

SMOLINSKY, Frank J.

B: 3 January 1919 Buffalo, NY

D: 3 April 1943 Sawbridgeworth, ENG



Hometown: New York City, New York

Rank: 2nd Lieutenant

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 335th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

P-47C-2-RE 41-6181 WD-D

4th Service: 14 October 1942 – 3 April 1943

3 APR 43 Developed engine trouble while on local flight. Crashed while attempting an emergency landing at Sawbridgeworth when engine cut out completely at 150' and he went straight in.

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Victories:

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Decorations:

Air Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal.