

50th INTELLIGENCE SQUADRON

11 January 1951

Boeing B-29-95-BW Superfortress bomber, 45-21771, of the 3512th AMS, 3510th AMG, returning to Randolph Air Force Base, Texas, after a seven-hour training flight, crashed 10 miles SW of Seguin, Texas. At 8,000 feet the pilot, Captain Norman A. Bivens, cut off the automatic pilot and began descending through an overcast, flying on instruments. Bivens reported losing all flight instruments and the aircraft became uncontrollable. Six of the crew members were killed, while five others parachuted to safety.

500216	T-6C	42-84408	35122AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	LACGL	Fisher, Earle B.	Randolph AFB
511004	T-33A	50-0437	3520AMS	3522AMG	Wichita AFB, KS	KSSP	Remillard, David H.	Wichita AFB
450106	C-46A	42-96690	3520BU		Fredrick AAF, OK	GLL	Grierson, Walter H	Temple AAF, TX
530123	T-33A	51-8688	3581MS	3580MSG	Foster AFB, TX	LAC	Carnevale, Peter E	Foster AFB, TX
530124	T-33A	51-8615	3581MS	3580MSG	Foster AFB, TX	LACLS	Herning, Charles A	Foster AFB, TX

LINEAGE

STATIONS

ASSIGNMENTS

WEAPON SYSTEMS

ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT SERIAL NUMBERS

ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT TAIL/BASE CODES

UNIT COLORS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE

MOTTO

NICKNAME

CALL SIGN

OPERATIONS

500116	T-6D	41-34261	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	LACGL	Farver, John B.	Randolph AFB
500223	T-6D	42-85366	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	LACGL	Teat, Franklin A.	Randolph AFB
500321	T-6D	44-81587	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	TAC	Talley, David G.	Randolph AFB
500416	T-6D	42-86334	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	LACGL	Watt, James G.	Parlin Field
500623	T-6D	44-86334	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	LACGL	McClanahan, Marion R.	Barksdale AFB
510111	B-29	45-21771	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	KCRMF	Bivens, Norman A.	15 Mi SE Randolph AFB
510315	TB-29	44-86448	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	LAC	Walts, Robert	Randolph AFB
510626	B-29A	44-69762	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	TACMF	Mott, Geotge S.	Randolph AFB
511108	B-29	44-70142	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	KBOEFF	Abel, George K.	2 Mi NW Kelly AFB
511108	B-29	44-69923	3512AMS	3510AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	MF	Kennedy, William B.	5 Mi S Austin TX
510621	B-29A	44-61678	3512AMS	3511AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	KBOEFF	Winters, Donald E.	5 Mi N Cibolo
511130	B-29	44-69896	3512AMS	3519AMG	Randolph AFB, TX	BOEFF	Cline, Victor K.	10 Mi SW Yoakum

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