

Kakushkin Haidar Tyamimdyarovich

(01.01.1926 - 31.03.1985)

Kakushkin Haidar Tyamimdyarovich was called up by the Red October RVC of the Gorky region at the age of 17. In 1943, on November 7, he was assigned to a training center located in the city of Orekhovo-Zuyevo, Moscow region. After taking the oath, he was assigned to the 16th separate heavy tank regiment, and to the rifle and sapper platoon as a sapper. On February 24, 1944 he was sent to the second Belorussian front as part of the regiment

He participated in offensive operations on the territory of North-Western Ukraine, where the front troops defeated the Kovel group of Germans. At the end of April 1944, the front's troops fought in Belarus, crossed the Dnieper, and liberated Mogilev and Minsk. In November 1944, the troops of the front under the command of Marshal of the Soviet Union Konstantin Rokossovsky reached the borders of East Prussia, Poland and the Baltic sea, and in cooperation with the third Belorussian front (Marshal of the Soviet Union A. M. Vasilevsky), the first Baltic front (army General I. H. Bagramyan) and the Baltic fleet broke through the powerful defence of the German army group "Center". In April 1945, Kakushkin H. T. during the fighting of the regiment under enemy fire built a crossing for tanks across the Oder River, for which he was awarded the medal "for Bravery".

He also took part in the defeat of the Stettin - Rostock group of Germans and the liberation of cities: Neubrandenburg, Gdynia, Dancing, Varin, Doberan, Netbukov, Wissmar and Wittenberg - where Soviet troops joined with allied British troops. In May 1945 he participated in the liberation of Berlin and was seriously wounded. Echelon was taken to a military hospital in the Moscow region, where until 1946 he had been treated and at the age of 20 was recognized by the medical Commission as a disabled person of the first group.

