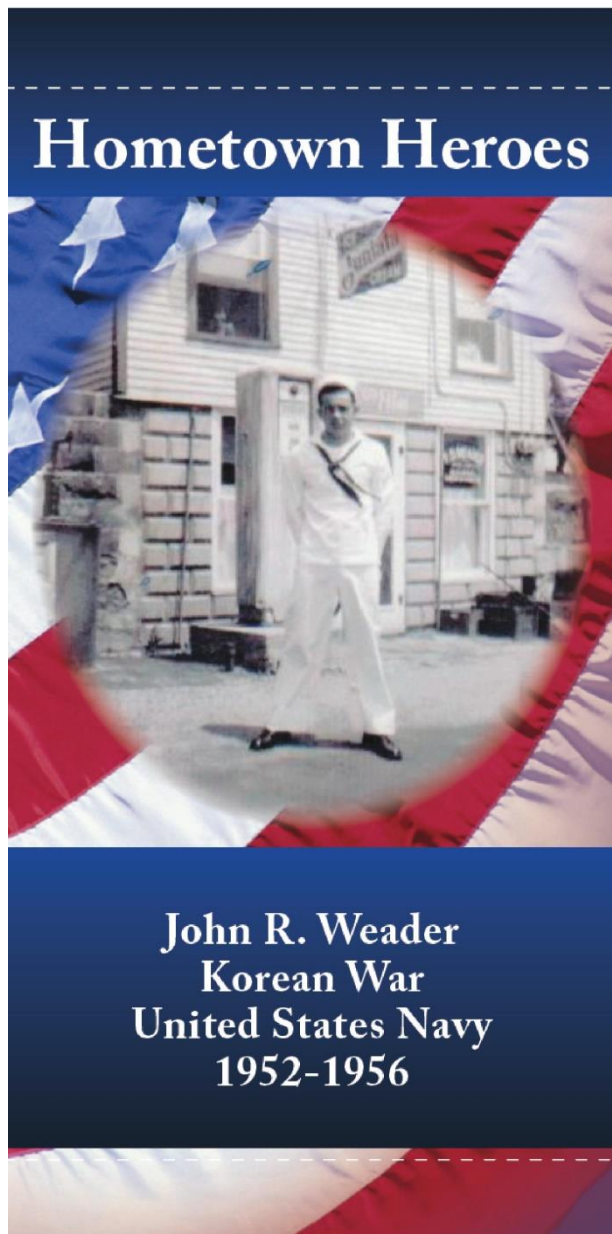
He was commissioned a Second Lieutenant March 1941; the youngest commissioned officer in the Army at that time.

He was discharged and served as property Clerk at Hickam Air Field until called back into the Army Infantry at Schoeffield Barracks November 15, 1941. His office was destroyed Pearl Harbor Day (December 7th, 1941).

When promoted to Captain he transferred from Infantry to Air Corp. 7th A.A.F. and was declared missing in action (MIA) February 24, 1944 at Makim Gilbert Island.

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JOHN R. WEADER

Korean War

United States Navy

1952-1956

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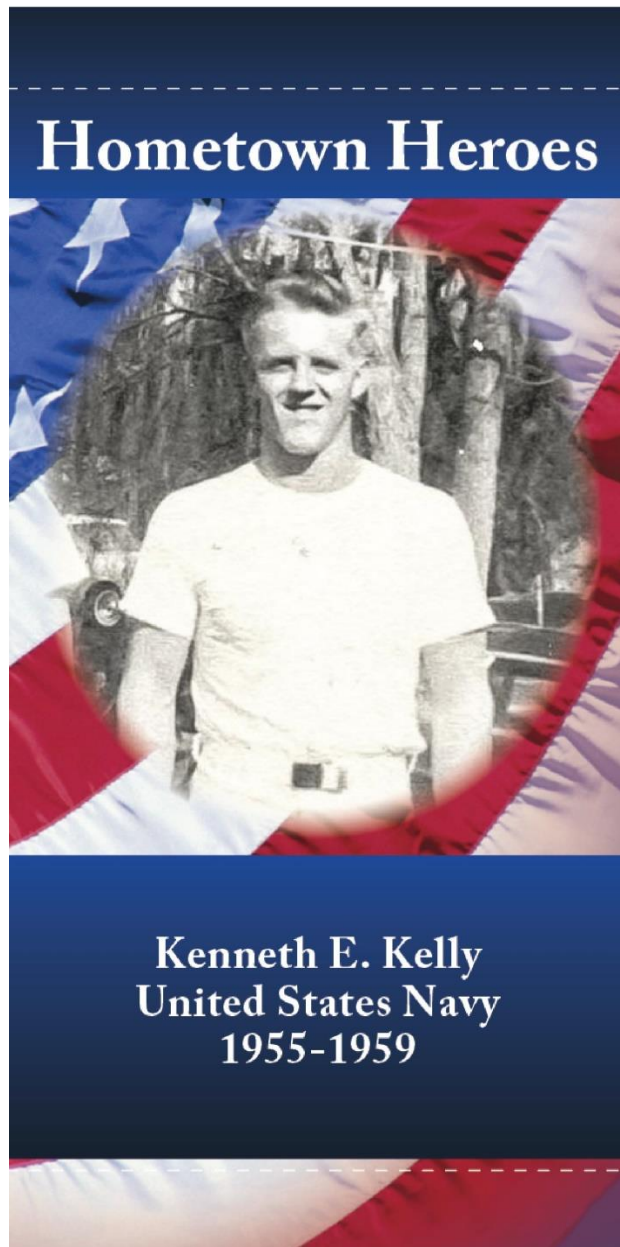
KELLY J. WEADER RINGAMAN

United States Navy

2001-Present

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KENNETH E. KELLY

United States Navy

1955-1959

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MARTIN CLAYTON FULTZ

United States Navy

2018-Present

Navy and Marine Corp Achievement Medal

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CPT. NATHAN E. GARGUS

War on Terrorism

United States Army

2000-2005

2000 West Point Graduate

Place of Entry into Active Duty: West Point, NY

Last Duty Assignment and Major Command:

179th MP PM Section FE

Decorations, Medals, Badges, Citations and Campaign ribbons awards or authorized:

Army Achievement Medal//National Defense Service Medal//War on Terrorism Service Medal//Army Service Ribbon// Army (Retired) Lapel Button//Air Assault Badge

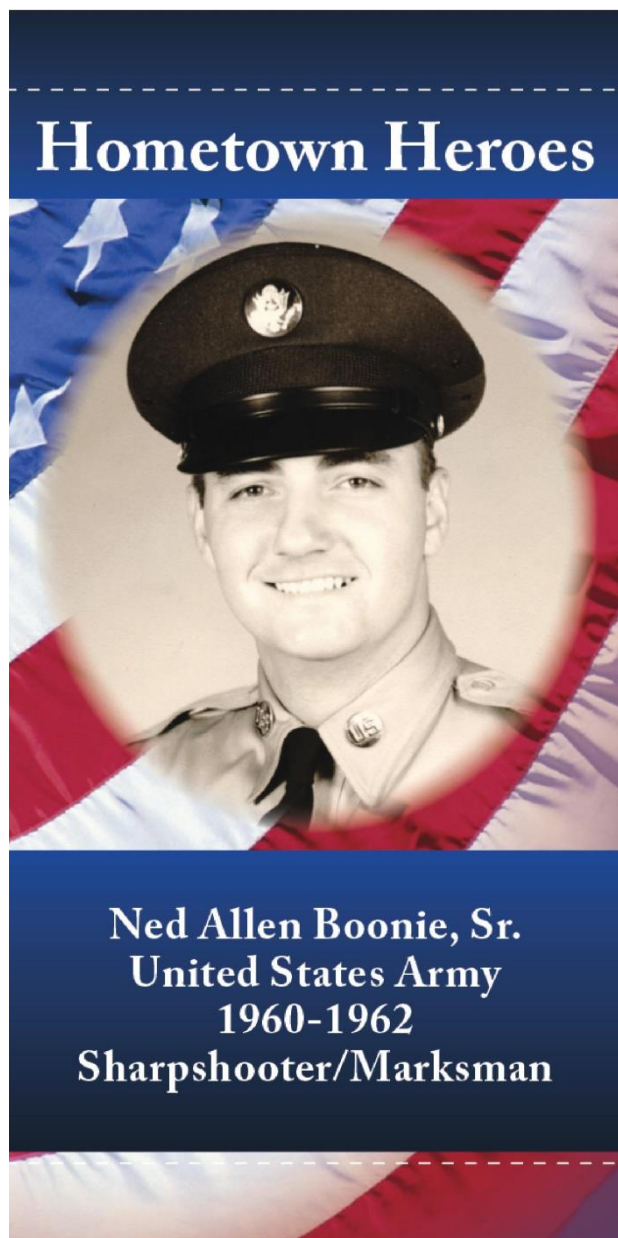
Dated entered AD this period: 05-27-2000

Separation Date this period: 07-31-2005

Net Active Service this period: 5 years, 2 months, 4 days

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NED ALLEN BOONIE, SR.

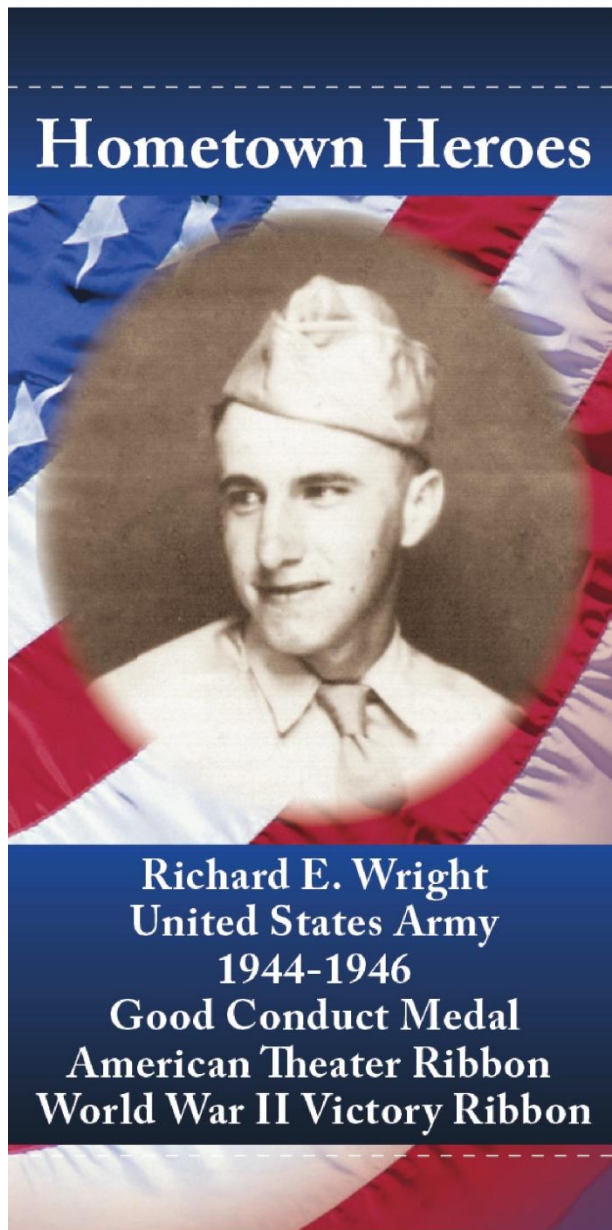
United States Army

1960-1962

Sharpshooter/Marksman

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RICHARD E. WRIGHT

United States Army

1944-1946

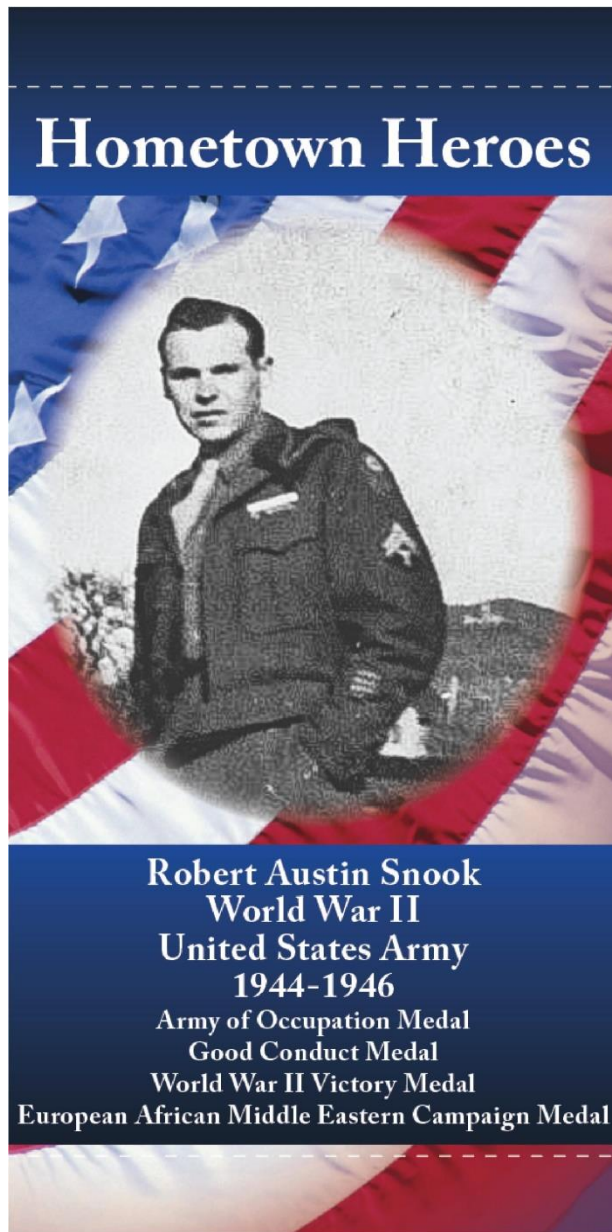
Good Conduct Medal

American Theater Ribbon

World War II Victory Ribbon

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ROBERT AUSTIN SNOOK

World War II

United States Army

1944-1946

Army Occupational Medal

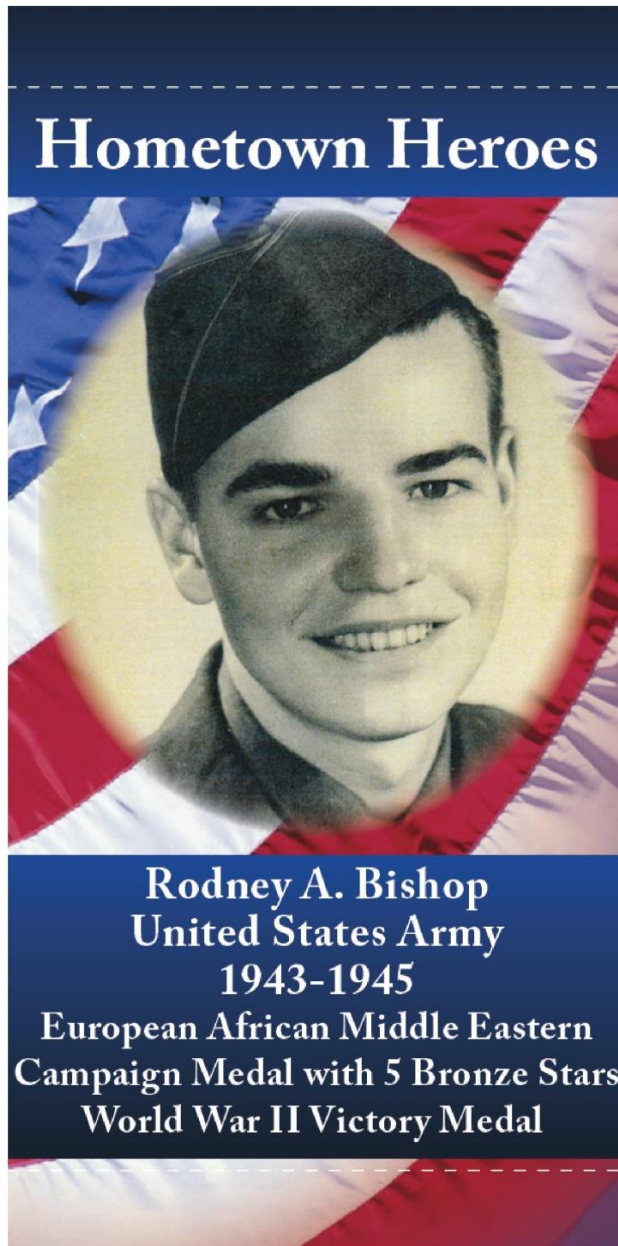
Good Conduct Medal

World War II Victory Medal

European African Middle Eastern Campaign Medal

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RODNEY A. BISHOP, JR.

United States Army

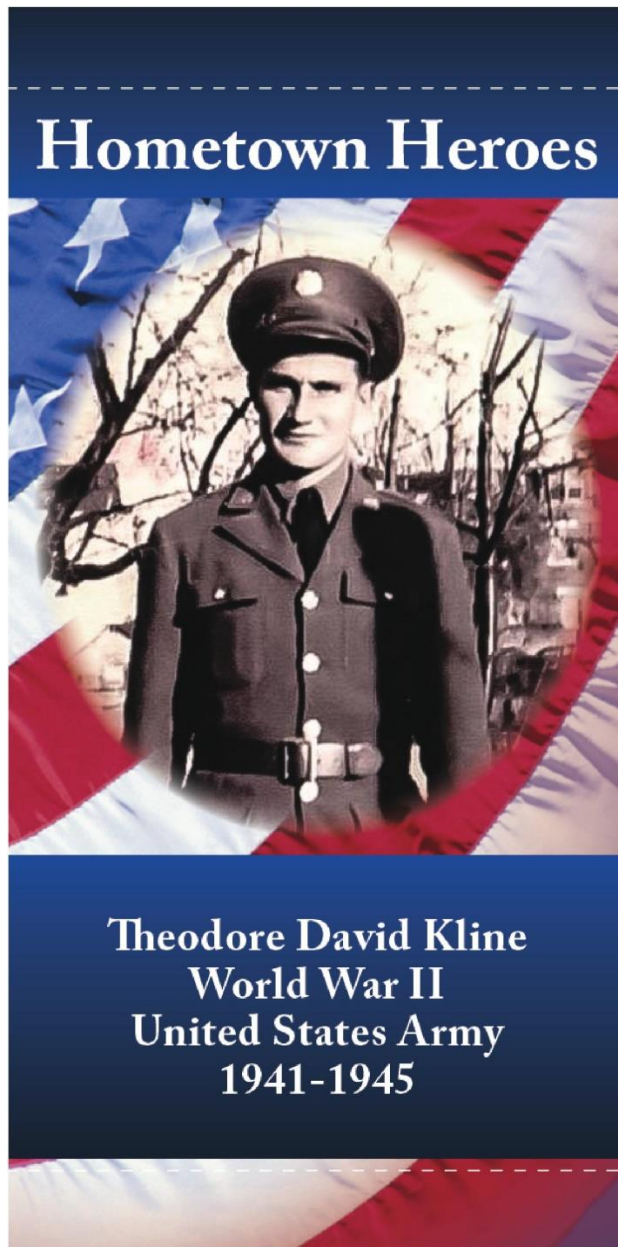
1943-1945

European African Middle Eastern Campaign Medal with 5
Bronze Stars

World War II Victory Medal

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THEODORE DAVID KLINE

World War II

United States Army

1941-1945

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