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JOHN D. BENNETT
CAPTAIN, U. S. AIR FORCE RESERVE
1926 - 2000

Captain "Jack" Bennett enlisted in the Air Corps in 1940 progressing to technical sergeant and crew chief. After graduating with Flying School Class 43H, he flew 42 missions in Europe. On August 17, 1944, Jack was shot down over Ploesti and remained a prisoner in Rumania for the duration of the war. On return to the United States he was an Advanced Flying instructor in Texas and Arizona until he was released from active duty. His medals included the Purple Heart and Distinguished Flying Cross. He then worked for the NCR Corporation for 35 years. Captain Bennett and his wife, Agnes, had two sons and five grandchildren.

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