

RECORD UPDATE

306th Bomb Group Association

(Please complete as much of this form as you wish, and return to
 Russ Strong at the reunion, or mail to Russ Strong, 5323 Cheval
 Place, Charlotte, NC 28205) Little Rock 1989

Date completed AUG 24-1991LAST NAME: CECH FIRST NAME: MARTIN TITLE: T/SGT. RETStreet address: 1053 LAKE ST. Telephone: (213) 399-3379City, state, zip: VENICE, CA. 90291Date of Birth: NOV 14 1920Wife's name: DECEASED
5 DAUGHTERS, 5 GRANDCHILDREN?College(s) attended: —Degree(s): — Year(s): —Last employment and job title: US POSTAL SERVICE
RET. JULY 1979Reunions attended: (by year or location) —Serial #: 6927337 Squadron: 423RD Specialty: WAIST GUNNERDate joined 306th: 1943

If combat, what crew:

Special duties or assignments w/306th:

WAS ACTING 1ST SGT. WITH 576TH CHEMICAL
BEFORE JOINING 423RD BOMB Sq. CO.Number of missions flown: 21ST.Date of last mission: MAR 6, 1944WAS TOLD TO BAIL OUT.
 Date left 306th: AFTER AIR FIGHT1ST OVER BERLIN!
 Highest rank/grade with 306th:

Other 8th AF units served with:

Top service assignments after 306th: OPEN MESS SUPERVISOR (NCO CLUBS)USAF retirement date: JAN 1962 Rank/grade: TSGT.

Copies of old 306th orders, either from the Group or Station 111, or any of the
 squadrons or other units, will be welcomed by the secretary.

If you know of other 306th people who do not appear in the directory, please add
 their names and current or former addresses to this sheet so that we may search
 further for them.

Martin Cech:

Evadee statement obtained at National Archives

Landed near Ommen, Holland, 6 March 1944 on Berlin mission.
Had bailed out at 1500feet.

Small piece of 20 mm shell in back.

Spent from July 44 to February 45 hidden at Marienberg, Holland.

Picked up by Canadian Army 5 Apr 45 during its sweep up the
North Sea coast towards Denmark.