

Turek, Paul A.

**Awarded Meritorious
Service Insignia**

WITH THE XIV CORPS, Southern Luzon—Veteran of four Pacific campaigns, Cpl. Paul A. Turek, whose wife, Mrs. Mary K. Turek, lives at 1116 Russell Avenue, Bethlehem, Pa., has been awarded the new Meritorious Service Insignia.

A truck driver with the 44th Tank Battalion, which spearheaded the attack on Manila, Cpl. Turek has been overseas 14 months and wears battle stars for fighting on New Guinea, Admiralty Islands, Leyte and Luzon.

He and his unit were praised for "superior performance of duty, achievement and maintenance of a high standard of discipline and outstanding devotion to duty" by Lieut. Gen. O. W. Griswold, XIV Army Corps commander.

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