

My Great-grandfathers

There are two people in my family whom we will always remember. These are my two great-grandfathers. My great-grandfather Nikolai Smirnov was a tankman and fought at Kursk. He was injured and then limped all his life. My great-grandfather was awarded several medals and orders. My dad says that my great-grandfather did not like to talk about the war, but every time the Victory Parade was shown on TV, he looked at the tanks very attentively. My great-grandfather Kolya lived a long life and died when he was 74 years old.

Unfortunately, I don't know much about my second great-grandfather. He was a tank driver and repaired tanks. Every year on the Victory Day we take part in the Immortal Regiment with the photo of my great-grandfather.

