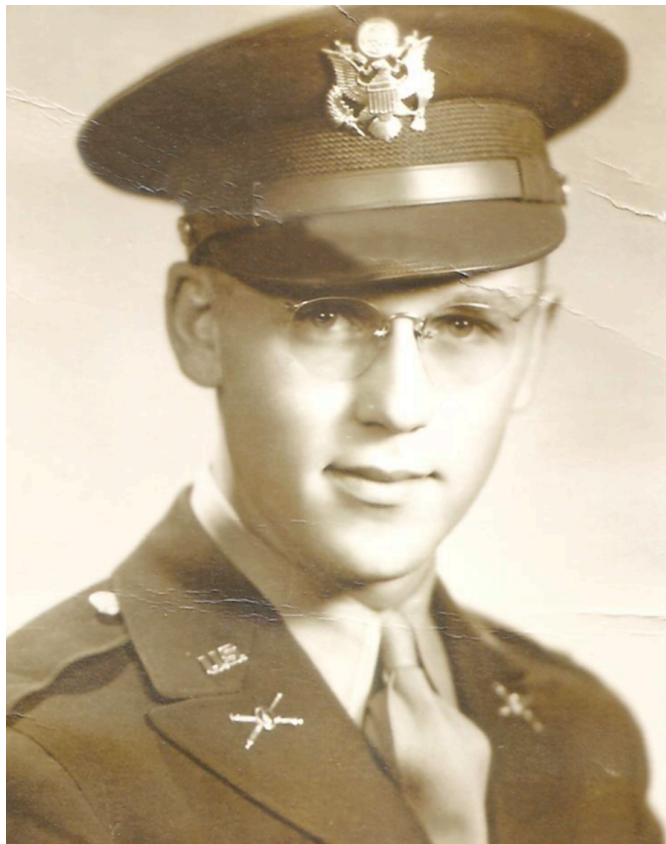




**Missouri State Society Daughters of the American Revolution
Patriot of the Month
March 2014**



Paul W. Schaughency

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Paul W. Schaughency completed ROTC at the University of Pittsburgh and Officers Candidate School at Fort Monroe in 1943. He was then stationed at Fort Hancock, NJ where he was Battalion Headquarters Battery Officer. His next assignment was on Adak, in the Aleutian Islands where he served as Battery Officer, Battalion Personnel Officer, Post Personnel Officer, and the Post Adjutant. He was there from 1944 to 1947 during WWII.

He received a commendation letter from the Post Commanding General of Adak Island for leading a search and rescue team that helped to find a Chaplain and three nurses caught in a blizzard.

Paul served in the Army Reserves from 1947 to 1970 in the 447th Civil Affairs Company in Wooster, Ohio. In the 1960's he transferred to the 307th CA Group in St. Louis, MO.

Paul married Catherine Black and they have three children, seven grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. He joined Pittsburgh Plate Glass in 1948 as Director of the Human Resources Department. In 1970 he transferred to the Home office where he retired in 1987 as Director of Personnel Services for the Glass Division. For the next twenty years he was a volunteer with Pittsburg Theological Seminary. He received the John Anderson Award of Merit, which recognizes the unique service and contributions of special friends of the seminary.

Wherever he lived, Paul was active in his church and community. He has served in a variety of leadership positions such as the Moderator of the local Congregational Church, an elder in the Presbyterian Church, and singing in the choir. He has been President of the Chamber of Commerce, United Community Fund, Salvation Army, Rotary Club, and has been a Boy Scout Leader. Music and drama have been a big part of his life including singing with The Elks Chorus, Barbershop Chorus and Quartets, and acting in Little Lake Theatre.

The members of the Elk Horn Prairie Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution are proud to nominate Paul W. Schaughency as Patriot of the Month and extend their gratitude and thanks for his service to our country.