

# GRIMM, Paul I.

B: 4 February 1920 Columbus, OH

D: 24 October 1998 Floral City, FL



**Hometown:** Columbus, Ohio

**Rank:** Staff Sergeant

**MOS:** 750 - Crew Chief

**Unit:** 335th Fighter Squadron

**Aircraft:**

P-51B-7-NA 43-6770 WD-0

P-51B-10-NA 42-106464 WD-0

P-51D-10-NA 44-14066 WD-0

**4th Service:** 9 December 1942 - 26 August 1945

1 APR 43 Promoted to Sergeant

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21 JUN 44 Participated in Operation FRANTIC II, the Russia Shuttle mission. (RTB 3 JUL)

APR 45 On DS (Detached Service) to Uppsala, Sweden to instruct Swedish AF personnel on operation and maintenance of instruments and engineering of the P-51. Returned to Debden on 23 May.

**Campaigns:** Normandy, Northern France, Ardennes, Rhineland, Central Europe, Air Offensive Europe.

**Post 4th Fighter Group:**

N/A

**Decorations**

Bronze Star, Air Medal, Good Conduct Medal; European -African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal (with 6 bronze stars); Presidential Unit Citation, World War II Victory Medal.