Cpl. Ferdy R. Zelko Honored at Party

A party was held Sunday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zelko, 1428 West Market St., in honor of their son, Cpl. Ferdy R. Zelko, who was honorably discharged from the Army at Indiantown Gap recently, under the point system.

During his 24-month tour of duty

in the European Theater, Cpl. Zelko earned the Bronze Star Medal, Good Conduct Medal, Presidential Citation, ETO Ribbon with an arrow head and four battle stars, Victory Medal, Belgian Foire Guerre, Combat Infantry Badge and Glider Wings with a star.

The corporal entered the service May 29, 1943 and received his training at Fort Bragg, N. C., and at Fort Meade, Md. Landing in Scotland, he left the States in December 1971.

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The Army veteran participated in the D-Day invasion, Normandy, Holland, Battle of the Bulge, Bastonge and Berchtesgaden, Germany, with the famous 101st Airborne Division. He is now attending Moravian Preparatory School.