



*Missouri State Society Daughters of the  
American Revolution*

**Patriot of the Month; November 2008**

**Paul E. Golden**

Paul's long association with the US Army began in 1941. During World War II He served in Europe and was on Normandy Beach on D-Day. He was in Company B of the 10<sup>th</sup> Infantry. Later he was a part of the 65<sup>th</sup> Infantry division in Korea followed by a tour of duty in Japan with the United States 4th Armored Division.

During his long career, Paul earned the Bronze Star with Valor, the United States Commendation Medal, a Purple Heart, and the Civil Service Meritorious Service Medal.

After serving over 20 years on active duty from 1941 to 1965, Paul served 32 years in civilian service to his country as a Personnel Policy Officer. He is a member of the Disabled Veterans, the Retired Officers Association, and has given over 2,000 hours as a volunteer for the USO.

Paul and his wife, Marjorie, have two children and two grandchildren. They are members of the Mount Zion United Methodist Church.