



Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam

Scott W. Carmichael

[Download now](#)

[Click here](#) if your download doesn't start automatically

Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam

Scott W. Carmichael

Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam Scott W. Carmichael

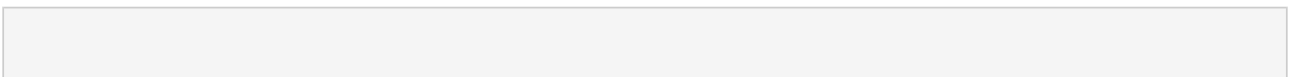
Geary Bundschu's maternal grandfather introduced discriminatory immigration legislation into the United States Congress near the turn of the 19th century which prevented Chinese, and eventually all Asians - including the Chamorro people of Guam, who were already recognized by Congress as American nationals - from attaining American citizenship through the naturalization process. Some 50 years later, Cpt. Geary R. Bundschu, USMC, the grandson, served at the very tip of the American spear to free the Chamorro people of Guam from captivity at the hands of the Japanese empire. He lost his life in that effort on a heavily defended ridge located just inland from the northern landing zone which now bears his name: Bundschu Ridge. His grandfather was denounced for decades as the very bane of the Chamorro people. Geary R. Bundschu, the grandson, redeemed his family's honor and became the Chamorro's unsung hero. Few know his story. His blood stains their soil.

Bundschu Ridge documents the failed assault by Able company, 1st Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment (A/1/3) against a ridge which dominated the northern landing zone during the WWII amphibious operation to liberate Guam. Cpt. Geary R. Bundschu, a veteran of the Bougainville campaign, volunteered for the assignment. Approximately 60% of his company was killed or wounded during three frontal assaults conducted on near-vertical terrain against a vastly superior enemy force before dusk on W-Day. Bundschu was killed in action during the final assault. Veteran UP war correspondent Charles P. Arnot documented the courage exhibited by Bundschu and his men in a dispatch submitted days later. But details of the battle were lost to history until now.

The author interviewed more than a dozen members of A/1/3 who fought on Bundschu Ridge, including the only surviving company officers, and collected additional anecdotal information about the company and the battle from family members of A/1/3 veterans. Research findings are well documented in over 600 footnotes. The author placed the battle into an historical context for readers who lack background on Guam's place in American history and Japan's march toward empire and expansion in the Pacific.

Geary R. Bundschu was a remarkable young man who volunteered to serve in the uniformed service of his country – months before the Japanese assault against Pearl Harbor. He was a patriot. And he was a Marine, through and through. One of his best friends, Gen. Louis H. Wilson, Jr., who received the Medal of Honor for valor exhibited during the operation to liberate Guam, and who later served as Commandant of the Marine Corps, honored him in 1994, on the 50th anniversary of the Liberation of Guam, by placing a bronze plaque in Nimitz House to commemorate the valor of the men of A/1/3 who attempted to seize Bundschu Ridge.

The author served for a period of 26 years as a Special Agent of the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA), and for 4 years prior to that service as a Special Agent of the Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS). He served as a Chinese-Mandarin linguist while on active-duty with the U.S. Navy, and received a bachelor of arts degree in East Asian Studies from the University of Washington. He is the author of three additional non-fiction books, all of which are available on Amazon.com.



 [Download Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during t ...pdf](#)

Download and Read Free Online Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam Scott W. Carmichael

From reader reviews:

Deanna Nance:

Throughout other case, little persons like to read book Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam. You can choose the best book if you appreciate reading a book. Given that we know about how is important a book Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam. You can add expertise and of course you can around the world with a book. Absolutely right, due to the fact from book you can learn everything! From your country until finally foreign or abroad you can be known. About simple thing until wonderful thing you could know that. In this era, we can easily open a book or maybe searching by internet unit. It is called e-book. You may use it when you feel fed up to go to the library. Let's study.

Wilson Gonzalez:

A lot of people always spent their particular free time to vacation or go to the outside with them friends and family or their friend. Do you realize? Many a lot of people spent many people free time just watching TV, as well as playing video games all day long. If you wish to try to find a new activity this is look different you can read a book. It is really fun for yourself. If you enjoy the book you read you can spent all day long to reading a guide. The book Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam it is very good to read. There are a lot of folks that recommended this book. They were enjoying reading this book. If you did not have enough space to develop this book you can buy typically the e-book. You can m0ore simply to read this book through your smart phone. The price is not too expensive but this book possesses high quality.

Bethany Archie:

Are you kind of occupied person, only have 10 or maybe 15 minute in your day to upgrading your mind expertise or thinking skill also analytical thinking? Then you are having problem with the book compared to can satisfy your short period of time to read it because this time you only find publication that need more time to be read. Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam can be your answer given it can be read by you who have those short free time problems.

Valerie Beauchamp:

You can obtain this Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by visit the bookstore or Mall. Just simply viewing or reviewing it may to be your solve problem if you get difficulties for ones knowledge. Kinds of this book are various. Not only by written or printed but additionally can you enjoy this book simply by e-book. In the modern era similar to now, you just looking from your mobile phone and searching what their problem. Right now, choose your ways to get more information about your book. It is most important to arrange yourself to make your knowledge are still revise. Let's try to choose right ways for you.

**Download and Read Online Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear
during the liberation of Guam Scott W. Carmichael
#AHZKVNWPECT**

Read Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by Scott W. Carmichael for online ebook

Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by Scott W. Carmichael Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by Scott W. Carmichael books to read online.

Online Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by Scott W. Carmichael ebook PDF download

Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by Scott W. Carmichael Doc

Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by Scott W. Carmichael Mobipocket

Bundschu Ridge: at the tip of the spear during the liberation of Guam by Scott W. Carmichael EPub