

# BYRGE, Jerome J.

“Jerry”

B: 25 February 1913 Sun Prairie, WI

D: 12 August 1994 Madison, WI



**Hometown:** Madison, Wisconsin

**Rank:** Staff Sergeant

**MOS:** 750 - Crew chief

**Unit:** 334th Fighter Squadron

### Aircraft:

Spitfire Vb EN793 XR-K

P-47D-1-RE 42-7945 QP-D *Miss Plainfield*

P-51B-7-NA 43-6798 QP-D

P-51B-7-NA 43-6636 QP-N *ILL Wind?*

P-51D-20-NA QP-Y

**4th Service:** 6 January 1943 - September 1945

1 MAY 43 Promoted to Sergeant

1 NOV 44 Promoted to Staff Sergeant

Assistant Crew Chief on XR-K, QP-D, QP-N.

Campaigns: Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland, Central Europe, Air Offensive Europe.

### Post 4th Fighter Group:

N/A

### Decorations:

Distinguished Unit Badge, Good Conduct Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Theatre Campaign Ribbon (with 6 bronze stars), World War II Victory Medal.