

Mrs. Bernice M. Muth, 25 Belvidere Street, Nazareth, received the following letter from Hanford MacNider, Brigadier General, U. S. Army, commanding, regarding her husband, Pfc. William A. Muth, who is serving in Southern Luzon at present:

"I have just had the privilege and satisfaction of approving and forwarding to higher authority for action a recommendation for the award of the Bronze Star for "Gallantry in Action" to Pfc. William

A. Muth.

"Your husband is a first class fighting man and is a credit to his organization and to the Army. You can be very proud of him as all of us are who are associated with him in this command."

Pfc. Muth, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Muth, Sr., North Main Street, Nazareth, entered the U. S. Army in September, 1943, and was stationed at Camp McClellan, Ala., prior to being sent to California in February, 1944. After spending a month in California, he was sent to the South Pacific area. He was stationed for a time in New Guinea and participated in the invasion of Luzon.

Pfc. Muth was employed by the Lone Star Cement Company before entering the service. He is the father of four children, Barbara, Carl, Phyllis and Nancy.

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