



Honoring Our Vietnam War and Vietnam Era Veterans



February 28, 1961 - May 7, 1975



Town of West Seneca, New York

Name: QUEENO

NORMAN E.

Hometown: BUFFALO

Address:

Vietnam Era

Vietnam War Veteran

Service Branch: ARMY

Rank: E-4

Year Entered: 1969

Year Discharged: 1971

Unit / Squadron:

2ND BATTALION, 41ST ARTILLERY, US ARMY EUROPE

Medals / Citations:

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL

MARKSMANSHIP BADGE: (M-14 RIFLE)

MARKSMANSHIP BADGE: (M-16 RIFLE)

Served in War Zone Theater of Operations / Assignment:

Service Notes:

Specialist 4th Class Norman E. Queeno was deployed to Germany for 19th months as a Gunner for the US Army Artillery

Base Assignments:

Miscellaneous:

Norman Queeno was Honorably Discharged from the US Army on 5 May 1971 / Norman E. Queeno passed away on 18 October 2020

Field Artillery is the branch of the army whose mission is to support the infantry by artillery fire, destroying, neutralizing or suppressing the enemy elements that threaten land forces / Increased mobility; fire direction centers, which enhanced their firepower; aerial observation; and radio communications increased the efficiency and accuracy to support ground forces

The 41st Field Artillery Regiment is a field artillery regiment of the United States Army / During the Second World War, the 41st Field Artillery Battalion's arsenal consisted of 105 mm howitzers / The Battalion participated in 10 campaigns during the war: Algeria-French Morocco (with arrowhead), Tunisia, Sicily (with arrowhead), Naples-Foggia, Anzio (with arrowhead), Rome-Arno, Southern France (with arrowhead), Rhineland, Central Europe and the Central Pacific / For Operation Desert Storm, the 41st received campaign participation credit for Defense of Saudi Arabia, Liberation of Kuwait and for the Cease Fire / The Battalion was a part of the 24th Infantry Division (Mechanized) Artillery and was deployed in support of Desert Shield and Desert Storm



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beginning in August 1990 until March 1991

The National Defense Service Medal (NDSM) is a service award of the United States Armed Forces established by President Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1953 / It is awarded to every member of the US Armed Forces who has served during any one of four specified periods of armed conflict or national emergency from 1950 to the present / Combat or "in theater" service is not a requirement for the award

A Marksmanship Badge is a U.S. military badge or a civilian badge which is awarded to personnel upon successful completion of a weapons qualification course (known as marksmanship qualification badges) or high achievement in an official marksmanship competition (known as marksmanship competition badges) / The U.S. Army and the U.S. Marine Corps are the only military services that award marksmanship qualification badges / The U.S. military marksmanship qualification badges are awarded in three grades (highest to lowest): expert, sharpshooter, and marksman while their marksmanship competition badges are awarded in three to four grades (highest to lowest): distinguished, silver, and bronze for the U.S. Army and distinguished, gold, silver, and bronze for the Marine Corps