

# **OSTERDAY, Milton S.**

B: 2 September 1905 IN

D: 24 December 1976 Hohenwald, TN

**Hometown:** Lafayette, Indiana

**Rank:** Sergeant

**MOS:** 070 - Draftsman

**Unit:** 24th Station Complement Squadron

438th Headquarters and Base Services Squadron,  
438th Air Service Group

4th Headquarters Squadron

**4th Service:** 12 August 1943 – 1 August 1945

1 MAR 44 Promoted to Sergeant

15 APR 45 Transferred to the 438th Headquarters and  
Base Services Squadron, 438th Air Service  
Group

28 JUL 45 Transferred to 4th Headquarters Squadron

One of the station artists; his drawings/paintings/  
murals decorated the walls of several buildings.

### **Post 4th Fighter Group:**

Commercial art teacher, Columbia Community College,  
Columbia, Tennessee.

Employed as a commercial artist for H.P. Wasson in  
Indianapolis, Indiana.

### **Decorations:**

Good Conduct Medal, European-Middle Eastern-African  
Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal.