# **KENNEDY**, Michael J. "Mike"

B: 25 October 1924 Philadelphia, PAD: 30 January 2001 Plattsburgh, NY



Hometown: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Rank: 1st Lieutenant

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 334th Fighter Squadron

### Aircraft:

P-51D-20-NA 44-72063 QP-K Lil Aggie

P-51D-20-NA 44-72346 QP-K

**4th Service:** 27 October 1944 – 21 September 1945

13 FEB 45 Promoted to 1st Lieutenant

12 JUN 45 Designated Assistant Squadron Operations

Officer (AD)

7 AUG 45 Designated Squadron Salvage Officer (AD)

### **Victories:**

1.5 (.5 air - ME 262 shared w/Frederick/1 ground)

## Post 4th Fighter Group:

Remained in the USAF, flying F-86s and serving as missile site commander at Plattsburgh, New York. He retired as a Colonel in 1971.

#### **Decorations:**

Air Medal (5 OLC), European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal.