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Crashed Aircraft Site Report

Date Visited: 20 Oct 2003.

Model & Serial Number: C-47A #42-23734 a.k.a. CNAC #77.

GPS Coordinates: N 27-39-29.2 E 096-58-22.8.

Datum: WGS 84.

Country: Burma.

State/Province/District: Kachin.

Nearest Town/Village: Ziadum.

Distance/Direction: 3-day trek WNW of Ziadum.

Altitude: 12,034 ft.

Topography: Mountains.

Aspect: SE.

Terrain Notes: Rocky ravine on open, moderate slope.

Vegetation: None.

Nearest Water: Small stream approx. .25 mi. from site.

Site Disturbance: Some disturbance caused by rockfalls.

Aircraft ID Method: Panel with aircraft construction number 9596.

Engines/Propellers: 2 engines and propeller blades.

Wreckage/Artifacts/ID Tags: Wreckage extending approx. 200 yds. downslope from estimated point of impact. Some wreckage located under large rocks, possibly indicating rockfalls triggered by the 1950 earthquake.

Human Remains: None seen by investigator.

Removed from Site: Several small pieces of aircraft wreckage removed by investigator and sent to family of pilot. Not known if others removed anything.

Photos: See website for photos. Additional photos/video on file.

Misc. Notes:

Investigator: Clayton Kuhles.