

Joe Coffelt

Jul 3, 1922 - Oct 14, 2010

BIRTHPLACE: Hamden, OK

SOLDIER DETAILS

DIVISION: Army, Company L 381st. Infantry

THEATER OF OPERATION: Pacific

SERVED: Nov 2, 1942 - Oct 17, 1945

HONORED BY: Coffelt family and friends

BIOGRAPHY

Joe Ed told his father that he volunteered to pull wounded soldiers off the battle field after his unit had been forced to retreat by a Japanese sniper. His father asked him why he'd do such a foolish thing. Joe Ed replied 'If I way lying out there, I'd want somebody to come get me.'