



# The First Platoon, "G" Co., 399<sup>th</sup> Inf.

(Taken at Kirchheim, Germany)

1<sup>st</sup> Row, l. to r. - Gene Howe, \*Benny Miller, Mike Sirockman, Everett Hodge, \*Earl Kent, Del Gosselin, George Gagnon, Jeff Hanna, Wm. Walsh, \*John Kasney, Clinton Peach, Reid Moholland.

2<sup>nd</sup> Row, l. to r. - \*Arthur Cornelius, me, Stanley Gambale, John Villani, Steve Pascarella, Walter Smith, Wm. Stroder, Tulof Roswell, Doug Hench, \*Ernie DeFusco, Frank Avancena.

3<sup>rd</sup> Row, l. to r. - \*Ches Racke, Bruce Black, Floyd Huff, Louis Gentile, Frank Powers, Steve Matula, Sam Bagley, Argo Childs, \*Weems \*McFadden, \*Clement Terrien.

4<sup>th</sup> Row, l. to r. - \*Luther Milby, \*Rayford Dunn, Tony Sineni, Jim Powers, Virgil Ostermiller, \*Leonard Richard (platoon guide), \*James Haney (platoon sergeant), Charlie Rutz, \*Lynch Corley, \*John Heron.

(Not in picture - Lt. Jack Porter (platoon leader), \*Stuart Nichols, \*Walter Watmuff, Don Neal, Lawrence Infante, Julius Alford, \*Julian Motley.)

(\*Original (Ft. Bragg) 1<sup>st</sup> platoon members.)

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1ST Row

2ND Row

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- 1 Gene Howe
- \*2 Bernard Miller
- 3 Mike Sirokany
- 4 Everett Hood
- \*5 Carl S. Kent
- 6 Del Gosselin
- 7 ~~Joe~~ <sup>John</sup> Mason
- 8 Jeff Hanna
- 9 W. B. Walsh
- \*10 John M. Kasney
- 11 Clinton R. Beach
- 12 Reid Moholland

- \*1 Arthur Cornelius
- \*2 Richard D. Laurens (bro)
- 3 Stanley Gambale
- 4 John Valloni
- 5 Stephen E. Pascarella
- 6 Walter Smith
- 7 ~~Jim~~ <sup>Wm. S.</sup> Stroder
- 8 ~~Wm.~~ <sup>Wm.</sup> Russell
- 9 Douglas J. Beach
- \*10 Ernest De Fusco
- 11 F. H. Cavaricera
- Wash. D.C.

3RD Row

4TH Row

- \*1 Chas. Zaebe
- 2 Bruce E. Black
- 3 Floyd Huff
- 4 Louis Gentile
- 5 Frank Powers
- 6 Stephen J. Matula
- 7 Samuel A. Bagley
- 8 Argo A. Childs - Wisconsin
- \*9 A. Weems No Address
- \*10 Chester Terrien

- \*1 Lester Maltby
- \*2 Rayford Durth
- 3 Jay Sireni
- 4 Jas. Bowers
- 5 Virgil Ostermiller
- \*6 Sgt. Leonard Rebeck
- \*7 James F. Haney
- 8 Chas. F. Reetz - Chic
- \*9 Lynch Corley
- \*10 John Heron

(Not in picture: Lt. Jack Porter, \*Stuart Nichols, \*Walter Watmuff, Don Neal, Lawrence Infante, Julius Alford, \*Julius \*Original (Ft. Bragg) first platoon members.

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