



William D. Beals **62-43**

**First Lieutenant, U.S. Army Air
Forces**

Service # 1179509

**Headquarters Squadron
7th Bomber Group, Heavy**

Entered the Service from: New Jersey

Died: 22-Mar-45

Missing in Action or Buried at Sea

**Tablets of the Missing at Manila American Cemetery
Manila, Philippines**

Awards: Air Medal, Purple Heart

HE SERVED AS AN AERIAL OBSERVER IN THE HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON, 7TH BOMB GROUP H,
IN THE CHINA-BURMA-INDIA THEATER. HE WAS SHOT DOWN ON MARCH 22, 1945 OVER THE BAY
OF BENGAL. **From Margaret Andiorio, Sister**