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To:

Mrs Alice Craig

SUBJECT: Awarding of U.S. Decoration

The Office of the Defense Attaché is thoroughly delighted to re-issue an award to the Aircraft Commander and Crew of the "Shady Lady" from General George C. Kenny, Commanding General Headquarters Far East Air Forces dated 7 June 1945. The perilous journey your Husband and his Crew endured those fateful days in 1943, and their story of survival, mission accomplishment, bravery and heroism is without equal.

380TH BOMBARDMENT GROUP

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION

AIRCRAFT COMMANDER	1 ST LT	DOU
CO-PILOT	2 ND LT	ROB
NAVIGATOR	2 ND LT	JOH
BOMBARDIER	2 ND LT	RAN
FLIGHT ENGINEER	TECH SGT	LOU
RADIO OPERATOR	TECH SGT	RUP
GUNNER	TECH SGT	VER
GUNNER	TECH SGT	WIL
GUNNER	TECH SGT	WIL
ARMOURER/GUNNER	TECH SGT	MAU
RAAF PHOTOGRAPHER	FLYING OFFICER	H.R
CREW CHIEF	M/SGT	THO
MECHANIC	SGT	CLA

DOUGLAS S. CRAIG
ROBERT L. JACKSON
JOHN B. NASH
RANDALL E. PACKARD
LOUIS D JOSEPH
RUPERT J DAUGHERTY (JR)
VERNON A KROUT
WILLIAM F KLENN
WILLIAM J MYNOCK
MAURICE POWERS
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