

Book Reports

Lithuanian Fly Boy: The Youthful Years

by Albert O. Wilkat
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Humpster Albert is a first generation American who enjoyed the benefits of the Depression as did the rest of us. His narrative begins with his parent's arrival and settling in South St. Louis, MO. where Al was born and raised.

There are pictures of his family and their typical '20/30s style home with front porch wide enough for a comfortable swing.

Albert describes his boyhood, studies and Air Corps training bringing him to Shingbwiyang and the 2nd Troop Carrier Squadron in support of the Burma push ground troops.

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This is a biography of a Humpster, Kenneth L. Chastain, Sr, written by his son, Kenneth Chastain, Jr, who has presented his dad's activities from his birth in 1913 to his demise. Fascinating experiences include 75 Hump crossings from Mityinkina and Search and Rescue from Mohanbari.

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