# SMITH, C. Dale

B: 10 April 1920 Garland, UT

D: 29 November 2014 Sacramento, CA



Hometown: Centerville, Utah

Rank: Flight Officer

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 334th Fighter Squadron

### Aircraft:

P-47D-1-RE 42-7915 QP-U

**4th Service:** 13 May 1943 - 8 October 1943

8 OCT 43 Seen to parachute safely near Meppel after an engagement with a German a/c in which both pilots were forced to bail out.

POW (MACR 937)

### **Victories:**

2

## Post 4th Fighter Group:

General Superintendent, Hales and Weinstocks Department Stores.

#### Decorations:

Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal (OLC), POW Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal.