

IP4802



357th Fighter Group

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Set 1 of 5



Suggested Kit: Tamiya 1/48 P-51 Family



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P-51B/C



PART I

A/C Type P-51 B, s/n 43-24823.
 Pilot & Unit Capt. Clarence Anderson, 363 F.S., 357th F.G.
 Camouflage & Markings Olive Drab over Neutral Gray. White nose.
 Remarks Anderson's second Old Crow. The first one was a P-39. Photo on page 12.



A/C Type P-51 B, s/n 43-6763.
 Pilot & Unit Flt. Off. Chuck Yeager, 363 F.S., 357th F.G.
 Camouflage & Markings Olive Drab over Neutral Gray. White nose.
 Remarks Yeager was shot down in this A/C on 3/5/44. Evaded capture and returned to group. Photos on page 35. Notice different style of names on right and left sides. Wheel hubs painted Red.



A/C Type P-51 B, s/n 43-6634.
 Pilot & Unit Leonard K. Carson, 362nd F.S., 357th F.G..
 Camouflage & Markings Olive Drab over Neutral Gray. Red spinner with Yellow Band. Red/Yellow checkers.
 Remarks Named by his crew chief, Andy Tagodinsky. Carson flew this A/C during his first tour with the 357th. Photo on page 16. Double Nooky Booky's provided for more opacity. Simply apply 2 to each side.



A/C Type P-51 B, s/n 42-106826.
 Pilot & Unit Major John Storch, 364th F.S., 357th F.G.
 Camouflage & Markings Olive Drab over Natural Metal. Red spinner with Yellow Band. Red/Yellow checkers.
 Remarks Photo on page 41.



COLOR SCHEMES



References:

-Information provided by Jim Roeder, Author of S/S book "357th Fighter Group". Highly recommended to all.

Thanks Jim!

Suggested Kits:

-We suggest that modellers use the Tamiya P-51 Family in 1/72 and 1/48 scale. The Academy kit is recommended for the 1/72 P-51B.

-Notice that many other good kits of the Mustang exist, and they may also be used.

