

# Missouri State Society Daughters of the American Revolution



## Patriot of the Month

November 2014



Charles H. Kethe

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Mr. Charles H. Kethe is a World War II veteran. He served with the 75th Division from 1944 until 1946 when he received an honorable discharge as a Technical Sergeant. He was awarded the Good Conduct Medal with two battle stars for the battles of the Rhine River and the Moss Crossing. He also received the Infantry Combat Badge.

Mr. Kethe is a prominent farmer from his county. He is a member of his local Baptist church, where he is an Elder and has taught Sunday School class for many years. He is married and has five adult children, six grandchildren, and five great grandchildren. He and his wife, Mary, are Gold Star parents, having lost a son in the Vietnam War. He is a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Mr. Kethe is an icon of his community. He will be remembered for standing on the Courthouse Square at all of the Memorial Day celebrations, assisting with the American Legion Auxiliary Poppy sales and the military rites at the military services.

The Schuyler Chapter DAR is proud to nominate Mr. Charles H. Kethe as Patriot of the Month, and they extend their gratitude for his service to our great nation.