



DESTROYER ESCORT HISTORICAL MUSEUM **USS SLATER DE766**

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USS GEORGE A. JOHNSON **Accompanying Questions**

1. Describe, in detail, the heroic act done by private Johnson that warranted receiving a Destroyer Escort named in his honor. What other award did he receive?
2. Where did USS GEORGE A. JOHNSON first contact enemy combatants?
3. USS GEORGE A. JOHNSON served in both the Pacific and Atlantic Theaters in WWII. In which theatre did she serve first? What was her main mission there?
4. In September 1945, USS GEORGE A. JOHNSON joined the Naval Force under Admiral Thomas C. Kincaid. Where did this force liberate?
5. What were the circumstances that led to USS GEORGE A. JOHNSON's beaching in 1966?
6. How many people were injured aboard USS GEORGE A. JOHNSON? Describe the circumstances.
7. Why did Paul Farley and Larry Rody both finally leave the ship?
8. The first paragraph lays out some questions that need to be answered, please do so. What ship was washing ashore? Where did it come from? Why did it wash ashore? Who was in charge of the ship in 1966?
9. What enemy action did USS GEORGE A. JOHNSON see throughout her career?
10. Why do the photographs show the ship in pieces on the beach?