

Wiant, Edward A

Purple Heart Wearer Released From Navy

Wearer of the Purple Heart for wounds received aboard the cruiser USS Birmingham, on Oct. 24, 1944, Edward Arnold Wiant, seaman 1/C, was honorably discharged from the Navy this week at the Bainbridge, Md., Separation Base. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Wiant, Bethlehem R. D. 3.

In the Navy for 32 months, Wiant served 30 of them overseas. Aboard the Birmingham, he took part in the invasions of Saipan, Guam, Tinian and Okinawa. He wears the American and Asiatic-Pacific Theater ribbons.

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