

PAWLUS, Theodore J.

B: 9 November 1916 IL

D: 13 July 2000 Matteson, IL



Hometown: Chicago Heights, Illinois

Rank: Staff Sergeant

MOS: 750 - Crew Chief

Unit: 335th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

P-47D-6-RE 42-74621 WD-L

P-51D-5-NA 44-13903 WD-L *Fighter From Decatur*

4th Service: 9 December 1942 - 26 August 1945

1 APR 43 Promoted To Corporal

1 MAY 43 Promoted to Sergeant

1 JUN 43 Promoted to Staff Sergeant

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

Post 4th Fighter Group:

Employed by Columbia Tool Steel in Chicago Heights, Illinois for 25 years, after which he became Personnel Manager for Abex Corp. - another firm in Chicago Heights, Illinois.

Decorations:

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

