

AWARD CITATION

1. Last Name, First Name, Middle Name: Bugaev, Aleksandr Trofimovich.
2. Military Rank: Senior Politruk.
3. Place of Service: Senior Instructor of the Agitation Section, Agitation and Propaganda Section of Political Management, MVO.

Recommended for: **Medal "For Military Merit."**
4. Year of Birth: 1911.
5. Nationality: Russian.
6. Party Membership: Member of the VKP/b/ from 1940.
7. Service in the Civil War, in later Battles in Service of the USSR and in the GPW (when and where):
No service.
8. Have any Wounds or Contusions in the Great Patriotic War: No wounds.
9. From Which Time with the Red Army: From 1939.
10. Which Call-Up Station: Cadre.
11. Received Which Awards (from which order): No awards.
12. Home Address: Moscow, Osipenko St., House #53.

Short Concrete Description of Excellent Military Action or Service.

Comrade Bugaev, A.T., during the period of the Patriotic War against the German Occupiers, proved himself to be a courageous and selfless worker.

From October 1941, being a member of an Operative Group of the MVO in Moscow, he constantly worked in units which defended the closest lines to Moscow.

By skillfully organization of verbal and printed propaganda, such as the publication of leaflets, addresses and independent articles, he helped the soldiers learn new tricks to fight the German Fascists. He did a lot to strengthen the defenses of Moscow and in raising the moral spirit of the soldiers and chiefs.

Because of the mission from the Military Soviet and Political Management of the MVO, he, with the operation group, went directly to the front line positions in the region of Krasnaya Polyana to organize the Party-Propaganda in the units of the 20th Army, in preparation for the striking of a crippling blow on the enemy, at which time he proved himself to be a courageous and brave political worker.

For selfless work in strengthening the defense of Moscow, he deserves to be awarded the medal "For Military Merit."

Chief of the Political Section, MVO,
/s/ Brigade Commissar Mironov
24 January 1942.

Deserves to be awarded with the Medal "For Military Merit."

Commander of Forces, MVO,
/s/ Col. Artem'ev

Member of the Military Soviet, MVO,
/s/ Division Commissar Telegin

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1. Last Name, First Name, Middle Name: Bugaev, Aleksandr Trofimovich.
2. Military Rank: Major.
3. Place of Service: Agitator, Political Section, 70th Army.
Recommended for: **Order of the Great Patriotic War 2nd Class.**
4. Year of Birth: 1911.
5. Nationality: Russian.
6. Party Membership: Member of the VKP/b/ from 1940.
7. Service in the Civil War, in later Battles in Service of the USSR and in the GPW (when and where):
Served in the Patriotic War from February 1943.
8. Have any Wounds or Contusions in the Great Patriotic War: No wounds.
9. From Which Time with the Red Army: From 1939.
10. Which Call-Up Station:
11. Received Which Awards (from which order): Medal "For Military Merit."
12. Home Address: _____, Sver-lova 30, Apt. 1.

Short Concrete Description of Excellent Military Action or Service.

He is a credit to the Party of Lenin-Stalin and the Socialist Motherland. As an agitator of the Political Section of the Army, he conducted great work to cultivate in the personnel steadfastness and stubbornness in defense, offensive strength and a hatred towards the German Occupiers. He prepares his lectures conscientiously and accurately. He has the Bolshevik agitator's gift of passionate speech.

During the days of the July-August battles, the Political Section of the Army sent him into formations that were located on important sectors of the front. All of his meetings were conducted conscientiously and accurately. He is personally brave. In a military situation, he finds his bearings quickly and correctly. He has great experience in Party-Political work.

While in the units and formations, he conducted work that was of great help to the command and political apparatus in the organization of Party-Political work.

Comrade Bugaev deserves to be awarded the Order of the Great Patriotic War 2nd Class.

Exec. Chief of the Political Section, 70th Army,
/s/ Lt. Col. Tishurov
August 1943

II. Conclusions of a Higher Command.

Agreed:

Chief of Political Section, 70th Army,
/s/ Colonel Maslovskii
12 August 1943

(Receives the Order of the Red Star.)

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10. Which Call-Up Station: Cadre.
11. Received Which Awards (from which order): Medal "For Military Merit," in 1942, – Red Star, in 1943.
12. Home Address: Taganrog, Lomenskaya 83. Wife – Mukhina, Valentina Vasil'evna.

Short Concrete Description of Excellent Military Action or Service.

Comrade Bugaev is one of the best Agitators of the Army's Political Section. His lectures and reports to the units and formations are listened to with great attention and approval.

During the period of the defensive and offensive battles, Comrade Bugaev gave hundreds of lectures and reports to the formation's personnel. By his Bolshevik's words, he helped the commanders and political organizations to strengthening the political-moral conditions and military discipline among officers, sergeants, and private personnel.

In the period of preparation for the offensive, Comrade Bugaev was with the 160th Rifle Division. He conducted a large amount of agitation-propaganda work in the 1293rd Rifle Regiment, where he remained for the first two days of the offensive. He was a great help in providing Party-Political work in battle and in removing hidden defects, which helped the Regiment to successfully carry out its military mission.

Comrade Bugaev deserves to be awarded the Order of the Great Patriotic War 1st Class.

Chief of the Agitation and Propaganda Section, 70th Army,
/s/ Lt. Col. Tishurov
2 August 1944

II. Conclusions of a Higher Command.

Comrade Bugaev deserves to be awarded with the Order of the Great Patriotic War 1st Class.

Chief of Political Section, 70th Army,
/s/ Colonel Maslovskii
3 August 1944

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12. Home Address: Taganrog, Lomenskaya 83. Wife – Mukhina, Valentina Vasil’evna.

Short Concrete Description of Excellent Military Action or Service.

During the preparation for the offensive battles, he conducted great work to teach the Cadre of all classes of Political Workers. In all Army and Corps seminars, he gave lectures and reports. Before the personnel of the 76th Guards Rifle Ch. Division and the 160th Rifle Division he gave a lecture titled, “Finishing Off the Fascist Animal in his Own Lair and Hoisting over Berlin the Banner of Victory,” by which he provided great help to the Political Organs of these divisions in raising among the personnel high offensive spirit and hatred towards the German Occupiers. During the offensive, he worked in the 136th Rifle Division and gave great help to the P.O.D.I.V. and greatly improved the Party-Political work in a military situation. He received a mission from the Political Soviet and Army Political Section to provide help for the 76th Guards Rifle Ch. Division to tighten up military discipline, order, and organization. While on the military lines of this formation, he organized and conducted agitation work to eliminate negative phenomenon that hindered the completion of military missions.

Comrade Bugaev deserves to be awarded the Order of the Red Banner

Chief of the Agitation and Propaganda Section, Political Section, 70th Army,
/s/ Lt. Col. Tishurov
3 February 1945

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12. Home Address: Taganrog, Lomenskaya 83. Wife – Mukhina, Valentina Vasil'evna.

Short Concrete Description of Excellent Military Action or Service.

In the political section of the Army, he worked as a censor from March 1943 and with the Army he traveled along all of the military path from the battles of the Orlov-Kursk arc to Rostok. During that time in the army, he conducted a large amount of agitation work among the personnel who were directed to successfully carry out all military missions of the commanders. He directly participated in the Party-Political support of the biggest military operations in which the Army took part: in defense and offensive battles on the Orlov-Kursk direction, in the summer offensive of 1944 and the winter and spring offensives of 1945. While in the units, he worked most of the time on the fighting lines and personally participated in informing and explaining the addresses of the Military Soviet of the Front and Army, Orders of Comrade Stalin, reports of the Soviet Information Bureau, and gave about 500 lectures and reports while talking to the masses of Red Army soldiers. In all seminars that took place in the political section of the Army and Corps, he presented theoretical reports and lectures, which were a big help in preparing the Cadre of Party-Political workers of all classes.

During preparations for the operation to capture the cities of Danzig and Gdeina, he conducted agitation work with the reinforcements of the 38th and 165th Rifle Divisions.

During the forcing of the Oder River and the following offensive actions, he seriously helped the Party-Political work of the Political Section of the 114th Rifle Corps and 369th Rifle Division.

Major Comrade Bugaev deserves to be awarded the Order of the Great Patriotic War 2nd Class.

Chief of the Agitation and Propaganda Section, Political Section, 70th Army,
/s/ Lt. Col. Tishurov
17 May 1945