

Second Lieutenant Leo W. O'Brien (Class 31-42)

Distinguished Service Cross

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SYNOPSIS: The President of the United States of America, authorized by Act of Congress July 9, 1918, takes pleasure in presenting the Distinguished Service Cross to Second Lieutenant Leo W. O'Brien, United States Army, for extraordinary heroism in connection with military operations against an armed enemy, in action against enemy forces in August 1943.

Second Lieutenant O'Brien's intrepid actions, personal bravery and zealous devotion to duty exemplify the highest traditions of the military forces of the United States and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.