

# **LAIRD, Charles F.**

B: 13 February 1918 Marion, OH

D: 12 November 1972 Phoenix, AZ

**Hometown:** Marion, Ohio

**Rank:** Private, First Class

**MOS:** 548 - Fabric and Dope Mechanic

144 - Painter, General

**Unit:** 45th Service Squadron

864th Air Engineering Squadron

**4th Service:** January 1943 – November 1945

1 DEC 43 Promoted to Private, First Class

28 MAR 44 Classification changed from MOS 144 to MOS 548 (Fabric and Dope Mechanic)

15 APR 45 Transferred to the 864th Air Engineering Squadron, 438th Air Service Group

**Post 4th Fighter Group:**

Also served in Korea.

Worked as a spray painter.

**Decorations:**

European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal.