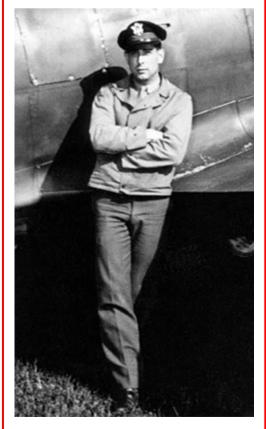
CARPENTER, George

"Carp"

B: 14 May 1917 Townville, PAD: 2 July 2005 Paris, TN







Hometown: Oil City, Pennsylvania Rank: Major MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter Unit: 335th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

Spitfire Mk	VB EN918	AV-X
P-47C-2-RE	41-6226	WD-I
P-51B-7-NA	43-6575	WD-I
P-51B-10-NA	42-106675	WD-I

4tl	ı Servi	ce: 14 October 1942 - 18 April 1944
	FEB 43	Promoted to 1st Lieutenant
9	JUL 43	Promoted to Captain
19	MAY 43	Designated Flight Commander A Flight
6	DEC 43	Designated Squadron Operations Officer
15	JAN 44	Promoted to Major
5	FEB 44	Designated Squadron Commanding Officer
18	APR 44	Last seen shortly after engaging two ME-109's northwest of Nauen, Germany. POW (MACR 4125)

Victories: 15.33 (13.33 air/2 ground)

Highlights:

16 MAR 44 - 2 ME-110's
8 Apr 44 - 2 FW-190's
18 APR 44 - 1 FW-190, 1 ME-109

Post 4th Fighter Group: Osteopathic Physician in Paris, Tennessee.

Decorations

Distinguished Flying Cross (5 OLC), Air Medal (3 OLC), POW Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal.