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Summary Information

Repository:	Go For Broke National Education Center
Creator:	Tsukiyama, Ted
Title:	Ted Tsukiyama Collection
ID:	2015.025
Date [bulk]:	1920-1940
Physical Description:	14.21 Megabytes
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	This collection includes photographs from Ted Tsukiyama's time serving with the 442nd Regimental Combat Team and the Military Intelligence Service in World War II. There are also a lot of photographs from his childhood and time before World War II in Hawaii.

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Biographical / Historical

Ted Tsukiyama was born December 13, 1920 and grew up in Kaimuki, Oahu, the second youngest in a family of five siblings. A graduate of Roosevelt High School, Tsukiyama went on to enroll at the University of Hawaii at Manoa in 1939. His college education interrupted by the bombing of Pearl Harbor and the United States entry into World War II, Tsukiyama became a founding member of the first volunteer all-Nisei unit of WWII, the Varsity Victory Volunteers, and went on to join what would become the famed 442nd Regimental Combat Team. Tsukiyama was discharged in 1946 and, thanks to the GI Bill, continued his education, ultimately graduating from Yale Law School. He lives in Hawaii currently.

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Content Description

This collection includes an album that depicts Ted Tsukiyama's life from early childhood, adolescence and high school to his military experiences and higher education. Photographs include everyday life in Hawaii, family photographs, high school class photographs, photographs depicting both travel and military training and time with the Varsity Victory Volunteers. Two documents include honorable discharge from Hawaii Territorial Guard and certificate of recognition as a Varsity Victory Volunteer.

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- Intelligence service
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- Military intelligence
- United States. Army. Regimental Combat Team, 442nd
- United States. Army. Infantry

- United States.
- United States. War Department. Military Intelligence Service
- World War, 1939-1945
- World War, 1939-1945 -- Japanese Americans
- World War, 1939-1945 -- Military intelligence -- Pacific Area
- World War, 1939-1945 -- Military intelligence -- United States.
- World War, 1939-1945 Military intelligence