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Sherman E. Deckrow, 81, Palmetto, died June 10, 2003. He was born May 17, 1922, in Chicago and came to Manatee County in 1986 from Indiana.

He was a truck driver for United Airlines.

He was a member of DAV Chapter 18, Veterans of Foreign Wars in Ellenton and the Piney Point Association.

He served in the 96th Infantry Division of the Army during World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Marion; a daughter, Lynn Hagele of Des Plaines, Ill.; a son, Tom of Orlando; and four grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 1 to 2 p.m. Friday, with a service with military honors by American Legion Kirby Stewart Post 24 to follow at 2 p.m. at Griffith-Cline Funeral Home, Mansion Chapel. Burial will be in Mansion Memorial Park in Ellenton. Memorial donations may be made to a favorite charity.