



**George
Tamburello**

Army

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Feb 23, 1924 -

BIRTHPLACE: Staten Island, NY

SOLDIER DETAILS

HIGHEST RANK: Pfc

DIVISION: Army, 351st Infantry, 88th Division

THEATER OF OPERATION: European

SERVED: May 20, 1943 - Nov 8, 1945

BATTLE: Rome-Arno, No Appennines, Po Valley

**MILITARY HONORS: European African Middle
Ribbon with 3 Bronze Service Stars, Good Conduct
Medal and WWII Victory Medal.**

HONORED BY: Marcia James

BIOGRAPHY

George Tamburello grew up on a farm in N.J. and signed up to join the Army at the age of 18. He trained for and served as an Anti tank gun crewman and got a Combat Infantry badge. He served in North Africa and then Italy, where he was injured by shrapnel from a near by shell, which hit him between his eyes. Fortunately the shrapnel traveled downward in his head saving his life. He received a Purple Heart Medal for his injury. After surgery and recovery, he chose to go back to combat with his buddies.