



OBJECT ID	2012.14.8
OBJECT NAME	Certificate
DATE CREATED	1946
MATERIAL	Paper
OBJECT ENTITIES	<p>States, United (created by)</p> <p>Tzakis, Marianthe (owned by)</p> <p>Andreakis, Tessie (is related to)</p> <p>Anastasakis, (is related to)</p> <p>Tzakis, Marianthe (is related to)</p> <p>Tzakis, Andrew (is related to)</p> <p>Tzakis, Dennis (is related to)</p>
ACCESS POINTS	<p>American Red Cross</p> <p>Military</p> <p>Red Cross</p> <p>uniform</p> <p>World War, 1939-1945</p> <p>World War II</p> <p>WWII</p>

OBJECT DESCRIPTION

A certificate of recognition, recognizing donor's mother for her service in the Red Cross.

Certificate is thick white paper with black and red lettering on it. It includes information such as the participants name, issue date, chapter, and signatures of the President of the Red Cross.

ORIGIN

Donor's mother and father (Marianthe & Nick Tzakis) were born in Cephalonia, Crete. Donor's father left Cephalonia for Odessa, Russia where he was a purveyor of meats for export to various restaurants. During the Russian Revolution, shortly after WWI, he immigrated to the US.

Donor's mother arrived in the US in 1922 from Cephalonia without a job. She married Donor's father upon arrival and had three children, including the Donor.

CITATION

Certificate, 1946, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 05/07/24.
