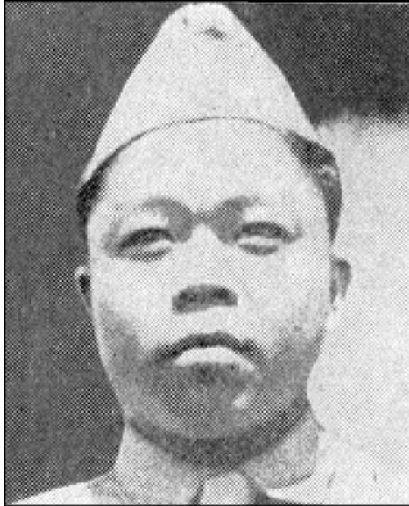


Pfc Hideo Shigeta

December 26, 1920 - October 17, 1944



Hideo Shigeta was born December 26, 1920, in Paia, Maui. He was the son of Kunisuke and Take Shigeta. He was educated at Paia School and Lahainaluna High School on Maui. Before entering the service, he was a machinist at Maui Agricultural Co., Ltd.

Shigeta (SN 30103715) was inducted into the Army in Paia, Maui on January 19, 1942. He was trained at Schofield Barracks, Oahu. He received advance combat training at Camp Shelby, Mississippi. He was assigned to Company A, 100th Infantry Battalion, 442nd Regimental Combat Team and served in the continental United States, Italy, and France.

He was awarded the Purple Heart Medal, Distinguished Unit Badge, 1 Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster to the Distinguished Unit Badge, Combat Infantryman Badge, Asiatic-Pacific

Campaign Medal, American Campaign Medal, European-African- Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal.

Private First Class Hideo Shigeta was killed in action near Bruyeres, France during the Battle of Bruyeres on October 17, 1944.

He is interred at the Maui Veterans Cemetery in Makawao, Maui.

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