

TRIPPET, William A.

B: 26 December 1916 TX

D: 2 April 1981 Travis, TX



Hometown: Waco, Texas

Rank: Lieutenant Colonel

MOS: 1055 - Pilot, single engine fighter

Unit: 4th Headquarters Squadron

Aircraft:

N/A

4th Service: 8 November 1944 – 2 June 1945

8 NOV 44 Designated Group Operations Officer

29 NOV 44 Appointed (acting) Group and Station
Commanding Officer

Victories:

None

Post 4th Fighter Group:

DEC 47 Appointed Commanding Officer 16th Airborne
Command and Control Squadron

1952 Assistant Chief, Directorate of Operations for
Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations, USAF.

Retired from the USAF as a Colonel.

Decorations:

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