

# MISSOURI STATE SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

*Proudly Honors*



**GLENN DENNIS**  
UNITED STATES ARMY  
PRIVATE FIRST CLASS(E-3)  
AUGUST 3, 1944 – JULY 1946



**WOUNDED IN ACTION ON JANUARY 3, 1945**

*as*

**PURPLE HEART PATRIOT**

**JULY 2025**

*Cindy Crider, Honoring Her Father's Service and Sacrifice*

*Sponsored by: Gilead Rupe Chapter, NSDAR*



On August 3, 1944, at the age of nineteen, Glenn Dennis was drafted into the U.S. Army at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He was part of the 3rd Army, 5th Infantry, Companies G and F. He left for France on December 24, 1944. On February 3, 1945, he was wounded in action during the Battle of the Bulge in Junglinster, Luxembourg, and earned his Purple Heart Medal. The battle in Junglinster, while a relatively small part of the Battle of the Bulge, was an important part of securing the American line of defense and ultimately helped win the Allied victory in the Ardennes; a region of forests, rough terrain, and ridges primarily in Belgium and Luxembourg. After a month of recovery in England, he returned to his unit.

Glenn also received the Good Conduct Medal and the European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal. He received an honorable discharge from the Army in July 1946, holding the rank of Private First Class (PFC), M1 Rifleman.

On July 4, 2015, he participated in a panel discussion on World War II for the local historical society. On October 6, 2015, Glenn was part of the Heartland Honor Flight to Washington, D.C. Gilead Rupe Chapter, NSDAR honored him as a Patriot of the Month in January 2016. Glenn passed away on Sunday, March 10, 2024, at the age of 99.

The Gilead Rupe Chapter, NSDAR is proud to remember his service to his country.