



**Matthew  
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*Army*

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**Oct 2, 1912 - Oct 12, 1968**

**BIRTHPLACE: New York**

### **SOLDIER DETAILS**

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**DIVISION: Army, 397th AAA Battalion**

**THEATER OF OPERATION: European**

**SERVED: Mar 10, 1943 - Dec 19, 1945**

**HONORED BY: Son, John Lyons**

### **BIOGRAPHY**

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Matthew Lyons received the Good Conduct Medal, American Defense Medal, European African Middle Eastern Campaign Medal with six bronze battle stars, the Victory Medal and Occupation of Germany Medal. As a member of the 397th AAA Battalion, he received both a Presidential Unit Citation for D-Day and the Belgium Fourra geve for defense of Belgium in the Battle of the Bulges. He was a member of Battery 'C' of the 397th.