

### Medal of Honor Recipients Who Were Born In Mississippi

<b>Barfoot</b> , Van Thomas	Edinburg, MS	World War II
<b>Black</b> , John Charles	Lexington, MS	Civil War
<b>Brown</b> , Wilson	Natchez, MS	Civil War
<b>Carpenter</b> , William Kyle	Flowood, MS	War on Terror-Afghanistan
<b>Commiskey, Sr.</b> , Henry Alfred	Hattiesburg, MS	Korean War
<b>Freeman</b> , Ed W.	Neely, MS	Vietnam War
<b>Hanson</b> , Jack Glennon	Escatawpa, MS	Korean War
<b>Heard</b> , John William (Wilkinson) (Most sources list Heard's birth as Woodstock. That was the plantation he was born on, not the city as per his West Point obituary)	Senatobia, MS	Spanish-American War
<b>Henry</b> , Robert Thomas	Greenville, MS	World War II
<b>Jordan</b> , Mack A.	Collins, MS	Korean War
<b>Pittman</b> , John Albert	Carrollton, MS	Korean War
<b>Slaton</b> , James Daniel	Laurel, MS	World War II
<b>Watson</b> , George (Watson is often listed as born in Birmingham, AL but his WWII draft card and 1940 census show he was born in Mississippi)	Birmingham, AL (Laurel, MS)	World War II
<b>Welborn</b> , Ira Clinton	Mico, MS	Spanish-American War
<b>Wheat</b> , Roy Mitchell	Moselle, MS	Vietnam War
<b>Wilson, Jr.</b> , Louis Hugh	Brandon, MS	World War II

## Medal of Honor Recipients Who Entered The Service In Mississippi

<b>Barfoot, Van Thomas</b>	Carthage, MS	World War II
<b>Brown, Wilson</b>	Mississippi River, MS	Civil War
<b>Commiskey, Sr., Henry Alfred</b>	Hattiesburg, MS (Jackson, MS)	Korean War
(Commiskey is accredited to Hattiesburg but the USMC Muster rolls show he enlisted in Jackson)		
<b>Diamond, James H.</b>	Gulfport, (Camp Shelby) MS	World War II
(Diamond is accredited to Gulfport but the Nat'l Archives service listing shows he actually enlisted at Camp Shelby)		
<b>Dorley, August</b>	Natchez, MS	Civil War
<b>Freeman, Ed W.</b>	Hattiesburg, MS	Vietnam War
<b>Freeman, Martin</b>	Ship's Island, MS	Civil War
<b>Heard, John William (Wilkinson)</b>	Mississippi	Spanish-American War
<b>Henry, Robert Thomas</b>	Greenville, (Camp Shelby) MS	World War II
(Henry is accredited to Greenville but the Nat'l Archives service listing shows he actually enlisted at Camp Shelby)		
<b>Johnson, Leroy</b>	Oakdale, LA (Camp Shelby, MS)	World War II
(Johnson is accredited to Louisiana but the Nat'l Archives service listing shows he actually enlisted at Camp Shelby)		
<b>Jordan, Mack A.</b>	Collins, MS	Korean War
<b>Lee, Hubert Louis</b>	Leland, MS	Korean War
<b>Lindsey, Sr., Jake William</b>	Lucedale, MS (Huntington, WV)	World War II
(Lindsey is accredited to Mississippi but the Nat'l Archives service listing shows he actually enlisted in Huntington, WV)		
<b>Madison, James Jonas</b>	Mississippi	World War I
<b>Pittman, John Albert</b>	Carrollton, MS	Korean War

**ENTERED SERVICE FROM MISSISSIPPI (Continued):**

<b>Slaton, James Daniel</b>	Gulfport, (Camp Shelby) MS	World War II
(Slaton is accredited to Gulfport but the Nat'l Archives service listing shows he actually enlisted at Camp Shelby)		
<b>Welborn, Ira Clinton</b>	Mico, MS	Spanish-American War
<b>Welch, George W</b>	Keokuk, IA (Vicksburg, MS)	Civil War
(Welch is accredited to Iowa but his service file shows actual enlistment in Vicksburg, MS)		
<b>Wheat, Roy Mitchell</b>	Jackson, MS	Vietnam War
<b>Wilson, Jr., Louis Hugh</b>	Mississippi	World War II

**Medal of Honor Recipients Who's Action Took Place In  
Mississippi**  
(Civil War unless otherwise noted)

<b>Albert</b> , Christian	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Archer</b> , James W.	Corinth, MS
<b>Archinal</b> , William J.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Armstrong</b> , Clinton Lycurgus	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Ayers</b> , David	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Ayers</b> , John G. K.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Ballen</b> , Frederick A.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Barringer</b> , William H.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Bickford</b> , Matthew	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Bieger</b> , Charles	Ivy Farm, MS
<b>Blasdel</b> , Thomas Annis	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Bois</b> , Frank	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Bowen</b> , Emmer	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Brown</b> , John H.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Brown</b> , Uriah H.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Brownell</b> , William P.	Great Gulf Bay & Vicksburg, MS
<b>Buckley</b> , John C.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Buhrman</b> , Henry G.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Bumgarner</b> , William	Petersburg, VA (Vicksburg, MS) (Bumgarner earned his Medal at Vicksburg as a member of the Storming Party. This is reflected in his service file, the engraving on his Medal and the 1916 Army review board. For reasons unknown, in 1926 the army began listing his action as Petersburg in 1862. The Army Records Correction office confirmed in July 2019 that his action was at Vicksburg in 1863.)
<b>Burritt</b> , William Wallace	Vicksburg, MS

**MEDALS EARNED IN MISSISSIPPI (Continued):**

<b>Campbell, William</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Carmin, Isaac Harrison</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Casey, Henry</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Chisman, William W.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Colby, Carlos W.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Conaway, John Wesley</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Corcoran, Thomas E.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Cotton, Peter</b>	Yazoo River, MS
<b>Cox, Robert Mitchell</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Cronin, Cornelius</b>	Mobile Bay, AL; Forts Jackson & St. Philip, New Orleans, LA; below Vicksburg MS
<b>Cunningham, James Smith</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Darrough, John S.</b>	Eastport, MS
<b>Davidson, Andrew</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Davis, Martin K.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Day, David Frakes</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>De Witt, Richard Willis</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Dickie, David</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Dorman, John Henry</b>	Fort Henry, TN & Vicksburg, MS
<b>Dow, Henry</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Dunne, James</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Eckes, John N.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Elson, James M.</b>	Vicksburg, MS

**MEDALS EARNED IN MISSISSIPPI (Continued):**

<b>Fisher, John H.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Flynn, James Edward</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Franks, William J.</b>	off Yazoo City, MS
<b>Frantz, Joseph</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Fraser, William W.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Frey, Franz</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Frizzell, Henry F.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Geschwind, Nicholas</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Godley, Leonidas Mahlon</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Goldsbery, Andrew E.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Gould, Newton Thomas</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Guerin, Fitz William</b>	Grand Gulf, MS
<b>Guinn, Thomas</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Hack, John</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Hamilton, Thomas W.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Hammel, Henry A.</b>	Grand Gulf, MS
<b>Hanks, Joseph</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Harris, Sampson</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Hathaway, Edward Wage</b>	near Vicksburg, MS
<b>Helms, David H.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Henry, James</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Higgins, Thomas J.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Hill, James</b>	Champion Hill (Baker's Creek), MS

**MEDALS EARNED IN MISSISSIPPI (Continued):**

<b>Hilliker</b> , Benjamin F.	Mechanicsburg, MS
<b>Hodges</b> , Addison J.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Horsfall</b> , William H.	Corinth, MS
<b>Howe</b> , Orion P.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Hunt</b> , Louis T.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Huskey</b> , Michael	Deer Creek Expedition, MS
<b>Hyatt</b> , Theodore	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Jardine</b> , James	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Jenkins</b> , Thomas	Vicksburg, MS
<b>John</b> , William F.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Johns</b> , Elisha	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Johnson</b> , Andrew	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Johnston</b> , David H.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Jones</b> , David	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Kendall</b> , William Wesley	Black River Bridge, MS
<b>Kephart</b> , James	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Kirby</b> , Dennis Thomas	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Kloth</b> , Charles H.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Kretsinger</b> , George	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Labill</b> , Joseph S.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Laffey</b> , Bartlett	off Yazoo City, MS
<b>Larrabee</b> , James W.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Leon</b> , Pierre	Yazoo River, MS

**MEDALS EARNED IN MISSISSIPPI (Continued):**

<b>Lewis, Henry</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Longshore, William Henry</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Lower, Robert Alison</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Martin, William</b>	Haines Bluff, Yazoo River, MS
<b>McCammon, William Wallace</b>	Corinth, MS
<b>McClelland, James M.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>McCornack, Andrew</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>McDonald, John</b>	Yazoo River, MS
<b>McGinn, Edward</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>McGonagle, Wilson</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>McGuire, Patrick</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>McHugh, Martin</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Miller, Jacob C.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Moore, William</b>	Haines Bluff, Yazoo River, MS
<b>Morford, Jerome</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Morrison, John G.</b>	Yazoo River, MS
<b>Morton, Charles W.</b>	Drumsgould's Bluff, Yazoo River Expedition, MS
<b>Murphy, Dennis J. F.</b>	Corinth, MS
<b>Murphy, Thomas C.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Nash, Henry H.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Nibbe, John H.</b>	Yazoo River, MS
<b>North, Jasper N.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>O'Dea, John</b>	Vicksburg, MS



**MEDALS EARNED IN MISSISSIPPI (Continued):**

<b>O'Donnell, Menomen</b>	Vicksburg, MS & Ft DeRussey, LA
<b>Orbansky, David</b>	Shiloh, TN & Vicksburg, MS
<b>Overturf, Jacob H.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Parsons, Joel</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Pearsall, Henry Platt</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Pesch, Joseph M.</b>	Grand Gulf, MS
<b>Peters, Henry Carlton</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Porter, Ambrose M.</b>	Tallahatchie River, MS
<b>Putnam, Winthrop D.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Reed, William</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Renninger, Louis</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Robinson, Charles</b>	Yazoo River, MS
<b>Rock, Frederick</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Rundle, Charles Wesley</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Sanford, Jacob</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Schenck, Benjamin W.</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Schmauch, Andrew Anton</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Schnell, Christian</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Sears, Cyrus</b>	Iuka, MS
<b>Smalley, Reuben</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Sprague, Benona</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Steinmetz, William</b>	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Stephens, William George</b>	Vicksburg, MS

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<b>Stockman</b> , George Henry	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Stoddard</b> , James	off Yazoo City, MS
<b>Stolz</b> , Frank	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Summers</b> , James Calvin	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Sullivan</b> , Timothy	Arkansas, Tennessee & Mississippi (Arkansas Post)
<b>Swayne</b> , Wager	Corinth, MS
<b>Swegheimer</b> , Jacob	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Sype</b> , Peter	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Taylor</b> , Henry H.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Toomer</b> , William	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Trogden</b> , Howell G.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Vernay</b> , James David	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Wagner</b> , John W.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Ward</b> , Thomas J.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Ward</b> , William Henry	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Warden</b> , John	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Welsh</b> , Edward	Vicksburg, MS
<b>White</b> , Patrick H.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Widick</b> , Andrew J.	Vicksburg, MS
<b>Wilhelm</b> , George	Champion Hill or Baker's Creek, MS
<b>Williams</b> , Robert	Drumsgould's Bluff, Yazoo River, MS
<b>Williamson</b> , James Alexander	Chickasaw Bayou, MS
<b>Wood</b> , Richard H.	Vicksburg, MS

**MEDALS EARNED IN MISSISSIPPI (Continued):**

**Woon, John** Grand Gulf, MS

**Wortick, Joseph** Vicksburg, MS