

DOWNS, Bruce C.

B: 24 June 1916 San Angelo, TX

D: 7 August 1986 San Patricio, TX



*Downs while with 121 Squadron
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Hometown: Wichita, Kansas

Rank: N/A

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: Listed with 335th Fighter Squadron

Aircraft:

N/A

4th Service: Served with 121 Squadron, but posted to 126 Squadron on Malta in May 1942. Transferred to the USAAF on 25 September 1942 while in Gibraltar. Sent back to England but apparently was never assigned to the 4th Fighter Group; sent to North Africa.

Victories:

None

Post 4th Fighter Group:

10 JUN 45 Appointed Commanding Officer 74th Fighter Squadron, 23rd Fighter Group, China

Served in Korea and Vietnam; retired from the USAF as a Colonel.

Decorations:

N/A