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(Lt. Colonel, U. S. Air Force, Electronics Warfare Officer, F-105G "Thunderchief", 354th Tactical Fighter Squadron, 355th Tactical Fighter Wing, Takhli Royal Thailand Air Base, Thailand) (10 Jun 1939 IL-06 Jul 1978 North Vietnam, body not recovered) Purple Heart Medal, Air Medal  
Aircraft shot down by North Vietnamese MIG-21 while involved in Surface to Air Missile suppression.