

July 16, 2000



**THE NATIONAL
D-DAY MUSEUM
NEW ORLEANS**

Mr. George Holloway
334 Meadowridge Rd. 29
Boone, NC 28607-7789

Dear Mr. Holloway

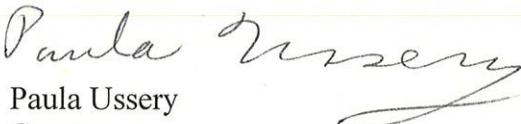
Thank you for your generous donation offer of a piece of Japanese airplane from Peleliu. The National D-Day Museum is indeed seeking Pacific War artifacts. A 5,000 foot gallery will open in December, 2001 devoted to the fighting there.

I am definitely most interested in this piece of Japanese plane, however you should know that the artifacts that will debut in 2001 have not yet been selected. If you would like for this to be considered for this gallery, then I shall need you to write (or call) my office and give me a more complete history of your service, of the fighting that you saw on Peleliu and the approximate location of the plane.

The D-Day Museum "celebrates the American Spirit, teamwork, courage and sacrifice of the men and women who won World II." This item would be a valuable contribution to our artifact collections.

Materials accessioned into the museum's collections are utilized for core exhibits (such as the one that debuted on June 6, 2000), are displayed in rotating exhibits and are made available for short term to other museums for their temporary exhibits. Additionally documents will be placed in a library/archives for use by students, and D-Day staff.

Sincerely


Paula Ussery
Curator

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