

*Wounded***AWARD CITATION**

Surname, name and middle name	ZYUZIN STEPAN GURYEVICH
Rank	Major
Position and unit	Commander of 190 separate anti-tank artillery squadron, 141 rifle division.

is recommended for order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY"

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| 1. Birth year                                                                    | 15.05.1912                                                                                                                     |
| 2. Nationality                                                                   | Russian                                                                                                                        |
| 3. In Red Army service since                                                     | 1934                                                                                                                           |
| 4. Party membership                                                              | VKP(b) member                                                                                                                  |
| 5. Participation in the civil war and later in defence of USSR, in Patriotic war | War against the White Finns 12.1939 - 03.1940, Great Patriotic war since 22.06.1941.                                           |
| 6. Wounds and contusions                                                         | Two contusions: on 05.03.1942 on Western front, In July 1941 near town Krichev.                                                |
| 7. Previous awards                                                               | Medal "For Bravery" on 24.08.1942 by 40 army, award № 141151; order "Red Banner" decree #030/n on 14.03.1943 by Central front. |
| 8. Drafted by which induction station                                            | Trubchevskij district military commissariat.                                                                                   |
| 9. Awardee's and his family permanent home address                               | <i>intentionally obscured</i>                                                                                                  |

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**I. Brief and specific description of the personal feat or merits**


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In the battle for town Terny on 06 September 1943, he commanded the artillery troops of 745 rifle regiment. Firing from open sights positions, he destroyed 1 enemy artillery battery and captured during the fight 4 intact enemy cannons and 10 horse carriages with ammunitions (mortar mines and artillery shells). The captured mortar mines were immediately utilised to fire at the enemy. In this combat engagement, our artillery eliminated up to a company of enemy troops, 5 firing positions, and enabled successful advance of our infantry and seizures of town Terny.

15 September 1943, near the settlement Schuchya Greblya, the artillery troops of 745 rifle regiment under ZYUZIN's command, repelled 8 enemy counter-attacks supported by tanks, while firing from open sights positions and operating under intensive enemy fire. The enemy lost up to a battalion of troops, 2 APCs knocked out, and 3 cannons with the crews.

Operating on the right Dnieper bank bridgehead since 06 October 1943, he commanded 190 separate anti-tank artillery squadron. His skilful deployment of troops and personally conducted field reconnaissance assisted in repelling 6 enemy counter-attacks supported by tanks near the village Strakholesie during 07-08 October and near the village Pilyava during 14-15 October 1943. His artillery battery eliminated up to 70 invaders, 6 firing positions and 1 heavy tank.

He deserves state award order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY".

28 October 1943

Commander of 745 rifle regiment of 141 rifle division

Lt. Colonel *signature* /SIROTKIN/



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**II. Conclusion of the superiors**

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He deserves order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY"

Commander of 141 rifle division  
Colonel *signature*  
/RASSADNIKOV/

Interim commander of artillery troops of  
141 rifle division  
Captain *signature* /MIKHAILOV/

30 October 1943

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**III. Conclusion of Army Military Council**

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He deserves order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY"

Commander of artillery troops of 30 rifle corps  
Colonel *signature* /TOVBIS/

25 November 1943

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**IV. Conclusion of the Front Military Council**

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He deserves order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY"

Commander of 30 rifle corps  
Colonel *signature* /LAZKO/

30 December 1943

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He deserves order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY"

Commander of artillery troops of 60 Army  
Guards Mj. General of artillery corps *signature* /FROLOV/

31 January 1944

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He deserves order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY"

Commander of 60 Army  
Guards Lt. General *signature*  
/CHERNYAKHOVSKY/

Military council member of 60 Army  
Guards Mj. General *signature*  
/OLENIN/

31 January 1944

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Awarded with order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY" by the decree # 047/n issued by  
60 Army on 09 June 1944.

Aide to the head of personnel department of 60 Army  
Sr. Lieutenant of army service corps *signature* /STADNIK/



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EGORKA



## 2. ЗАКЛЮЧЕНИЕ ВЫШЕСТОЯЩИХ НАЧАЛЬНИКОВ

Достоин Правительственной награды Ордена "АЛЕКСАНДР НЕВСКИЙ"

8.11.43.

КОМАНДИР 141 СРЕЛКОВОЙ ДИВИЗИИ  
ПОЛКОВНИК

/РАССАДНИКОВ/

Брид.

КОМАНДУЮЩИЙ АРТИЛЛЕРИЕЙ 141 СРЕЛКОВОЙ ДИВИЗИИ  
КАПИТАН

/МИХАЙЛОВ/

Командир

Звание

„30“ октябрь 1943 г.

## 3. ЗАКЛЮЧЕНИЕ ВОЕННОГО СОВЕТА АРМИИ

Достоин правительственной награды ордена  
"Александра Невского"  
Командующий артиллерией 30 стрелкового корпуса  
полковник  
"25" ноября

Достоин награждения орденом "Александр Невский"

Командир 30 стрелкового корпуса

ЗАКЛЮЧЕНИЕ ВОЕННОГО СОВЕТА ФРОНТА

„30“ декабря 1943

Достоин Правительственной награды - Ордена  
"Александр Невский"

Командующий Артиллерией 60 Армии

Гвардии Генерал-майор артиллерии

Г. Орлов

31 января 1944 г.

Награждать орденом "Александр Невский"

Командующий 60 Армией  
Генерал-лейтенант

Г. Черняховский

"Март" 1944

Член Военного Совета Армии

Гв. Генерал-майор

Проходной 60 Армии № 844 от 9.4.44.  
Награжден орденом Алекс. Невского  
Полк. Лейт. 2 в. в. ОЛ 60 Армии  
Лейтенант с  
Стадник, Школьников