

James Martin

Apr 29, 1921 - Sep 11, 2022

BIRTHPLACE: Portage, Pennslyvania

SOLDIER DETAILS

HIGHEST RANK: PFC

DIVISION: Army Air Corps, 101st Airborne, 506th Infantry Regiment

THEATER OF OPERATION: European

BATTLE: D-Day, Operation Market Garden, Bastogne, The Battle of the Bulge

HONORED BY: The Eisenhower Foundation

BIOGRAPHY

Jim "Pee Wee" Martin parachuted for the 101st, the 506th Infantry Regiment. He enlisted in the Navy to be on submarines but it was months before he could be involved, so he became part of a new elite group, the Para Troopers. Jim was part of D-Day, Operation Market Gardner, Bastogne, and Battle of the Bulge. Courtesy of the American Veteran Association.