DYE, James D.

B: 5 October 1911 TX

D: 2 May 1995 Dallas, TX





Hometown: Dallas, Texas

Rank: Captain

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 335th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

P-47D-1-RE 42-7901 WD-G

P-51B-7-NA 43-6901 WD-G

4th Service: 22 February 1943 - 21 March 1944

NOV 43 Promoted to 1st Lieutenant

5 MAR 44 Designated Flight Commander C Flight

21 MAR 44 Badly wounded in the leg by fire from an

FW-190. Upon landing, would not consent to

go to the hospital till he had his

medicinal shot of whisky.

Victories:

3

Post 4th Fighter Group:

N/A

Decorations:

Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, Purple Heart, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal.