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The United State of America
To all who shall see these presents, greeting:
This is to certify that
The president of the United State of America
Pursuant to authority vested in him by congress
Has awarded the
Purple Heart
Established by General George Washington
At Newburgh, New York, August 7, 1782
To
Private John E. Barry, U.S. Marine Corps Reserve
For military merit and for wounds received
in action
resulting in his death January 2, 1945
Given under my hand in the city of Washington
This 11th Day of March 1947
[Signature] [Signature]
--General U.S.M.C. Secretary of the Navy

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Description: Award certificate for a Purple Heart for John E. Barry, who died in action.