THOMAS, Raynes F.

B: 1 February 1919 Mansfield, MO

D: 4 June 1996 Coffeyville, KS

Hometown: Coffeyville, Kansas

Rank: Corporal

MOS: 931 - Truck Driver, Heavy

932 - Special Vehicle Operator (Refueling Unit)

Unit: 45th Service Squadron

438th Headquarters and Base Services Squadron, 438th Air Service Group

4th Service: February 1943 – 19 September 1945

1 MAR 44	Promoted to Private, First Class
24 JUN 44	Classification changed from MOS 932 (Special Vehicle Operator) to MOS 931 (Truck Driver, Heavy)
1 FEB 45	Promoted to Corporal
15 APR 45	Transferred to the 438th Headquarters and Base Services Squadron, 438th Air Service Group
15 JUL 45	Transferred to the 864th Air Engineering Squadron, 438th Air Service Group

Worked in the squadron's Transportation section.

Post 4th Fighter Group:

Co-op Refinery Operator.

Decorations:

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