

## MARTIN, Ralph W.

B: 29 July 1910 Chillicothe, OH

D: 18 November 1991 Lehigh Acres, FL



**Hometown:** Chillicothe, Ohio

**Rank:** Staff Sergeant

**MOS:** 685 - Airplane Electrical Mechanic

958 - Airplane and Engine Electrical  
Accessories Repairman

**Unit:** 45th Service Squadron

864th Air Engineering Squadron

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

4 AUG 43 Promoted to Sergeant

1 JUL 44 Promoted to Staff Sergeant

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

28 JUN 45 Reclassified to MOS - 958 Airplane and  
Engine Electrical Accessories Repairman

**Post 4th Fighter Group:**

Employed by the Mead Corporation in Dayton, Ohio

**Decorations:**

Bronze Star, Good Conduct Medal, European-African-  
Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, American Defense Medal,  
World War II Victory Medal.