

Medal of Honor Recipients - Nebraska

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Born In Nebraska

Booker, Robert Dean	Callaway, NE	World War II
Coker, Ronald Leroy	Alliance, NE	Vietnam War
Co-Rux-Te-Chod-Ish aka Mad Bear	Nebraska	Indian Campaigns
Cowan, Richard Eller	Lincoln, NE	World War II
Ehle, John Walter	Kearney, NE	Spanish-American War
Fous, James William	Omaha, NE	Vietnam War
Gomez, Edward	Omaha, NE	Korean War
Hagemeister, Charles Cris	Lincoln, NE	Vietnam War
Hansen, Dale Merlin	Wisner, NE	World War II
Hibbs, Robert John	Omaha, NE	Vietnam War
Holderman, Nelson Miles	Trumbull, NE	World War I
Kerrey, Joseph Robert	Lincoln, NE	Vietnam War
Kouma, Ernest Richard	Dwight, NE	Korean War
Lindstrom, Floyd Kenneth	Holdrege, NE	World War II
Meredith, James, True name Patrick F. Ford Jr.	Omaha, NE	Spanish-American War
Parle, John Joseph	Omaha, NE	World War II

BORN IN NEBRASKA (Continued):

Powers, Leo J.	Anselmo, NE	World War II
Schmidt, Otto Diller aka Otto Detleft Schmidt	Blair, NE	Interim Awards 1899-1910
Schwab, Donald Kenneth	Hooper, NE	World War II
Shughart, Randall David	Lincoln, NE	Somalia
Volz, Jr., Jacob (*Most sources say born in Nebraska but some say Prussia)	Sutton, NE*	Philippines 1911

Entered The Service In Nebraska

Bauer , Harold William "Indian Joe" (Bauer is accredited to Nebraska but exact location is unresolved)	Nebraska	World War II
Berg , George Francis aka George Burg	Fort Omaha, NE	Spanish-American War
Booker , Robert Dean (Booker is accredited to Callayay but the National Archives service listing shows actual enlistment was in Ft. Crook)	Callaway, NE (Ft. Crook, NE)	World War II
Cody , William Frederick "Buffalo Bill"	Fort McPherson, NE	Indian Campaigns
Co-Rux-Te-Chod-Ish aka Mad Bear	Columbus, NE	Indian Campaigns
Ehle , John Walter	Nebraska	Spanish-American War
Fous , James William	Omaha, NE	Vietnam War
Gomez , Edward	Omaha, NE	Korean War
Graves , Ora (*Accredited to Nebraska but exact location may be San Francisco, CA. There were two men with the same name.)	Nebraska*	World War I
Hagemeister , Charles Cris	Lincoln, NE	Vietnam War
Hansen , Dale Merlin	Nebraska	World War II
Keith , Miguel	Omaha, NE	Vietnam War
Kerrey , Joseph Robert	Omaha, NE	Vietnam War
Kirkwood , John A.	North Platte Barracks, NE	Indian Campaigns
Kouma , Ernest Richard	Dwight, NE	Korean War
Lohnes , Frank W., True name Frank W. Lohnas	Omaha, NE	Indian Campaigns
Parle , John Joseph (A navy biography stated that Parle enlisted in Omaha)	Omaha, NE	World War II
Schmidt , Otto Diller aka Otto Detleft Schmidt	Omaha, NE	Interim Awards 1899-1910

ENTERED SERVICE IN NEBRASKA (Continued):

Schwab , Donald Kenneth	Kearney AAF, NE	World War II
Vifquain , Jean- Baptiste Victor	Salene County, NE	Civil War
Volz , Jr. Jacob	Nebraska	Philippines 1911

Medal Earned In Nebraska

(Indian Campaigns unless otherwise noted)

Babcock , John Breckinridge	Spring Creek, NE
Canfield , Heth	Little Blue, NE
Cody , William Frederick "Buffalo Bill"	Loupe Fork of Platte River, NE
Foley , John H.	Loupe Fork of the Platte River, NE
Heyl , Charles Pettit Heath (Some sources place the action as near Fort Hartsuff, some at Grace Creek)	Fort Hartsuff (Grace Creek), NE
Himmelsback , Michael aka Michael Himmelsbach	Little Blue, NE
Hubbard , Thomas H.	Little Blue, NE
Leonard , Patrick Thomas (Some sources place the action as near Fort Hartsuff, some at Grace Creek)	Fort Hartsuff (Grace Creek), NE
Leonard , Patrick James	Little Blue, NE
Lewis , William B. (Lewis' action took place in very western Nebraska near the Wyoming border. Bluff Station was the closest inhabited place - thus the location was recorded as "near Bluff Station, WY".)	Bluff Station, WY (Nebraska)
Lohnes , Frank W., True name Frank W. Lohnas	Gilmans Ranch, NE
Lytton , Jephtha L. (Some sources place the action as near Fort Hartsuff, some at Grace Creek)	Fort Hartsuff (Grace Creek), NE
Strayer , William H.	Loupe Fork of Platte River, NE
Thompson , George Washington	Little Blue, NE
Vokes , Leroy H.	Loupe Fork of Platte River, NE