

LEISURE WORLD HISTORICAL SOCIETY

VETERANS HISTORY PROJECT

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LAST FIRST MIDDLE INITIAL
ADDRESS_ PHONE

DATE OF BIRTH 1/21 BIRTHPLACE Boston, Mass
(YEAR) (CITY/STATE)

YEAR MOVED TO LEISURE WORLD _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

SERVICE RECORD: MILITARY BRANCH _____

UNIT 15th Air Force SPECIALTY 451st Bomb Group

THEATRES OF OPERATION

UNITED STATES:(LIST CITY/STATE/TRAINING AREAS) Inducted Boston
Randolph Field, Tx Vernon, Tx Basic End, Ok
Friederich, Ok-advanced Ft Worth B-24 training
Casper Wym-crew training

OVERSEAS:(LIST AREA: EUROPE/ASIA/PACIFIC/AFRICA, AND CITIES) _____

B-24 pilot flew to Italy-42 complete mission
shot down over Munich-rescued in Adriatic by
Royal Air Force-sea rescue-hospitalized-Sent to
Dunstable-fly navigator training
SERVICE START Boston 9/1942 Cadet

DISCHARGE DATE 11/1945 Wostover Fld Mass (RANK) Captain
(MO/DAY/YEAR) (CITY/STATE) (RANK)

AWARDS/CITATIONS Distinguished Flyers Cross
Purple Heart, Air Medal with 2 Bronze Clusters & more

SPECIAL/UNUSUAL SERVICE AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: _____

Ploesti ^{oil} field Bombing-Big target

POST SERVICE RESERVE DUTY, LOCATION & ACTIVITY _____

Reserves - then recalled went to England

(PLEASE SUBMIT ADDITIONAL DUTY ON SEPARATE SHEET) Discharged 1953

DATE 4/17/67

Reserves H.en
Korean War - recalled - England