

ANDERSON, Stanley M.

B: 1917 New Haven, CT

D: 15 April 1943 The North Sea



CAPT. ANDERSON LOST IN EUROPE

Former City Resident Re-
ceived Air Medal
From Doolittle.

Capt. Stanley M. Anderson, 24 years old, United States Air Forces, has been missing in action in the European theater of war since April 15, according to a long distance telephone call from his mother, Mrs. Marguerite M. Anderson, now in Washington, to Frederick C. Albershardt.

Capt. Anderson, a native of Indianapolis, was awarded the air medal by Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle for outstanding performance in December, 1942, when he was serving in North Africa.

The Indianapolis Star 28 April 1943

Hometown: Indianapolis, Indiana

Rank: Captain

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 334th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

Spitfire Mk VB BL376 XR-B

P-47C-5-RE 41-6538 QP-B

4th Service: 15 September 1942 – 15 April 1943

31 MAR 43 Promoted to Captain

15 APR 43 Shot down during an engagement with FW-190's off the coast of Belgium between Ostend and Blankenberghe.

KIA.

Tablets of the Missing
Henri-Chapelle American Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

Victories:

2

Decorations:

Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal (3 OLC), Purple Heart, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal.