



Name: ARTHUR MCNAIR TAYLOR – ENSIGN

Where lived: WILLMAR

Date of Birth:

Branch: US NAVY

Date of Loss: 26 MARCH 1943

Other information: WAS TRAINING TO BECOME A PILOT. DURING A TRAINING FLIGHT, HIS PLANE COLLIDED WITH ANOTHER. THE OTHER PILOT WAS ABLE TO PARACHUTE TO SAFETY, AS WAS TAYLOR'S RADIOMAN. TAYLOR'S PLANE BURST INTO FLAMES ABOUT 400 FEET HIGH AND TAYLOR ATTEMPTED TO EJECT. WITHOUT ENOUGH ALTITUDE, HIS CHUTE DIDN'T OPEN.