



# **Mary Kiyoko Takeuchi**

**1919 - 1945**

**Mary Kiyoko Takeuchi (née Tsukahira) was born to issei parents in California. She married Ichiro Takeuchi in 1940. The couple went to Jerome, Arkansas. Their son was born there. In June of 1944, the young family transferred to Topaz where Mary's family was incarcerated.**

**Mary died at the age of 25 on February 9, 1945. A month later, Ichiro and their son left Topaz and headed to Arizona. Dale went into Gila River to be with Ichiro's family and Ichiro enlisted in the army.**

**Ichiro was killed in action in Germany on June 7, 1946.**

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## *Rivers Nisei Soldier Dies In Berlin Crash*

BERLIN, June 9—(AP)—U. S. Army headquarters released today the names of three soldiers killed and 17 injured when an American jeep collided with an army truck transporting 25 soldiers to their billets from a downtown Berlin theater.

The accident occurred Thursday. Among those killed was Sgt. Ichiro Takeuchi, 30 years old, Rivers, Ariz. Takeuchi was one of the men in the jeep.

