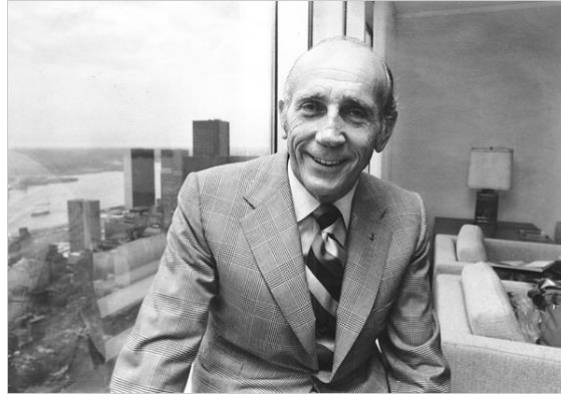


Captain Harry J. Gray

Year of Commission: 1941

BS in Communications



Captain Gray served in the 5th Infantry Division at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. His division was the first to deploy overseas when the U.S. entered World War II. Gray led his company through the invasion of Normandy earning a Bronze Star with "V" device. He continued to lead for the duration of the war in Europe. He was awarded the Silver Star for his valorous actions during the Battle of the Bulge. After the war, Gray worked in advertising and sales until 1954. He worked as an executive for Litton industries until 1971, when he joined United Aircraft as the president. United Aircraft became United Technologies Corporation in 1974. Gray was the president and Chief Executive Officer until his retirement in 1986. After retirement, Gray devoted much of his time to philanthropy.

Year Inducted: 2013