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## Title WWII Army Good Conduct Medal

Date c. 1942-1945

Primary Maker Dennis Thomas Bosio Sr.

Medium (a-b) Copper alloy, silk, non-magnetic white metal alloy, gold-colored plating (c) cardboard

Description (a) A WWII United States Army Good Conduct Medal and (b) service ribbon awarded to Dennis T. Bosio, Sr. in (c-d) original box. (a) The front of the medal has a relief eagle depicted perched on a sword and book with the embossed text, "EFFICIENCY, HONOR, FIDELITY." The back has a relief of a five point star in the center of the medal surrounded by an oak leaf and laurel leaf branch with the embossed text, "FOR GOOD / DENNIS T. / BOSIO / CONDUCT." The medal hangs from a red silk ribbon with three vertical white stripes on each side. (b) Service ribbon of red silk with three vertical white stripes on each end. (c-d) The original blue cardboard box that housed the medal.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (a: overall length x width of medal):  $2 \frac{5}{8} \times 1 \frac{1}{2}$  in. ( $6.7 \times 3.8$  cm) Primary Dimensions (b: overall length x height of rank bar):  $1 \frac{3}{8} \times \frac{3}{8}$  in. ( $3.5 \times 1$  cm) Primary Dimensions (c-d: overall length x height x width):  $4 \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{3}{4} \times 2 \frac{3}{8}$  in. ( $10.8 \times 1.9 \times 6$  cm)