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Proudly Honors



CHARLES HEIN DAVIDSON

UNITED STATES ARMY

JULY 7, 1944 – MAY 6, 1946

WOUNDED IN ACTION

as

PURPLE HEART PATRIOT

AUGUST 2025

Dan Dennis and Teresa Oyler, Honoring His Service and Sacrifice

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Mr. Davidson's story is told to us by his step-son Dan Dennis and his niece Teresa Oyler.

Charles Hein Davidson was born August 5, 1925, in rural Grundy County, Missouri, the son of Frank and Bertha Hein Davidson. He passed away in Trenton, Missouri, on November 14, 2021.

Mr. Davidson was veteran of World War II serving in the U.S. Army. His enlistment date was July 7, 1944, in Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Both Mr. Dennis and Ms. Oyler indicated that Mr. Davidson was very modest when he spoke about his service to his country and did not elaborate about his injuries. But, both advised that while fighting in a fox hole in Germany, he was shot and wounded. Luckily he recovered.

Upon returning to Trenton, he worked for the Rock Island Railroad. He retired after being employed for 28 years as a Conductor.

Mr. Dennis was member of the Wesley United Methodist Church, Joseph L. Norton Post No. 919 V.F.W. (Veterans of Foreign Wars), Major Dale Post No. 31 American Legion, and Disabled Veterans Post No. 61 all are of Trenton.