Star 20

ARTHUR FRANK

U.S. Army

Rank: T-5

Born: September 18, 1924

Midland Park, NJ

Died: November 14, 1994

Inverness, FL



Arthur Frank was born on September 18, 1924, the son of Michael and Wilhelmina Frank. He had one younger brother, William. He worked as a surveyor before being called for service on March 3, 1943. After basic training, he entered a 12 week Army electrician course. He was deployed to the Western Pacific Theater (Manila and New Guinea) as a Tec-5 Power Lineman with the 5206 Combat Engineers and was the chief electrician at the base in Manila.

He separated from the Army on January 11, 1946, with the following commendations:

Asiatic Pacific Theater Ribbon Good Conduct Medal Victory Medal WWII Honorable Service Medal WWII

He was married on September 21, 1946 to Alice Morgan and they had two children. He was a talented carpenter/builder, considered one of the best finish carpenters in Bergen County. His favorite pastimes were reading and deep sea fishing.

He was a life member and a past Commander (1975-76) of the Walter Nightengale American Legion Post #57 in Waldwick, NJ. His father, Michael Frank, was a WWI veteran and, the chaplain and founding member of the post in 1927.

Arthur is buried at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather.

His daughter, Lynn, a West Windsor resident, is honored and extremely proud to place a star on the Centennial American Legion Monument in memory of her father.