

**Cpl Haruyoshi H. Tateyama**  
*January 9, 1920 - November 3, 1943*



Haruyoshi H. Tateyama was born on January 9, 1920, in Kailua, Haiku, Maui. He was the son of Gojiro and Tsuru (Wakasugi) Tateyama. He was educated at Huelo School and Lahainaluna Technical High School in Maui. Before entering the service, he was employed as a boiler man at Hawaiian Canneries Co. in Kauai.

On October 13, 1941, Haruyoshi H. Tateyama was inducted into the Army at Paia, Maui. He trained at Schofield Barracks, Oahu; Camp McCoy, Wisconsin; and Camp Shelby, Mississippi (Serial No. 30101825). He served with the 299<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment and 100<sup>th</sup> Infantry Battalion, Company F, in the Hawaiian Islands, continental United States, Algeria, and Italy. He was awarded the Silver Star Medal, Purple Heart Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal, American Defense Service Medal, American Campaign Medal,

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

Cpl Haruyoshi H. Tateyama was killed in action on November 3, 1943 near Capriati, Italy, during the Salerno to Cassino Campaign, and is interred at Maui Veterans Cemetery, Makawao, Maui.

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**AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR (POSTHUMOUSLY) 34<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division HARUYOSHI H. TATEYAMA (30101825), Corporal, Infantry, Company F, 100<sup>th</sup> Infantry Battalion. For gallantry in action on 2 November 1943, in the vicinity of Capriati, Italy. While establishing an outpost line on the enemy-held banks of the Volturno River, Cpl Tateyama's squad encountered a heavily mined and booby-trapped field and became somewhat disorganized. Cpl Tateyama, assistant squad leader, with utter disregard for his own safety moved over the hazardous area and successfully reorganized the squad. He then personally led the squad through the heavily mined field to its assigned position, but in accomplishing this he was mortally wounded by an enemy anti -personnel mine. The courage and devotion to duty displayed by Cpl Tateyama contributed materially to the success of his battalion in making a crossing and is a distinct credit to the Armed Forces of the United States. Entered military service from Haiki, Kailua, Maui, Territory of Hawaii. Next of kin: Mr. Gorjiro Tateyama (Father), Box 420, Haiku, Kailua, Maui, Territory of Hawaii**

*By command of Major General RYDER 34<sup>TH</sup> INFANTRY DIVISION*

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