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Stanley Malachowski Aboard Carrier Which Hit Tokyo

Stanley S. Malachowski, S1/C, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Malachowski, 308 Tohickon Avenue, Quakertown, serves aboard the USS Independence, one of the Navy's front-line aircraft carriers which participated in the aerial onslaught on Tokyo.

As part of the more than 1,000 carrier-borne aircraft participating in the attack, planes from his flattop strafed and bombed some 80 airfields in and around the Japanese capital. The attack was the first of its kind unleashed against the Tokyo area since last February.

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