

FETROW, Gene B.

B: 28 August 1918 Torrance, CA

D: 1 April 2004 Ontario, CA



Hometown: Upland, California

Rank: Captain

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 335th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

N/A

4th Service: 16 September 1942 – 22 June 1943

26 NOV 42 Promoted to 1st Lieutenant

1 DEC 42 Designated Flight Commander C Flight

28 JAN 43 Promoted to Captain

Victories:

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Post 4th Fighter Group:

Assigned to Rome Field as a test pilot upon return to the 4th FG. Elevated to Chief Test Pilot. Left the USAAF after the war with the rank of Major.

In the construction business in Ontario, California.

Co-owner/operator of a firm that built heavy-duty dumping trailers.

Decorations:

Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal (3 OLC), World War II Victory Medal.