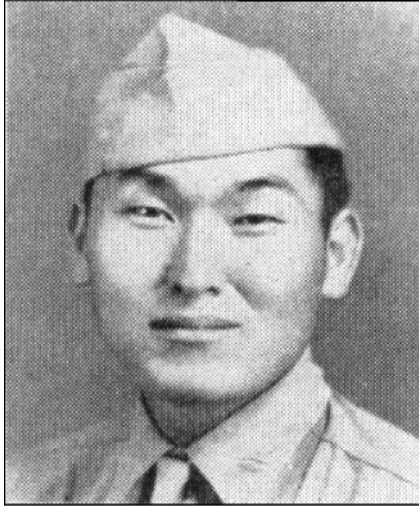


Pvt Haruo Doi

January 6, 1915 - July 9, 1944



Haruo Doi was born on January 6, 1915 in Honolulu, Oahu. He was the son of Jutaro and Hina (Akamatsu) Doi. He was educated at McKinley High School, Oahu. Before entering the service, he was a skilled laborer at the Board of Water Supply, City and County of Honolulu, Oahu.

In November 1941, Doi (SN 30102273) was inducted into the Army at Honolulu, Oahu. He took basic training at Schofield Barracks, Oahu and subsequently advance combat training at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin and Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

Doi was assigned to be a member of Company A, 100th Infantry Battalion. He saw service in the Hawaiian Islands, continental United States, Algeria, Africa and in the landing at Salerno to the battle for Rome Arno in the Italian Campaign.

He was awarded the Purple Heart, 1 Bronze Cluster to the Purple Heart, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal, American Campaign Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, and the World War II Victory Medal.

Pvt. Haruo Doi was killed in action near Castellina Marittima, Italy, on July 9, 1944 during the Rome-Arno Campaign.

Pvt Haruo Doi is interred at the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific (Punchbowl), Honolulu, Hawaii.

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