



2nd Infantry Division



31st Infantry Regiment



45th Infantry Division



Combat Medical Badge

Anthony Augusta Esposito
Corporal U. S. Army
3 June 1953 – 16 May 1955

Anthony was born on 14 August 1933 in Old Forge, Pennsylvania, where he attended grade school and high school. Prior to entering the Army, he worked for Preate Furniture Company in Old Forge and installed televisions. He was inducted into the Army as a Private on 3 June 1953 in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, and was assigned to Camp Pickett, Virginia, and Camp Polk, Louisiana, where he underwent basic and advanced training, respectively. Anthony was trained as an Army Medic and was ordered overseas to Korea where he initially was assigned to an Evacuation Company attached to the 31st Infantry Regiment, 2nd Infantry Division. His home base was a Mobile Army Surgical Hospital (MASH) unit, and Anthony was assigned to different line companies as needed. He was responsible for evacuating the wounded after they received initial medical treatment at the front. In 1953 his Company was reassigned to the 45th Infantry Division, where he continued to perform medical evacuations. In addition to several unit and service ribbons, Anthony was awarded the Combat Medical Badge for his services. Anthony was promoted to Corporal on 19 January 1954. He returned to the States in April 1954 and was discharged on 16 May of that year at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland. After his discharge, Anthony went to work for Mack Trucks, Inc., as a Quality Engineer and Supervisor in both Allentown and Lower Macungie Township, where he settled. He married **Marianne M. Curley** (born 30 June 1933) in 1961. Anthony's parents were **Joseph J. Esposito** (1898 – 1954) and **Mary S. Gentile** (16 September 1926 – October 1981).

