

DATA SHEET
380TH BOMB GROUP AIRCRAFT

No. 028

SERIAL NO.:	<u>42-40516</u>	MOST POPULAR NOSE ART NAME:	<u>"ROBBIE L"</u>
MODEL:	<u>B-24D-65-CO</u>	MFR:	<u>Consolidated-San Diego</u>
		CONTRACTOR'S NO.:	<u>1593</u>
INITIAL MFG DATE:	<u>03/04/1943</u>	MFG COMPLETION DATE:	<u>03/16/1943</u>
FIRST FLIGHT DATE:	<u>03/18/1943</u>	MOD CENTER DATE:	<u>03/20/1943</u>
USAAF ACCEPTANCE DATE:	<u>03/19/1943</u>	MOD CENTER PLACE:	<u>Tucson</u>
TO STAGING AREA DATE:	<u>04/14/1943</u>	STAGING PLACE:	<u>Topeka</u>
OVERSEAS FLIGHT DATE:	<u>04/29/1943</u>	DEPARTURE PLACE:	<u>Hamilton Field, CA</u>
OVERSEAS ARRIVAL DATE:	<u>05/04/1943</u>	DESTINATION:	<u>Amberly Field, Brisbane, AUS</u>
MOD COMPLETED OVERSEAS:	<u></u>	OVERSEAS MOD PLACE:	<u></u>
ASSIGNMENT:	<u>380/529</u>	ASSIGNMENT DATE:	<u>Initial Deployment</u>
STATION:	<u>Manbulloo</u>		
FIRST MISSION:	<u>06/11/1943</u>	WHERE (1 ST MISSION):	<u>Koepang, Timor</u>
NO. OF MISSIONS:	<u>3 AU</u>	TERMINATION DATE:	<u>06/23/1943</u>
WHY TERMINATED:	<u>Take-off Accident, Salvaged</u>		
WHERE TERMINATED:	<u>Fenton, NT, Australia</u>		
STRICKEN OFF CHARGE:	<u>10/31/1944</u>	WHERE REMOVED:	<u>Fenton</u>

NOTES:

AIRCRAFT RECORD CARD

Serial No.: 42-40516

Nose Art: "ROBBIE L"

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MODEL <u>B-24D</u>		SERIAL NUMBER <u>42-40516</u>	
A.C. ORDER NO. <u>W535-80-21620</u>		COST <u>\$297,627.00</u>	
DATE RECEIVED <u>3-19-43</u>		MANUFACTURER <u>Consolidated</u>	
BRANCH <u>RA</u>		STATUS <u>S</u>	
DATE DROPPED		REASON	

SI	LOCATION	DATE	AGE	FLYING TIME				TRANSFERRED		REMARKS		
				THIS MONTH		SINCE LAST REPORT WORK		SINCE FIRST COMMISSIONED			TO	AUTHORITY
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										Tucson (By Air) 3-20-43	Mod. Proj. #96082 4/1	
										Center		
										Topeka	4-14-43	
										Hamilton	4-18-43	
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MAINTENANCE CREW

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	SSN	Rank	Name
Crew Chief(s):			Not Available in Current Records

	SSN	Rank	Name
Mechanic(s):			Not Available in Current Records

Notes:

"ROBBIE L"

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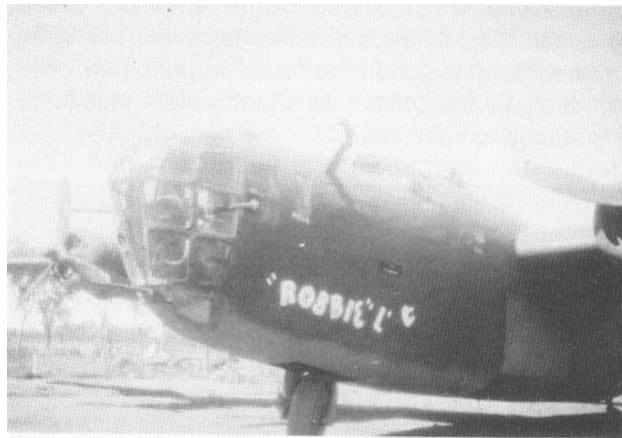
Model: B-24D-65-CO

Right Side



Source: Horton/Horton, King of the Heavies, p. 22-23.
(Line in center is due to this picture being placed across two pages in the above-referenced book.)

Left Side



Source: Horton, Best in the Southwest, p. 41.

MISSION RECORD

SN 42-40516 NOSE ART "ROBBIE L" MODEL D-65-CO

SQDN ASSGD 529 MFR Consolidated-San Diego M# 516

LOCATION: Australia

NOTES: Familiarization Mission with 90/319 prior to Activation (No records extant showing 380th planes carrying out missions under 90BG control)

NO.	DATE (M/D/Y)	MISSION #	MISSION TYPE	TARGET	CREW #	ACFT CMDR	SQDN	RESULTS/NOTES
1	6/11/43	FEN I-35	Strike	Koepang, Timor	11	Kelly	529	
2	6/15/43	FEN I-37	Strike	Kendari, Celebes	16	Fleming	529	
3	6/23/43	FEN I-43	Strike	Macassar, Celebes	16	Fleming	529	
								Destroyed, Take-off Crash at Fenton after Mission