

Mr. Bill Collins
2973 Heatherbrae Dr.
Poland, Ohio 44514

AUG. 8, 1985

Dear Bill:

I'm NOT positive if I
had registered my change of
address with you - but in
case I didn't, here it is:

5634 David C. Hirtle
4 Gibbs Road
Middleboro, Mass.
02346

This should aid in helping
the "306th Echoes" to me -
Someone had mentioned to
me that there was a local

Group for either The
306 or The 8 AF in
my new area. Could you
advise me of same if
any?

I Look forward to my
Echoes. I'll mention that
I haven't received a copy
since April 85 - I moved in June.

Thanks for your help and
your contributions -

Sincerely,

David C. Hirtle



A Family Experience

The Third Congregational Church

94 Miner Street, Middletown, Conn. 06457 / The Rev. David C. Hirtle, *Minister*

April 1, 1985

Mr. William Collins
2973 Heatherbrae Drive
Poland, Ohio 44514

Dear Mr. Collins:

I received your address from a friend of mine, Mr. Robert Crane, of Portland, Connecticut.

Although I am not a World War Two Veteran, I am a Vietnam Veteran, a pilot, who also spent 2½ years at R.A.F. Woodbridge/Bentwaters. Thus a member of the Eighth Air Force.

I have obtained a separate application for the Eighth Air Force Historial Society and have submitted same. However, I would be extremely interested in becoming associated with any WW II Units stationed at my base or Abbey Thorpe, near Norwich. A very good friend of mine was stationed there and recently passed away. As a favor to him, I traveled this summer to the base (now a museum with 8th AF items on display) and thoroughly enjoyed my visit.

Thankyou for your time and interest. I did so enjoy the February 1985 issue of 306th Echoes. In fact, if there are no current groups from either my bases or Abbey Thorpe, I would be pleased to continue to hear from the 306th.

Cordially,

David C. Hirtle
114 Miner Street, Middletown, Connecticut 06457

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ADD:

July 1, 1985

Dear Bill:

Just a short
note to advise you of
my change of address
to:

5634
DAVID C. HIRTLE
4 Gibbs Rd
Middleboro, Mass
02346

Also Do you know
of any local groups/
units in my immediate
area?

Thank you for your
help - I look forward
to my "Echo" - (I did
NOT receive either June
or July 1985 - issues -

again, Thank you - C

Cardiac,

David C. Smith -