

May 2022 Newsletter

Dear Thirsty 13th members, relatives, and friends,

In the newsletter April 1, I determined the location and men present for two award ceremonies in New Caledonia in 1943. After this, I decided to look at the rest of our award ceremonies, including for the Good Conduct Medal. This took from March 16 to 25, about 14 hours/day.

I spent March 23-24 putting all my award orders (105 for air awards, 4 for the Good Conduct Medal) on a new page on the Thirsty13th website, so relatives may find and download these.

Please search this newsletter and its attachments by clicking on Edit in the Adobe menu top left (or press the “ALT” key and “e” at the same time and release them), and then click on “Find” (or press “f”). Type your relative’s last name in the search box and press “Enter” (2+ times) to see if he is [on pages A1-E2, and hence on an order](#), [or on pages F1-2 and not on any orders](#).

The Thirsty 13th website has a new link to a page of award orders shown on page 3 herein. If your relative earned one of these medals, please go to the website page and download the order.

With best wishes,

Seth P. Washburne, Squadron Historian
May 2, 2022

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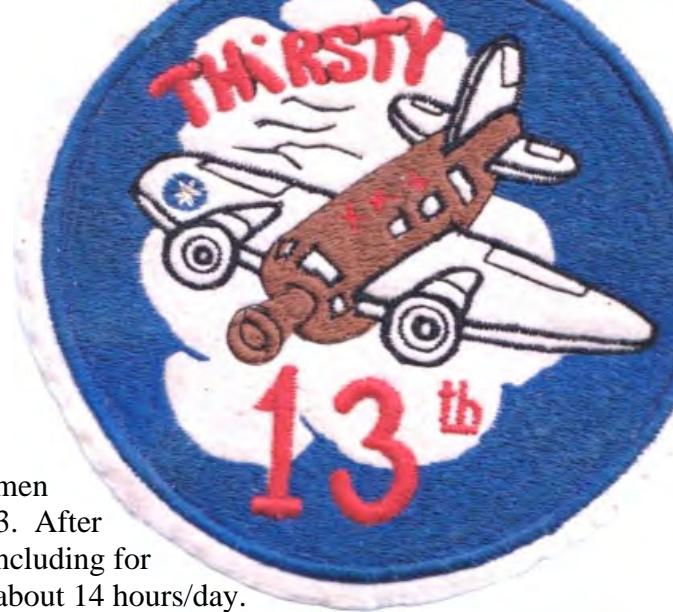
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Awards
and
Decorations



DISTINGUISHED	1st Lt. Bruce Gilbert
F L Y I N G	1st Lt. Richard E. Givens
C O S T	1st Lt. Robert A. Hammett
(The number to the right of each name indicates Oak Leaf Clusters to the DFC received).	1st Lt. David M. Hay
Major Felder W. Cullum	1st Lt. Robert E. Johnson, Jr. (1)
Major John P. Remaklus, Jr.	1st Lt. John H. Jones
Captain John J. Murphy	1st Lt. Leon L. Lenderman
Captain William M. Brandt (1)	1st Lt. John P. Lippitt (1)
Captain Robert L. Brans (1)	1st Lt. John McCarroll, Jr.
Captain Benjamin C. Brewer	1st Lt. John F. Meador
Captain Robert D. Bruce, Jr.	1st Lt. John F. Murphy
Captain Robert D. Davis (1)	1st Lt. Walter S. Morita (1)
Captain Milton W. Fraser (1)	1st Lt. Stanley F. Page
Captain William H. Jay (1)	1st Lt. Thomas F. Preston
Captain Arnold L. Miller	1st Lt. Howard E. Shook (1)
Captain John H. Jones (1)	1st Lt. William E. Smith
Captain Cecil E. Petty	T/Sgt. Joseph F. Dolney
1st Lt. Alva T. Adams, Jr.	T/Sgt. John W. Watkins
1st Lt. Jack D. Alexander (1)	S/Sgt. Peter A. Beck
1st Lt. John F. Baldry	S/Sgt. John H. Carter, Jr.
1st Lt. Jack B. Bell	S/Sgt. Howard L. Cole
1st Lt. Don J. Bergstrom (1)	S/Sgt. Frank J. Foster
1st Lt. Roger J. Bergstrom (1)	S/Sgt. Louis A. Flynn
1st Lt. John H. Black (1)	S/Sgt. Burton E. Heckendorf
1st Lt. Eugene G. Brown	S/Sgt. Larry E. Ingalls
1st Lt. Virgil M. Carroll	S/Sgt. George A. Kizer
1st Lt. William L. Chapperton	S/Sgt. John L. Coughlin (1)
1st Lt. Clifford C. Davis	S/Sgt. Gordon Mouton
1st Lt. Eugene Ecklund	S/Sgt. Frank T. Mihalega (1)
1st Lt. Roy C. Farmer (1)	S/Sgt. Roger H. Reddick
1st Lt. William R. Fitzgerald	S/Sgt. John L. Sayles
Robert E. Fiske	S/Sgt. James C. Wallace
1st Lt. Richard S. Frey (1)	S/Sgt. Charles T. Wattis

By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, a Distinguished Flying Cross is awarded to the Commanding General, United States Forces in the South Pacific Area, for extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flights on transport missions. All of these flights were performed in combat areas where there was a possibility of enemy opposition. Previous recognition that each has received makes his record one for emulation; his accomplishments being a credit to himself and the Army Air Forces.

1. Additional History

a. Award Orders

The squadron yearbook, "Two Years c/o Postmaster" (a scan of which is on the [thirsty13th website](#)), has the two pages above, listing recipients of the Distinguished Flying Cross ("DFC") and Air Medal ("AM"). After each man's name, a parenthetical indicates how many additional times he received this same award, for which he received Oak Leaf Clusters ("OLCs") to be pinned to the ribbon for the medal. At least 9 men not listed above in *Two Years* received the Air Medal.

As shown at right, air awards were earned by at least 249 men. The Good Conduct Medal award was earned by 275 men. Subtracting out 71 men who received both awards, 453 men, 56% of all, are on an award order.

The DFC was awarded for 200 flight hours in 1942 to Guadalcanal, and the Air Medal for each 100 hours of "combat time." My April 2017 newsletter showed the combat time boundary shrank as we moved west. As shown below right, air crew (in the blue section) who joined before 1944 were 86% (215/249) of those awarded.

Appendices show who is on my award lists. Many others also received awards.

For Air Crew

- A1 is an index of line numbers for airmen on pages B1-4.
- B1-4 provide the award time period, and order date and number.
- C1-3 are the award orders I know of, the men listed, and the ceremony dates.
- D1 is 113 men who are missing orders for 9 DFCs, 33 AMs, and 136 OLCs.

For All Enlisted

For Both

- E1 is who is on the Good Conduct Awards lists, in the sequence listed.
- F1-2 is men who did not receive an air award or Good Conduct Award.



AIR MEDAL (The number to the right of the name indicates the number of Oak Leaf Clusters to the Air Medal received.)

1st Lt. Frank R. Hooper (5)	T/Sgt. Cora B. Smyth
1st Lt. Emerson P. King (2)	T/Sgt. Bernard J. Stover
1st Lt. Ernest S. King (1)	T/Sgt. John A. Vaughn (1)
1st Lt. Edward F. Knobbe (4)	T/Sgt. John W. Waraks (4)
1st Lt. Leon L. Lenderman (4)	T/Sgt. John W. Zehar
1st Lt. Leon L. Lenderman (4)	T/Sgt. Fred O. Anderson (2)
1st Lt. Leopold F. Lippert (1)	T/Sgt. Frank J. Barry (1)
1st Lt. Lester L. Lippert (3)	T/Sgt. George C. McMahon (3)
1st Lt. Ward P. Mann (4)	T/Sgt. Peter A. Beck (1)
1st Lt. Ward P. Mann (4)	T/Sgt. Casper J. Breitbach (1)
1st Lt. Richard C. McMahon (3)	T/Sgt. Homer G. Bowen
1st Lt. Robert L. Brandt (3)	T/Sgt. Paul B. Bruce (2)
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1st Lt. Robert L. Brandt (3)	T/Sgt. John T. Coker, Jr. (2)
1st Lt. Robert L. Brandt (3)	T/Sgt. Donald W. Cooper (1)
1st Lt. Robert L. Brandt (3)	T/Sgt. Remi D. DeClercq
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1st Lt. Edward R. Miller	T/Sgt. Louis A. Flynn
1st Lt. Edward R. Miller	T/Sgt. Francis J. Fried
1st Lt. Oscar B. Mitchell (3)	T/Sgt. Walter H. Grubbs
1st Lt. Oscar B. Mitchell (3)	T/Sgt. William H. Grubbs
1st Lt. Harry C. Moivre	T/Sgt. John H. Hedges (1)
1st Lt. Harry C. Moivre (2)	T/Sgt. Paul B. Bruce (2)
1st Lt. James T. Moyle (2)	T/Sgt. Paul M. Bruce (2)
1st Lt. James T. Moyle (2)	T/Sgt. John T. Coker, Jr. (2)
1st Lt. Thomas E. Nuttall (2)	T/Sgt. Donald W. Cooper (1)
1st Lt. James N. Oliveros (2)	T/Sgt. Remi D. DeClercq
1st Lt. James N. Oliveros (2)	T/Sgt. Edward H. Doherty, Jr.
1st Lt. Winslow A. Painter (1)	T/Sgt. Louis A. Flynn
1st Lt. Winslow A. Painter (1)	T/Sgt. Francis J. Fried
1st Lt. Russell L. Pyle (2)	T/Sgt. Walter H. Grubbs
1st Lt. Russell L. Pyle (2)	T/Sgt. John H. Hedges (1)
1st Lt. Winslow A. Painter (1)	T/Sgt. Paul J. Hart
1st Lt. Winslow A. Painter (1)	T/Sgt. Edward H. Doherty, Jr. (1)
1st Lt. John J. Reimer, Jr.	T/Sgt. Everett E. Heckerson (1)
1st Lt. John J. Reimer, Jr.	T/Sgt. John J. Reimer, Jr. (7)
1st Lt. John J. Reimer, Jr.	T/Sgt. John J. Reimer, Jr. (2)
1st Lt. John J. Reimer, Jr.	T/Sgt. Peter B. Small (4)
1st Lt. John J. Reimer, Jr.	T/Sgt. William L. Smith (4)
1st Lt. John J. Reimer, Jr.	T/Sgt. Larry F. Ingalls (1)
1st Lt. John J. Reimer, Jr.	T/Sgt. George A. Kitzer (1)
1st Lt. Harold T. Ans (2)	T/Sgt. Edward H. Doherty, Jr.
1st Lt. Harold T. Ans (2)	T/Sgt. John H. Hedges (1)
1st Lt. Harold T. Ans (2)	T/Sgt. Douglas L. Powell
1st Lt. John B. Baldwin	T/Sgt. John D. MacLeod (2)
1st Lt. John B. Baldwin	T/Sgt. Kenneth G. Marks
1st Lt. Edmund K. Schmitz	T/Sgt. Tom McDowell (1)
1st Lt. Edmund K. Schmitz	T/Sgt. Edward H. Doherty, Jr. (1)
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New Web Page Added with Orders

The Thirsty 13th website's home page is as shown below. On March 23 I added a sentence, outlined in red below, at the end of the first section with a hyperlink to the page at right. This has links to four Good Conduct Medal award lists, and 108 orders of airman awards.

Relatives are encouraged to download the orders with their relative's name on them.



13th Troop Carrier Squadron Awards

This page provides links for relatives to download orders with their relative's name.

Good Conduct Medal Award

The Good Conduct Medal Award was established in June 1941. It was awarded for three consecutive years of "honorable and faithful service," i.e. no non-judicial punishment, disciplinary infractions, or court martial offenses. It was amended March 31, 1943, to start the 3-year clock on August 27, 1940. Men received extra pay each week if they had this, and so had a financial incentive to have good conduct.

Search for the name of your relative, and click on the blue hyperlink to download and save the award order. Names are by rank, then alphabetically.

1. [1944 02 01 403rd TCG 1944 General Order 2](#) - Belto, Thompson DC, Geier, Hladczuk, Boyko, Walsh LP, Chambers.

2. [1944 04 08 13th TCS Memo of Awards this day](#) - (the 403rd TCG order not yet found) to 1st Sgt Giokaris, M/Sgt Ando, Grubbs, Ummel, T/Sgts Bell HD, Elam, Harmon, Killebrew, LaLonde, Locke, Maguire, Mann TO, Mazzone, Myers HC, Pettis, Rapp, Robertson, Watkins, S/Sgts Angle, Belto, Carruthers, DeHaan, DeLoss, Eaton, Enfield, Foss, Foster, Fuller, Hays, Kelley, Lach, Larger, Lowery, Martinga, McAllister, McIlo, Ohnm, Pauck, Petry, Reddick, Riskey, Shearer, Stallings, Weekley, Wicks, Sgta Allen FS Jr., Amert, Anacker, Anderson, Barker, Bechstein, Bell RE, Bradford, Byrd, Christie, Clawson, Collart, Cooper, Delancy, Deppe, Ferguson JB, Ferguson MB, Fernandez, Finch, Gates, Harp, Hartline, Lebedz, Laine, Lamb, Lawyer, MacLeod, McDonald, Meadows, Melton, Myers RS, Mika, Power, Reeves, Schmidt, Scott, Scruggs, Smith OE, Stallings, Storms, Taylor, Wade, Wells, Wilkerson, Cpl Bacon, Bakken, Barry, Beacorn, Bernhard, Biedenbach, Bond, Burgess, Chapman, Eastburn, Eatmon, Fabish, Fuselier, Gee, Geier, Goessl, Holbrook, Korty, Laming, Linkenhogter, Lord, McNulty, Moore JR, Nogaj, Pasco, Petricola, Smith J, Souder, Stainback, Storbeck, Termini, Tustin, Valleye, Van Ness, Vaughan, Verdahl, Wallace JT, Windham, Wiseman, T5 Boyko, Pfc Bass, Bowen, Cameron, Franklin, Germershausen, Geuther, Goodwin, Gordon, Harper, Lund, Markey, Marks, Matela, Miller GJ, Mlynec, Morgan, Morin, O'Shea, Persen, Podolsky (Parket), Sidelko, Sinclair, Sodergren, Stiers, St. Pierre, Sydnor, Thweatt, Walsh LP, Pvt Chambers, DeAmbra, Luras, Phipps, Tutella.

3. [1945 02 06 403rd TCG 1945 General Order 1](#) - S/Sgts Boss, Whitehead, S/Sgts Barrow, Carson, Frici, Hershberg, Hogan, Neal, Thompson AL, Sgts Brouse, Cohen I, Davis CF, DeClerck, Driedger, Holland, Knoll, Sandler (Levine), Taylor JD, Wright TM, Cpl Angelette, Duncan, Babcock, Cook, Sgt Edwards, Cpl Mastrantonio, Mattes, Price, Schissler, Senta, Tauschman, Taylor JM, Zdon, Pfc Woodridge, Davis AS, Downer, Foster Ru, Goodwin LE, Grant, Gray, Gold, Johnson, Osman, Staggs, Stentzel, Sturgis..

4. [1945 09 09 403rd Group General Order 2](#) - M/Sgt Ayres, T/Sgts Harris, Prichard, Tillman, Vitek, S/Sgts Bravos, Crooker, Davis, Elfman, Fatula, Gold, Guzy, Viscusi, Voorhees, Watts, Sgts Arthur, Blance, Brady, Bromberg, Caldwell, Catena, Clark, Darling, Epperhart, Friedman, Gettier, Haralson, Kelly, Kosovich, Magill, McDonough, Payne, Reberry, Ricker, Sandler (Levine), Sunderman, Thear, Cpl Baker, Burdiss, Cade, Costantini, Cuthrell, Dean, Eddins, Franzen, Graham, Hammond, Lentley, Markowitz, Reed, Ryan, Vento, Zener, Pfc Anderson, Benedetto, Davis, Downer, Garner, Giglio, Gordon, Haynes, Langlois, Morey, Noto, Rosen, Shaman, Surnack, Yeager, Sgt Waker.

The Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, and Oak Leaf Clusters

Click [here](#) for an index, to learn which row your relative is on that index's pages 2-5. That index's pages 2-5 show the order numbers, and also which ones are missing, if any. Click on the blue hyperlinks below to download and save any orders. Some orders awarding the Oak Leaf Cluster provide the air medal award order date and number, and that is noted in several places, even though I do not have the order. The DFC and AM are denoted as such. An Oak Leaf Cluster to the DFC is DC-1, and OLCs to the Air Medal are AC1, AC2, etc.

The award orders are:

1943 Orders

1. [1943 07 16 USAFISPA 1943 General Order 182](#) - Alexander JD-DFC, Baldry-DFC, Bell JB-DFC, Bergstrom-DFC, Bernard-DFC, Blankinship-DFC, Block-DFC, Brandt-DFC, Brauns-DFC, Brewer, Jr.-DFC, Bruce RD-DFC, Carroll-DFC, Cole-DFC, Cruncleton-AM, Cullum-DFC, Dolney-DFC, Drake-DFC, Duffy-AM, Ecklund-DFC, Fitzgerald-DFC, Flynn-DFC, Foster-DFC, Fraser-DFC, Frey-DFC, Gilbert-DFC, Givens-DFC, Goldstein-DFC, Hammatt-DFC, Hay-AM, Heckerson-DFC, Ingalls-DFC, Jay-DFC, Johnson RE-DFC, Kolas-DFC, Lippit-DFC, McCarron-DFC, McCullough-DFC, McNeil-AM, Meade-DFC, Merriott-DFC, Mihalega-DFC, Mogush-DFC, Moritz-DFC, Petty-DFC, Preston II-DFC, Remaklus-DFC, Rhodenbaugh-AM, Saylor-DFC, Shook-DFC, Smith WE-AM, Smyth-AM, Sprout-DFC, Stiver-AM, Ummel-AM, Valleye-AM, Vaughn-AM, Versdahl-AM, Wallace-DFC, Washburne-DFC, Watts-DFC, Zechar-AM.

2. [1943 07 17 USAFISPA 1943 General Order 183](#) - Abernathy-AM, Adams Jr.-AM, Alexander JD-AM, Allen F-AM, Anacker-AM, Baldry-AM, Beck-AM, Bell JB-AM, Bergstrom-AM, Bernard-AM, Blankinship-AM, Block-AM, Brauns-AM, Brewer, Jr.-AM, Brown EG-AM, Bruce RD-AM, Burden-AM, Burgess-AM, Clawson-AM, Clayton-AM, Coker-AM, Cole-AM, Davis CC-DFC, DeLoss-AM, Drake-AM, Farmer-DFC, Farmer-AM, Fraser-AM, Frey-AM, Goldstein-AM, Heckerson-AM, Johnson AK-AM, Jurkiewicz-AM, Kelley-AM, Killebrew-AM, Kilzer-AM, Lach-AM, Lawyer-AM, Linkenhogter-AM, Lowery-AM, Mann TO-AM, McCarroll-AM, McCullough-AM, Meade-AM, Meadows-AM, Merriott-AM, Meuret-AM, Mihalega-AM, Mogush-AM, Mullin-AM, Petty-AM, Powell-AM, Preston II-AM, Rapp-AM, Reddick-AM, Remaklus-AM, Shook-AM, Sprout-AM, Washburne-AM, Watkins-AM, Zieman-AM.

3. [1943 07 19 USAFISPA 1943 General Order 184](#) - Adams Jr.-DFC, Baldry-AC1, Fraser-AC1.

4. [1943 07 21 USAFISPA 1943 General Order 186](#) - Alexander JD-AC1, Baldry-AC2, Brewer, Jr.-AC1, Cullum-AM, Dolney-AM, Fitzgerald-AM, Heckerson-AC1, Ingalls-AM, Ingalls-AC1, Meuret-AC1, Petty-DC1, Washburne-AC1, Watkins-AC2.

5. [1943 07 22 USAFISPA 1943 General Order 187](#) (not yet found) - Laming-AM.

6. [1943 12 18 USAFISPA 1943 General Order 507](#) (not yet found) - Wilson HF-AM.

7. [1943 12 19 USAFISPA 1943 General Order 511](#) (not yet found) - Hendricks-AM, Nassett-AM.



The Thirsty 13th

The U.S. Army Air Corps 13th Troop Carrier Squadron, 1940 – 1945

Two Presidential Unit Citations
Seven Battle Stars



Welcome

According to an infantryman in the Ninth General Hospital in New Caledonia: "Much as it pleased us to see our bombers and fighters up there working for us, the only time we actually cheered was when we sighted a C-47. That meant food, mail, care for the wounded and all the things we're fighting this war for."

Many people when they think of military airplanes think of only fighters and bombers, but there is a third type: the cargo plane. The C-47 was so important that General, and future President, Eisenhower wrote in "Crusade in Europe": "Four pieces of equipment that most senior officers came to regard as among the most vital to our success were the bulldozer, jeep, 2 1/2 ton truck, and the C-47," and this was the only aircraft he mentioned.

Flying cargo planes was **more dangerous** than being in a fighter or bomber, because the C-47 was a large target, slow (150 MPH), a valuable target (it carried airplane fuel, torpedoes, guns, supplies, and important people and messages), had no protective armor (no thick steel plates in the walls by the pilots), and it was unarmed. How many people would like to fly one of these into a battle area? Very few. C-47 pilots also faced another and often more deadly force than enemy aircraft: the weather. Fighters and bombers usually flew only in good weather, and had oxygen to climb above low storms. C-47s took off regardless of the weather - the personnel, supplies, and mail had to go through. Because it did not provide oxygen for the passengers, they also had to stay below 12,500 feet. Many crews lost their lives due to encounters with bad weather and mountains. Flying cargo planes in the South Pacific, an area known for intense storms, long distances over water, and mountainous islands, may therefore have been one of the most treacherous flying positions in World War II.

This website is dedicated to preserving the memory of one of the first military transport squadrons, and arguably the best ever, the U.S. Army Air Corps 13th Troop Carrier Squadron, also known as the Thirsty 13th. Their history was written in a highly-detailed 800-page book, and continues to be written in newsletters, with links to these below.

In 2010 I purchased one of the first 13 aircraft they flew to the South Pacific in 1942 to be restored, to bring people literally in touch with the squadron 75 years later, but that did not go as planned.

The October 6, 1942, order sending 172 ground crew members from Ohio to the San Francisco Port of Embarkation may be downloaded by clicking [here](#). A PDF of a roster of all of the enlisted men ever in the squadron overseas through May 15, 1945, may be viewed and downloaded by clicking [here](#). A roster of all of the officers and enlisted men still in the squadron September 22, 1945, may be viewed and downloaded [here](#).

Orders awarding the Good Conduct Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, and Oak Leaf Clusters, may be found and downloaded [here](#).

History



The next section describes the award ceremonies.

b. Air Medal Award Ceremonies

The morning reports and monthly reports note **21 Air Medal award ceremonies**, as follows.

1-2. The first two ceremonies were July 22 and August 2, 1943, as described in the April 2022 newsletter, for the first five award orders on page C1, dated 7/16/43-7/21/43, to 94 men. Ceremony dates are not yet known for the next two award orders on page C1, 507 and 511, dated December 18-19, 1943, of the AM to Hendricks, Nasset, and Wilson.

3. Saturday, February 5, 1944, at 7:30 a.m. – Capt. Park awarded an AM OLC, per General Orders (“GO”) 115 dated January 22, 1944. Also at this time, “troops and the area [were] inspected by” 403rd TCG commander Sands, as noted at right.

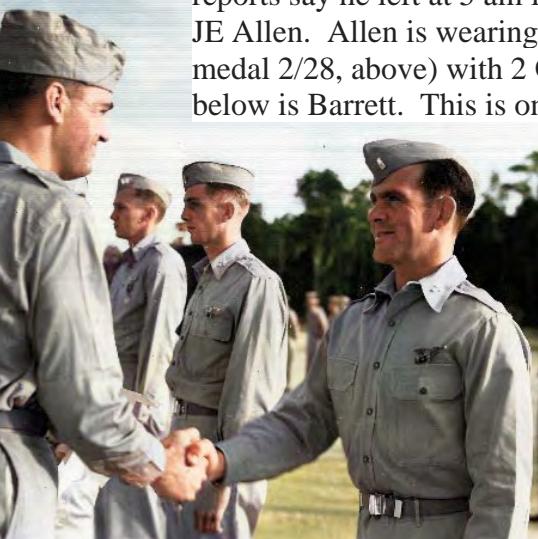
4. Saturday, February 26, at 7:50 a.m. – 2nd Lt. Hamilton was presented the Air Medal per GO 75 dated January 13, 1944, "at formation of the 403rd Troop Carrier Group." Ceremony dates are not known for GO 91 January 15 and GO 141 on January 26 of the AM to GW Alexander and CL Brown.

5. Monday, February 28 – 1st Lts A Miller and JE Allen were awarded the AM per GO 281, dated February 20, 1944.

6. Tuesday, April 4, 1944 – 1st Lt Folatko awarded the DFC and Leibundguth awarded the AM and OLC by Wilson “with appropriate ceremony.” They both left for the U.S. on April 8, 1944. I am missing the order for these awards.

7. Saturday, April 8, 1944, 8 a.m. – the morning report at right lists the men and awards below right (not those in green also on the orders) from General Orders 284, 328, 348, and unknown on C1. On the flight lists in the May 2020 letter, Miller and Lenderman were in Auckland 3/28 to 4/9 and 5/7, Judd was in Fiji 3/27-4/11, Conard landed from Guadalcanal at 1 p.m., and Mendenhall returned from Guadalcanal at 5 p.m., so they missed the ceremony, and are shaded in red. Leibundguth, shaded in green, due an OLC on this day, departed for the US at 8:10 a.m., and missed this ceremony.

Below left is Wilson with Whitaker, Dalmann (morning reports say he left at 5 am for Guadalcanal but he is here) and JE Allen. Allen is wearing the AM ribbon only (received the medal 2/28, above) with 2 OLCs, above left, not the DFC. Next below is Barrett. This is on the parade ground at Espiritu Santo.



Wilson, EDWARD OR EVANS
2-660794 Park, Clare C., Jr. Capt
Awarded Oak Leaf Cluster (Air Medal) per
paragraph 1, General Orders 115, Headqua-
ters USAFSE, dated 22 January 1944.
Troops and area inspected by Group Command-
er, 161st Troop Carrier Group, ABC 705,
OKLAHOMA

RECORD OF EVENTS
Espiritu Santo - 3rd Lt Jack Hamilton,
0-740190, AC, presented with Air Medal
at formation of 403rd Troop Carrier Group
Espiritu Santo. Presentation made at
0750.

RECORD OF EVENTS
Leptirite Santo - 1st Lt. Arnold L. Miller,
O-665321, AC, and John E. Allen, O-737513,
AC, awarded Air Medal per paragraph 3.
General Orders 251, Headquarters, USAFISPA,
New Caledonia, dated 20 February 1944

RECORD OF EVENTS
Esprito Santo - 1st Lt Robert L. Faleto, O-673346, awarded Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, and Oak Leaf Cluster (Air Medal).
1st Lt Howard B. Liebundguth, awarded Air Medal and Oak Leaf Cluster (Air Medal).
Presentation of awards made by Squadron Commander, Major Wilson, with appropriate ceremony.

RECORD OF EVENTS

Spiritu Santo - 1st Lt Arnold L. Miller,
O-665321, 1st Lt John E. Allen, O-737513,
2d Lt Leon L. Lenderman, O-2043007, awarded
the DFC; Capt Paul J. Whitaker, O-1694061,
1st Lt Arnold L. Miller, O-665321, 1st Lt
John E. Allen, 737513, O-737513, 2d Lt
Robert F. Barrett, O-739377, 2d Lt Walter L.
Conard, O-740070, 1st Lt Gale A. Dalmann,
O-737547, 2d Lt Edgar B. Hetzler, O-677271,
1st Lt Albert A. Judd, Jr., O-740419, 2d Lt
Leon L. Lenderman, O-2043007, 2d Lt Lewis
J. Mandenhall, O-740245, awarded the Air
Medal; 1st Lt Arnold L. Miller, O-665321
(two clusters), 1st Lt John E. Allen,
O-737513, 2d Lt Robert F. Barrett, O-739377
2d Lt Walter L. Conard, O-740070, 1st Lt
Gale A. Dalmann, O-737547, 2d Lt Edgar B.
Hetzler, O-677271, 2d Lt Leon L. Lenderman,

#	Rank	L to R	Award	GO	Date
1	Capt	Whitaker	AM	?	
2	1st Lt	Dalmann	AM, AC1	284	2/21
3	1st Lt	Allen JE	DFC,AM,AC1	?	
4	2nd Lt	Barrett	AM, AC1	328	2/28
5	2nd Lt	Hetzler	AM, AC1	?	
On Missions					
1	1st Lt	Miller AL	DFC,AM,AC1,2	?	
2	2nd Lt	Lendermar	DFC,AM,AC1	328	2/28
3	1st Lt	Judd	AM	348	3/3
4	2nd Lt	Conard	AM, AC1	284	2/21
5	2nd Lt	Mendenha	AM	348	3/3
Back in States					
1	1st Lt	Davenport	AM	348	3/3
2	2nd Lt	Leibundgut	AM	348	3/3



5/6/44 Ceremony for Orders 491, 509, 519 522,524,527,536,554,559,565,573,581,592

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The first of
three large
Saturday
morning
formations

8. Saturday, May 6, 1944, 8:15 a.m. – From April 6-22, 1944, twelve orders, on page C1, #22-33, were issued, with awards to those listed in the table at right. The morning report bottom left lists these men (not those back in the states) as awarded May 6. Removing the 8 on missions, and 8 who had returned to the US, one has 9 left, found pictured above. 403rd TCG Col. Sands presented the awards.

Below are close-ups of Wilson (OLC), EK Smith (AM), Peters (AM+ 2OLCs), Page (AM+2 OLCs), Donnelly (AM), and below them is W. Mann (AM). Houpt, below right, returned from Guadalcanal at 8 a.m., bottom right, and may have missed this. He wears his Air Medal by a large tree. Richards landed at 7 a.m.

#	Rank	L to R	Award	GO Date
1	Major	Wilson	AC1	554 4/17
2	1st Lt	Plyler	AM	522 4/12
3	1st Lt	Smith EK	AM	522 4/12
4	1st Lt	Peters	AM, AC1,2	491,509,5
5	2nd Lt	Page	AM,AC1,2,4	491,509,5
6	2nd Lt	Leonard	AM	573 4/19
7	2nd Lt	Richards	AM, AC1	491, 524
8	2nd Lt	Donnelly	AM	559 4/17
9	2nd Lt	Mann WP	AM	573 4/19
On Missions				
1	2nd Lt	DeCoursey	AM	559 4/17
2	2nd Lt	Houpt	AM	491 4/6
3	2nd Lt	King EP	AM	573 4/19
4	2nd Lt	Lendermar	AC1,2	565, 592
5	2nd Lt	Oliveros	AM	522 4/12
6	2nd Lt	Rode	AM	509 4/10
7	2nd Lt	Woodall	AC1	491 4/6
8	Cpl	Versdahl	AC1	524 4/12
Back in States				
1	1st Lt	Bogutski	AM	491 4/6
2	1st Lt	Davenport	AC2	554 4/17
3	1st Lt	Folatko	AC1	554 4/17
4	2nd Lt	Brown EG	AC3,4	565, 592
5	2nd Lt	Cohen	AC1,2	491, 509
6	2nd Lt	Moritz	AM	527 4/13
7	T/Sgt	Jurkewicz	AC1	524 4/12
8	S/Sgt	Reddick	AC1	519 4/12

1 GO 522's Painter awarded AM 7/1/44



Estimated as
Leonard and
Richards



RECORD OF EVENTS

**Sept-1st Santo - Formation held on Yoko
Air Field at which presentation of OAK
LEAVES & OIFRS to AIR MEDALS was made to
9 Officers and 2 Enlisted Men by the
Squadron Commander, Major Wilson**

On Orders for 5/13/44 Ceremony
Blue font are in photos

#	Rank	L to R	Award	GO Date
1	1st Lt	Allen JE	AC1, AC2, AC3	624 4/26
2	2nd Lt	Barrett	AC1, AC2, AC3	624 4/26
3	2nd Lt	Conard	AC1	624 4/26
4	2nd Lt	Hetzler	AC2, AC3	624 4/26
5	2nd Lt	Copeland	AM, AC1	625 4/26
6	T/Sgt	Killebrew	AC1	614 4/25
7	S/Sgt	Kilzer.	AC1, AC2	624 4/26
On Missions				
1	1st Lt	Peters	AC3, AC4	624 4/26
2	1st Lt	Woodall	AC3	614 4/25
3	2nd Lt	Houpt	AC1, AC2	624 4/26
4	2nd Lt	Richards	AC2	625 4/26
Back in States				
1	1st Lt	Leibundgut	AC3	624 4/26
2	1st Lt	Smith WE	AC1, AC2	629 4/27
3	2nd Lt	Cohen A	AC4	614 4/25
4	S/Sgt	Coker	AC1, AC2	624 4/26
5	S/Sgt	Wallace K	AM, AC2	629 4/27
Unexplained				
4	T/Sgt	Watkins	AC1	629 4/27
Awarded Separately				
1	Capt	Whitaker	AC1	614 4/25
2	1st Lt	Dalmann	AC1, AC2	624 4/26
3	2nd Lt	Lesh	AM	682 5/4

9. Saturday, May 13, 1944 – The morning report, above, for May 13, states the OLC to the AM (not the AM itself) was awarded to “9 officers and 2 enlisted men.” The men may be estimated from eleven orders, on page C2 #35-45, issued April 25-27, 1944, less men named for a May 20 ceremony.

On May 13, four men, highlighted in red at right, were on missions. Five on those orders, shaded in green, were back in the U.S. Whitaker and Dalmann, received their award in a separate ceremony (below). The 9 officers are therefore estimated as those 1 to 5 at right, plus the four away in red. The two enlisted were Killebrew and Kilzer. Lesh received no OLCs, and would be one too many officers, so is estimated to have received the AM separately.

Pictured below estimated on this day are Hetzler, Copeland, Killebrew, and Kilzer – these three standing together. From the latter two photos, one may see that the men stepped forward from the line to be awarded.



The monthly reports had the photos below, estimated behind Wilson's operations hut, and are labelled as OLCs awarded to Whitaker and Dalmann. Both were in the camp on May 13, and perhaps this informal ceremony was later the same day.





RECORD OF EVENTS
Espiritu Santo - At ceremonies held on Pakoa Airfield, 0730, presentation was made of AIR MEDALS and OAK LEAF CLUSTERS (AIR MEDALS) to Officers and Enlisted Men of this squadron by the Squadron Commander, Major Harold F. Wilson. AIR MEDALS were presented to the following Officers and Enlisted Men: 1st Lts, Bruce E. Groesbeck, 0 669 710, Ray H. Skeens, 0 740 965, Harry E. Wright, 0 367 395, 2d Lts, Norman E. Baxter, 0 740 343, Buford C. Blount, 0 600 314, Marvin E. Buckingham, Jr., 0 809 638, Pleasant E. Carey, Jr., 0 610 124, Carl F. Copeland, 0 811 318, Oscar L. Mitchell, 0 802 334, John A. Mucci, 0 667 651, Charles L. Pyke, 0 814 132, Carl L. Sackett, 0 645 188, James B. Steele, 0 811 786, Joe W. Stout, 0 814 156, James Walsh, Jr., 0 677 351, Edward J. Watland, 0 614 175, Harold C. Wilkening, 0 680 132, and Cpl Frank J. W. Barry, 12-036 970. OAK LEAF CLUSTERS (AIR MEDAL) were presented to the following Officer and Enlisted Men: 1st Lt Charles G. Woodall, 02 042 990, T/Sgt John W. Watkins, 15-057 609, and S/Sgt George A. Kilzer, 17 025 155.

5/20/44 Ceremony for Orders 613, 623, 627-9
Blue font are in photos

10. Saturday, May 20, 1944, 7:30 a.m. – The morning report 5/20/44, above right, names the men and awards at right (except those back in the US) which are from General Orders 613, 623, and 627-9, on appendix page C2.

On May 20, eight were away on missions. Above are Groesbeck (hidden; assumed to have flown in from Guadalcanal) and Skeens, then Carey. Below are Mitchell and Watland. Copeland is in the report but was in photos on the prior page with Killebrew not named here, so is assumed not here again.



#	Rank	L to R	Award	GO Date
1	1st Lt	Groesbeck	AM	623 4/26
2	1st Lt	Skeens	AM, AC1,2,4	613 4/25
3	1st Lt	Wright H	AM	628 4/27
4	2nd Lt	Buckingham	AM, AC1	623 4/26
5	2nd Lt	Carey	AM	623 4/26
6	2nd Lt	Mitchell	AM	623 4/26
7	2nd Lt	Stout	AM	613 4/25
8	2nd Lt	Walsh	AM	613 4/25
9	2nd Lt	Watland	AM	628 4/27
10	T/Sgt	Watkins	AC1	629 4/27
11	S/Sgt	Kilzer	AC3	629 4/27
12	Cpl	Barry	AM	613 4/25

On Missions			
1	2nd Lt	Baxter	AM, AC1
2	2nd Lt	Blount	AM
3	2nd Lt	Mucci	AM
4	2nd Lt	Pyke	AM
5	2nd Lt	Sackett	AM
6	2nd Lt	Steele	AM
7	2nd Lt	Wilkening	AM
8	2nd Lt	Woodall	AM, AC2, AC

Back in US			
1	Sgt	Wallace KD	AM, AC1
2	1st Lt	Smith WE	AC1
3	2nd Lt	Cohen A	AC4
4	S/Sgt	Coker	AC2

Prior Week			
1	2nd Lt	Copeland	AM

The image below, on the book's page 443, is estimated on this May 20, 1944, date, based on the parachute tower having the same strong shadows of the tree as in the images above.



-RECORD OF EVENTS*

Espirito Santo - At presentation formation held on Pekoa Airfield at 0715 awards were presented to members of the 13th Troop Carrier Squadron by the Squadron Executive Officer Robert C. Duffy. Air Medal was awarded to 1st Lt John J. Riordan.

O 463 874, AC; 2d Lt Peter B. Small.
O 809 435, AC; and T Sgt Harold C. Myers.
34 117 654, Oak-leaf Cluster (Air Medal) was awarded to 1st Lt Karl E. Peters.
O 665 605, AC; and 2d Lt Pleasant E. Carey. O 810 824, AC.



11. Saturday, June 10, 1944, 7:15 a.m. – The morning report above states “at [a] presentation formation held on Pekoa Airfield,” Duffy presented the AM to Riordan, Small and Myers, and OLCs to Peters and Carey. Peters and Riordan were in Guadalcanal and returned at 1 p.m. Small is shown above center being pinned in the camp road. Myers stands in this same road. This was not at a parade-ground formation or was reenacted.

12. Saturday, June 17, 1944, 7:15 a.m. – “At presentation formation” Wilson presented OLCs to Park, Lesh, and A. Miller.

13. Saturday, July 1, 1944 – “A presentation of Air Medal was made” to Painter “with appropriate ceremonies” by Wilson.

14. Tuesday, August 15, 1944 – “at an appropriate ceremony” the DFC was presented to Watkins. He left 2 days later.

Six-Month Pause, then at Biak - the first three award ceremonies in 1945 were to men leaving for the U.S. and may not have been in front of formations.

15. Thursday, February 1, 1945 – The morning report at right noted the award to Skeens of an OLC (GO 263), GW Alexander 4 OLCs (GO 257, 258, 260, 261), to Paucek the AM (GO 253), and Lawyer an OLC (GO 261). The first two left the squadron the next day, the last two left the same day, for the U.S.

16. Saturday, February 3, 1945 – HC Meyers was awarded an OLC to the AM, per GO #262, 12/20/44. He departed the next day for the US.

17. Sunday, March 4, 1945 – The morning report at right notes the awards below. All of these men left the squadron this same day. The morning report listed them by their award order date and number, in blue, officers then enlisted.

3/4/45 Ceremony for Various Orders To Men Leaving Next Day

#	L to R	L to R	Aw	GO	Date
1	1st Lt	Barrett	AC4,6	36	1/5
2	1st Lt	Lesh	AC2,3	124	2/8
3	2nd Lt	Mitchell	AC1,2,3	126	2/8
4	S/Sgt	Bechstein	AM, AC1,2,3	251	12/17
5	S/Sgt	Anacker	AC1	257	12/19
6	T/Sgt	Rapp	AC1,2	257	12/19
7	S/Sgt	Vaughan	AM	113	2/5
8	S/Sgt	Whitehead	AM, AC1	113	2/5
9	T/Sgt	Harmon	AM, AC1,2,3	114	2/5
10	S/Sgt	Power	AM, AC1,2	114	2/5
11	T/Sgt	Clawson	AC1,2,3	118	2/6

RECORD OF EVENTS
Espirito Santo - At presentation formation held on Pekoa Airfield at 0715, awards were presented to the following members of the 13th Troop Carrier Squadron, by the Squadron Commander, Major Harold F. Wilson:
OAK-LEAF CLUSTER (AIR MEDAL) to Capt Clarence C. Park, Jr., O 660 794, 2d Lt Delbert L. Leah, O 746 380, and 2 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS (AIR MEDAL) to Capt Arnold L. Miller, O 665 321.

RECORD OF EVENTS
Jul 1, Espiritu Santo, At presentation of Air Medal was made to 2d Lt Winston A. Painter, O 301 969, this organization with appropriate ceremonies by Squadron Commander, Major Harold F. Wilson

Watkins duties: 15 August 1944 at an appropriate ceremony, T Sgt John W. Watkins, 15 057 609, was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross per General Orders 1145, Headquarters USAFISPA, New Caledonia.

RECORD OF EVENTS
1 Feb 45: With proper ceremony the following awards were made: Capt Roy E. Skeens 0740964 AC Oak-Leaf Cluster to AM GO#263 HQ Thirteenth AF; 1st Lt George W. Alexander 0669433 AC four (4) Oak-Leaf Clusters to AM GO#4257 #258 #260 #261 HQ Thirteenth AF; S Sgt Joseph L. Paucek 36209046 AM GO#253 HQ Thirteenth AF; and S Sgt Robert P. Lawyer Jr 12036843 Oak-Leaf Cluster to AM GO #261 HQ Thirteenth AF

2 Feb 45: Usual Squadron duties. 3 Feb 45: With proper ceremony T Sgt Harold C. Myers, 34117654 awarded Oak-Leaf Cluster to AM per GO #262 HQ Thirteenth AF

4 Mar 45: Following awards were made to Officers and Enlisted Men this organization, with proper ceremony: 1st Lt Robert F. Barrett, O 739 377 (OAK LEAF CLUSTER - AIR MEDAL); 1st Lt Delbert L. Leah, O 746 380 (2 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS - AIR MEDAL); 1st Lt Oscar L. Mitchell, O 302 334 (3 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS - AIR MEDAL); S Sgt Donald L. Bechstein, 36 183 669 (AIR MEDAL AND 2 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS); S Sgt Virgil O. Anacker, 16 047 363 (OAK LEAF CLUSTER - AIR MEDAL); S Sgt Andrew C. Rapp, 13 037 330 (2 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS - AIR MEDAL); S Sgt John T. Vaughan, 34 134 432 (AIR MEDAL); T Sgt James W. Whitehead, 15 054 193 (AIR MEDAL AND OAK LEAF CLUSTER); T Sgt Elbert C. Harmon, 16 005 164 (AIR MEDAL AND 3 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS); S Sgt Joseph K. Power, 14 041 974 (AIR MEDAL AND 2 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS); T Sgt Lloyd G. Clawson, 15 069 489 (3 OAK LEAF CLUSTERS - AIR MEDAL)

24 Mar 45: With proper ceremony decorations were awarded certain officers and enlisted men this organization by Brigadier General Carter Air Base Commander. The Awards included 35 Air Medals and 71 Oak-Leaf Clusters to the Air Medal as authorized by Commanding Generals of Far East Air Forces and Thirteenth Air Force.

18. Saturday, March 24, 1945 –

At right are all the men on orders from 12/44 to 3/24/45, on appendix p. C2-3, less those on the prior three 1945 dates.

The men in the far column departed before the March 24, 1945, ceremony. The near column are the remaining 54 men, due 36 AMs and 74 OLCs.

The morning report above states decorations were awarded by Brigadier General Carter, Air Base Commander. The awards included **35 Air Medals, and 71 OLCs**, nearly the same count as in the near column, and so the near column is estimated to be the award recipients plus 1 or 2. Nine men were away, leaving 45 men in the formation.

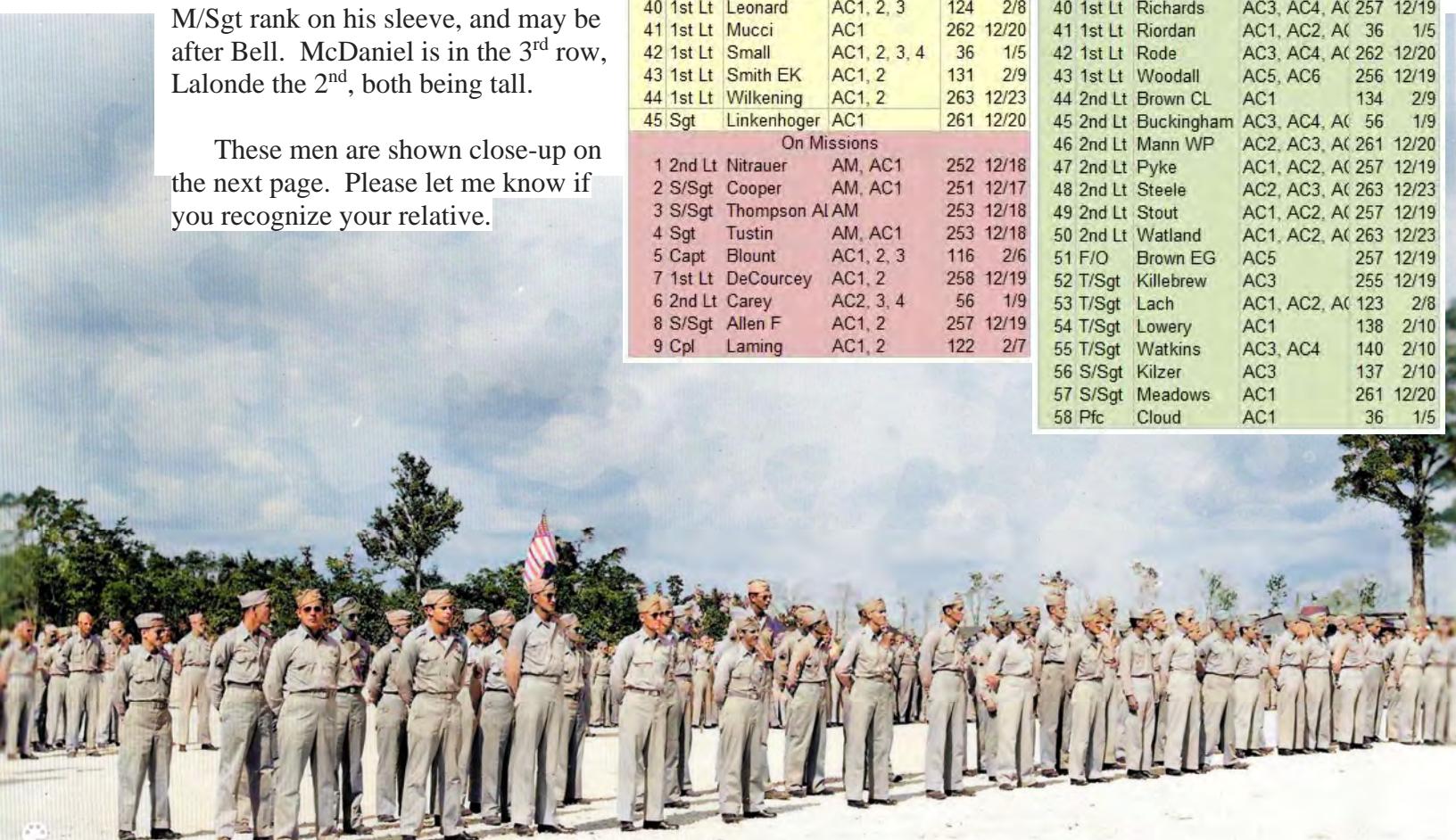
The formation is shown below, from the book's page 631, colorized. The first row seems to be #33-45, Park to Linkenhoger. There are two more rows for #1 to #32. Ando has his M/Sgt rank on his sleeve, and may be after Bell. McDaniel is in the 3rd row, Lalonde the 2nd, both being tall.

These men are shown close-up on the next page. Please let me know if you recognize your relative.

Awarded 3/24/45
"35 AM, 71 OLCs"
This is 36 AM, 74 OLC

Awards to Men who left before 3/24/45

#	Rank	Name	Award	GO	Date
			Back in States		
1	1st Lt	Cirincion	AM, AC1, 2, 3,	258	12/19
2	1st Lt	Drago	AM, AC1	251	12/17
3	1st Lt	Hopkins EB	AM, AC1	252	12/18
4	1st Lt	King ES	AM, AC1	260	12/19
5	1st Lt	Lorio	AM, AC1, 2	261	12/20
6	M/Sgt	Ando	AM	251	12/17
7	T/Sgt	Bell HD	AM	251	12/17
8	T/Sgt	Elam	AM, AC1, 2	251	12/17
9	T/Sgt	Hartline	AM, AC1, 2	252	12/18
10	T/Sgt	LaLonde	AM, AC1	252	12/18
11	T/Sgt	Locke	AM, AC2	252	12/18
12	T/Sgt	Maguire	AM, AC1	113	2/5
13	T/Sgt	Pettis	AM, AC1, 2	56	1/9
14	T/Sgt	Smith OE	AM	253	12/18
15	T/Sgt	Stallings	AM	253	12/18
16	S/Sgt	Bowman PR	AM, AC1	251	12/17
17	S/Sgt	Carson	AM, AC1	251	12/17
18	S/Sgt	Friel	AM	251	12/17
19	S/Sgt	Hershberg	AM	113	2/5
20	S/Sgt	Hogan	AM, AC1, 2	252	12/18
21	S/Sgt	McDaniel	AM, AC1, 2	114	2/5
22	S/Sgt	Neal	AM	113	2/5
23	S/Sgt	Tharp	AM	253	12/18
24	S/Sgt	Wentworth	AM	253	12/18
25	Sgt	Bell RE	AM	251	12/17
26	Sgt	Biedenbach	AM	251	12/17
27	Sgt	Bravos	AM	235	2/9
28	Sgt	Bruce PM	AM, AC1	257	12/19
29	Sgt	Morgan	AM	113	2/5
30	Sgt	Smith J	AM	253	12/18
31	Cpl	Geuther	AM	252	12/18
32	Cpl	Marks	AM	113	2/5
33	Major	Park	AC2, 3	262	12/20
34	Capt	Judd	AC3, 4, 5, 6	258	12/19
35	Capt	Mendenhall	AC1, 2, 3, 4, 5	36	1/5
36	Capt	Nasset	AC3	301	3/2
37	Capt	Sackett	AC1, 2, 3	262	12/20
38	Capt	Walsh J	AC1, 2	263	12/23
39	1st Lt	Groesbeck	AC1, 2, 3	121	2/7
40	1st Lt	Leonard	AC1, 2, 3	124	2/8
41	1st Lt	Mucci	AC1	262	12/20
42	1st Lt	Small	AC1, 2, 3, 4	36	1/5
43	1st Lt	Smith EK	AC1, 2	131	2/9
44	1st Lt	Wilkening	AC1, 2	263	12/23
45	Sgt	Linkenhoger	AC1	261	12/20
On Missions					
1	2nd Lt	Nittrauer	AM, AC1	252	12/18
2	S/Sgt	Cooper	AM, AC1	251	12/17
3	S/Sgt	Thompson AI	AM	253	12/18
4	Sgt	Tustin	AM, AC1	253	12/18
5	Capt	Blount	AC1, 2, 3	116	2/6
7	1st Lt	DeCoursey	AC1, 2	258	12/19
6	2nd Lt	Carey	AC2, 3, 4	56	1/9
8	S/Sgt	Allen F	AC1, 2	257	12/19
9	Cpl	Laming	AC1, 2	122	2/7





This is Mendenhall

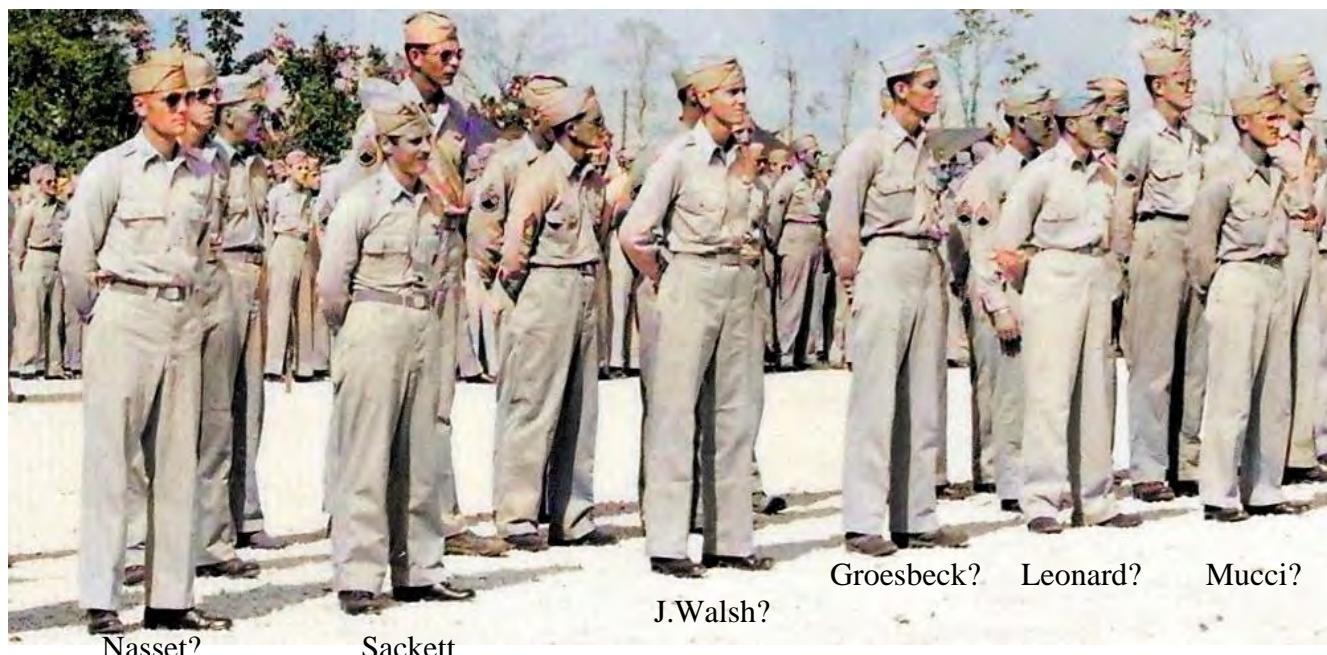
Awarded 3/24/45
"35 AM, 71 OLCs"

This is 36 AM, 74 OLC

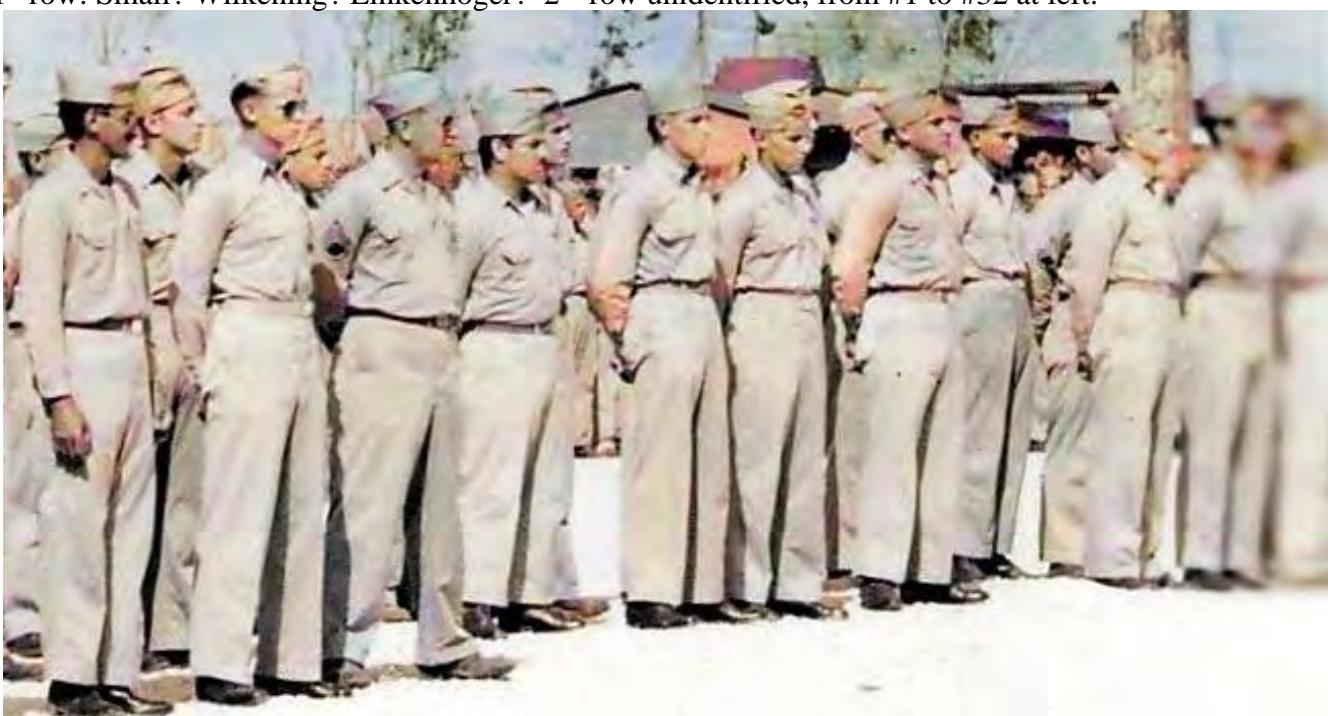
Above: Park, M/Sgt Ando
Below: McDaniel

Judd? Mendenhall?

LaLonde



1st row: Small? Wilkening? Linkenhoger? 2nd row unidentified, from #1 to #32 at left.



#	L to R	L to R
1	1st Lt	Cirincion
2	1st Lt	Drago
3	1st Lt	Hopkins EB
4	1st Lt	King ES
5	1st Lt	Lorio
6	M/Sgt	Ando
7	T/Sgt	Bell HD
8	T/Sgt	Elam
9	T/Sgt	Hartline
10	T/Sgt	LaLonde
11	T/Sgt	Locke
12	T/Sgt	Maguire
13	T/Sgt	Pettis
14	T/Sgt	Smith OE
15	T/Sgt	Stallings
16	S/Sgt	Bowman PR
17	S/Sgt	Carson
18	S/Sgt	Friel
19	S/Sgt	Hershberg
20	S/Sgt	Hogan
21	S/Sgt	McDaniel
22	S/Sgt	Neal
23	S/Sgt	Tharp
24	S/Sgt	Wentworth
25	Sgt	Bell RE
26	Sgt	Biedenbach
27	Sgt	Bravos
28	Sgt	Bruce PM
29	Sgt	Morgan
30	Sgt	Smith J
31	Cpl	Geuther
32	Cpl	Marks
33	Major	Park
34	Capt	Judd
35	Capt	Mendenhall
36	Capt	Nasset
37	Capt	Sackett
38	Capt	Walsh J
39	1st Lt	Groesbeck
40	1st Lt	Leonard
41	1st Lt	Mucci
42	1st Lt	Small
43	1st Lt	Smith EK
44	1st Lt	Wilkening
45	Sgt	Linkenhoger

RECORD OF EVENTS

21 May to 26 May 45: Usual Squadron duties
29 May 45: Two officers and three enlisted men this organization awarded Oak Leaf Cluster to Air Medal by Commanding Officer with appropriate ceremony.

RECORD OF EVENTS

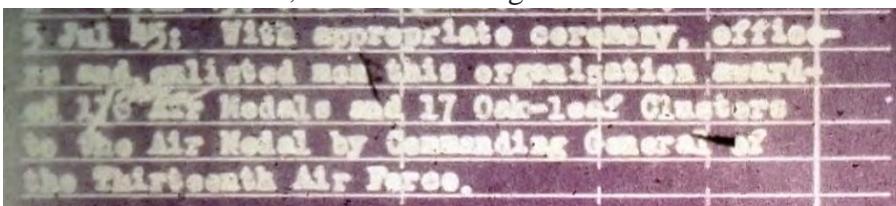
11-17 Jun 45: Usual squadron duties
18 Jun 45: Four officers and three enlisted men, this organization, awarded Oak-Leaf Clusters to Air Medal. Presentation made with appropriate.

Awarded OLCs 5/29/45, Left 5/28/45,

19. Tuesday, May 29, 1945 – the morning report above left states two officers and three EM awarded OLCs to AM. These are estimated as the five at right who left the squadron the day before and were each due an additional OLC. Two are on award orders, 4/19, and 5/12.

20. Monday, June 18, 1945 – The morning report above right states four officers and 3 enlisted men awarded OLCs to AM. The men are not named but are estimated as shown at right. These men were all due another OLC, and all left the day before, or the day after.

21. Thursday, July 5, 1945 – The morning report, below, states the Commanding General of the 13th AF awarded 18 AM and 17 OLCs. At right are the men on orders on appendix page C3 from the 3/24 ceremony until this ceremony, less those awarded 5/29 and 6/18, above. It is only 9 for the AM and 15 OLCs, and so is missing 9 men for the AM and 2 OLCs.



The morning reports for July to December 1945 have no more mentions of award ceremonies. I have five award orders from 7/7/45 to 3/26/46, on page C3, but the men had all left the squadron. Soderland stated he was awarded his Air Medal in March 1946.

c. Unknown Award Orders, and Ceremony Summary

13th TCS Award Ceremonies
Pink are estimated allocation

#	Date	Day	Time	Present, Missions				
				Pr	Ms	Ot	US	Tot
1943: New Caledonia								
1	7/22/1943	Thu	26	6	16	11	59	
2	8/2/1943	Mon	30	4	10	6	50	
1944: New Hebrides								
3	2/5/1944	Sat	1			1		
4	2/26/1944	Sat	7:50	1			1	
5	2/28/1944	Mon		2			2	
6	4/4/1944	Tue		2*	(and left)		2	
7	4/8/1944	Sat	8:00	5	5		10	
8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	9	9	8	26	
9	5/13/1944	Sat		8	4	2	5	19
10	5/20/1944	Sat	7:30	11	8			19
11	6/10/1944	Sat	7:15	2	2			4
12	6/17/1944	Sat	7:15	3				3
13	7/1/1944	Sat		1			1	
14	8/15/1944	Tue		1			1	
1945: Biak								
15	2/1/1945	Thu		4	(and left)		4	
16	2/3/1945	Sat		1	(and left)		1	
17	3/4/1945	Sun		11	(and left)		11	
18	3/24/1945	Sat		42	9	63	114	
19	5/29/1945	Tue		5			5	
20	6/18/1945	Mon		7			7	
21	7/5/1945	Thu		14	1	6	21	
Total				186	48	28	99	361

#	Rank	Name	Awar	GO	Date	Left
1	1st Lt	Mucci	AC2	?		5/28
2	2nd Lt	Carey	AC5	583	4/19	5/28
3	S/Sgt	Bowman PR	AC2	?		5/28
4	Sgt	Bell RE	AC1	?		5/28
5	Sgt	Bruce PM	AC3	763	5/12	5/28

Awarded OLCs 6/18/45, Left 6/17 or 19

#	Rank	Name	Awar	GO	Date	Left
1	Capt	Blount	AC4	?		6/19
2	1st Lt	Hopkins EB	AC2	?		6/19
3	1st Lt	King ES	AC2	209	3/21	6/19
4	1st Lt	Smith EK	AC3	?		6/19
5	S/Sgt	Carson	AC2	?		6/17
6	S/Sgt	Thompson AI	AC2	?		6/17
7	Sgt	Tustin	AC2	?		6/17

Orders 3/24/45-7/4/45 Awarded 7/5/45

"18 AM, 17 OLCs" - this is 9 AM, 15 OLC

#	Rank	Name	Awar	GO	Date
1	1st Lt	Molvar	AM	676	5/3
2	2nd Lt	Blakeney	AM	583	4/19
3	2nd Lt	Buchen Ja.	AM	583	4/19
4	2nd Lt	Buchen Jo.	AM	583	4/19
5	2nd Lt	Miller ER	AM	676	5/3
6	Sgt	Holbrook	AM	676	5/3
7	Cpl	Brady	AM	583	4/19
8	Pfc	Osman	AM	676	5/3
9	Sgt	Biedenbach	AC1	676	5/3
On Missions					
1	2nd Lt	Strand	AM	676	5/3
Back in States					
1	Capt.	Allen JE	AC3	303	5/12
2	1st Lt	Barrett	AC5	303	5/12
3	1st Lt	Baxter	AC4	291	4/30
4	1st Lt	Cannon	AC1	438	3/24
5	1st Lt	Donnelly	AC5	291	4/30
6	1st Lt	Leonard	AC4	583	4/19
7	2nd Lt	Pyke	AC5	476	4/4
8	2nd Lt	Steele	AC5	291	4/30
9	T/Sgt	Locke	AC3	676	5/3
10	S/Sgt	McDaniel	AC3	583	4/19



Eastburn, Fuselier, Geier, Goessl, Holbrook, Korty - Lord, McNulty, Moore, Nogaj

Good Conduct Medal Awards

Date	# Men
2/1/1944	7
4/8/1944	162
2/6/1945	45
9/9/1945	69
Total	275

*4/8 incl 5 from 2/1
*9/9 incl 3 from 2/6

I have four lists, at left, of 275 men who received the Good Conduct Medal Award. [Appendix page E1 lists men on these awards, and the lists are on the website.](#)

Corporals at 4/8/44 Good Conduct Award Ceremony (blue confirmed in photo)

#	Row 1	#	Row 2	#	Row 3	#	Row 4	#	Row 5	#	Away?
?	Bacon	7	Eastburn	13	Laming	?	Pasco	?	Valley	?	Chapman
?	Bakken	8	Fuselier	14	Linkenhoger	?	Petricola	?	Van Ness	?	Eatmon
?	Barry	9	Geier	15	Lord	?	Smith J	?	Vaughan	?	Fabish
?	Beacorn	10	Goessl	16	McNulty	?	Souder	?	Versdahl	?	Gee
?	Bernhard	11	Holbrook	17	Moore	?	Stainback	?	Wallace	?	
?	Biedenbach	12	Korty	18	Nogaj	?	Storbeck	?	Windham	?	
?	Bond					?	Termini	?	Wiseman		
6	Burgess					?	Tustin				



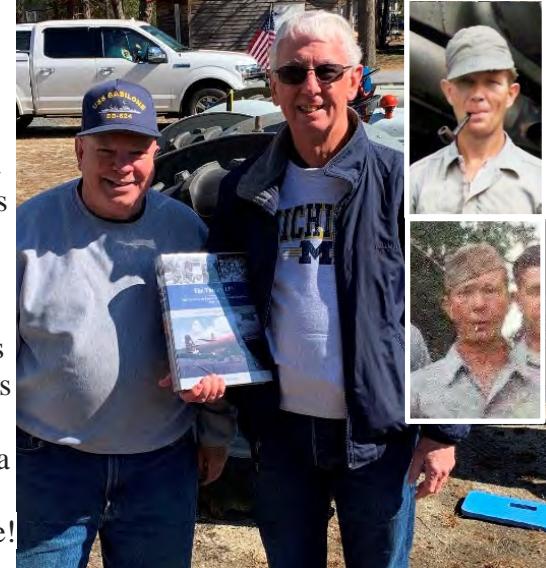
The only ceremony noted was 4/8, and my only photo is above on this date of the corporals. The 39 corporals awarded this day are listed above right, with those in blue text in the photo above.

2. Members and Relatives

a. Germershausen Son, and Chester Davis Grandson, Meet

In December 2020 I found the grandson, Gary, of our Chester Davis. Chester Davis was in the 13th TCS from 10/42 to 7/21/45, as a sheet metal worker on airplane parts, and was at all our overseas bases except Dulag. I thought it would be great if Gary had a book.

I contacted Charlie, son of Fred Germershausen, in engineering, 8/42 to 9/4/45, joining 2 months before Chester, and leaving 2 months later, and asked if he had an extra book from the complimentary books I sent him in November 2015. He did. [Charlie met Gary on March 5](#) in central New Jersey, about halfway between their homes, gave him a book, and they took the photo at right. It was fun to see Gary, on the right, looks a bit like his granddad, Chester, inset. Thank you, Charlie!



3. Conclusions

Awards are a special part of any military service. This letter summarized the award [orders](#) I have, and then estimated the who, when, and where of all of our award [ceremonies](#). With best wishes,
Seth

Line Number of Air Award Recipients on Pages B1 to B4

#	Name	#	Name	#	Name	#	Name
109	Abernathy F. H.	99	Copeland C. F.	223	Kilzer G. A.	195	Preston II F.
188	Adams Jr. A. T.	136	Cover R. C.	101	King E. P.	173	Pyke D. L.
152	Alexander G. W.	9	Cowles G. G.	106	King E. S.	115	Rapp A. C.
239	Alexander J. D.	94	Coyle T. J.	185	Kolas P. J.	216	Reddick R. H.
224	Allen JE J. E.	3	Cruncleton C. E. Jr.	143	Lach H. A.	85	Reeves S. B.
116	Allen, Jr. F. S.	187	Cullum F. W.	45	Laine C. O.	13	Reimer J. R. Jr.
86	Anacker V. O.	154	Dalmann G. A.	71	LaLonde J. R.	212	Remaklus J. P.
2	Anderson E.	217	Davenport W. R.	127	Laming R. C.	23	Rhodenbau G. L.
20	Ando E. L.	214	Davis C. C.	81	Lawyer R. P.	180	Richards E. H.
98	Aos H. T.	40	DeClerck R. R.	220	Leibundgut H. B.	157	Riordan J. J.
213	Baldry G. L.	131	DeCoursey P. B.	227	Lendermar L. L.	170	Rode E.
177	Barrett R. F.	79	DeLoss A. D.	155	Leonard W. R.	150	Sackett C. L. Jr.
87	Barry F. J. W.	68	Dewey H. O.	138	Lesh D. L.	5	Sand B. F.
153	Baxter N. E.	196	Dolney J. F.	92	Linkenhog F. B.	199	Saylor J. L.
145	Bechstein D. L.	19	Domarski J. G.	231	Lippitt J. P.	128	Schmidt C. L.
206	Beck P. A.	166	Donnelly S. D.	144	Locke T. C.	14	Sennholtz R. A. Jr.
69	Bell H. D.	105	Drago A. A.	160	Lorio A. V.	246	Shook H. B.
189	Bell J. B.	249	Drake R. W.	72	Lowery J. A.	176	Skeens R. H.
88	Bell R. E.	41	Driedger A. R.	120	MacLeod J. D.	158	Small P. B.
31	Belto E. D.	1	Duffy R. C.	73	Maguire C. R.	132	Smith E. K. Jr.
243	Bergstrom D. J.	183	Ecklund E.	34	Mann T. O.	48	Smith J.
244	Bernard R. J.	110	Elam R. K.	161	Mann W. P.	74	Smith O. E.
89	Biedenbach C. J.	234	Farmer R. C.	57	Marks K. G.	221	Smith W. E.
6	Blakeney H. J.	91	Fatula G. P.	193	McCarroll J. Jr.	26	Smyth C. B.
245	Blankinship J. J.	191	Fitzgerald W. R.	232	McCullough E. L.	15	Soderland K. W.
190	Block J. H. L.	198	Flynn L. A.	164	McDaniel T. D.	49	Sorenson L. A.
149	Blount B. C.	219	Folatko R. L.	139	McMahon R. C.	204	Sprout M. E.
133	Bogutski V. W.	207	Foster F. J.	35	McNeil J. M.	75	Stallings B.
24	Boss K. L.	240	Fraser W. M.	237	Meade J. W.	181	Steele J. B.
53	Bowen H. G.	235	Frey R. S.	82	Meadows J. H.	27	Stiver B. J.
117	Bowman P. R.	32	Friel F. J.	165	Mendenhall L. J.	16	Stoltzmann A. H.
54	Brady L. H.	55	Geuther W. J.	210	Merriott G. C.	174	Stout J. W.
247	Brandt W. M.	192	Gilbert B.	83	Meuret R. E.	17	Strand R. F.
248	Brauns R. L.	186	Givens R. E.	233	Mihalega F. T.	59	Stratton J. S.
90	Bravos M. M.	242	Goldstein F. H.	228	Miller A. L.	36	Tharp W. A.
201	Brewer, Jr. B. C.	10	Golomb A.	12	Miller E. R.	124	Thompson A. L.
159	Brown C. L.	56	Goodwin W. C.	140	Mitchell O. L.	126	Tustin W. W.
226	Brown E. G.	137	Groesbeck B. R.	194	Mogush J. J.	95	Uhl D. C.
146	Bruce PM P. M.	65	Hamilton J.	4	Molvar H. C.	28	Ummel C. B.
202	Bruce RD R. D. Jr.	184	Hammett R. A.	46	Morgan S. W.	50	Valley B. X.
7	Buchen James	141	Harmon E. C.	238	Moritz W. R.	51	Vaughan J. T.
8	Buchen John	42	Harp P. J.	102	Moyle J. P.	76	Vaughn J. A.
171	Buckingham E. B. Jr.	111	Hartline J. W.	107	Mucci J. A.	147	Versdahl O. J.
70	Burden D. W.	203	Hay D. M.	47	Mullin J. M.	60	Vestre E. K.
38	Burgess A. E.	80	Hays C. S.	113	Myers H. C.	211	Wallace K. D.
67	Cady R. G.	208	Heckerson B. E.	129	Nasset E. A.	96	Walsh J. Jr.
21	Cairns J. J.	167	Hendricks J. O.	84	Neal A. A.	29	Wantz R. H.
134	Cannon L. F.	33	Hershberg A.	108	Nittrauer T. E.	205	Washburne J. C.
172	Carey P. E. Jr.	168	Hetzler E. B.	156	Oliveros J. N.	222	Watkins J. W.
182	Carroll V. M.	119	Hogan C. F.	121	Osborne N. T.	162	Watland E. B.
118	Carson G. F.	43	Holbrook J. V.	61	Osman R. B.	200	Watts C. T.
63	Childs P. E.	100	Hopkins E. B.	225	Page S. F.	37	Wentworth K. E.
179	Cirincion M. E.	169	Houpt F. R.	103	Painter W. A.	64	Whitaker P. J.
163	Clawson L. G.	209	Ingalls L. F.	130	Park C. C.	125	Whitehead J. W.
22	Claydon J.	241	Jay W. H.	122	Paucek J. L.	148	Wicks R. M.
93	Cloud R. T.	11	Jenkins R. L.	229	Peters K. E.	97	Wilkening H. C.
218	Cohen A. A.	25	Johnson A. K.	66	Petmecky B. J. Jr.	77	Williams T. B.
215	Coker J. T. Jr.	236	Johnson R. E. Jr.	114	Pettis N. L.	52	Willson M. R.
197	Cole H. L.	175	Judd A. A.	230	Petty C. E.	62	Wilson H. F.
135	Conard W. L.	112	Jurkewicz A. S.	104	Plyler R. S.	178	Woodall C. C.
39	Conn C. T.	44	Kelley V. R.	58	Powell D. L.	151	Wright H. W.
78	Cooper D. W.	142	Killebrew G. W.	123	Power J. K.	30	Zechar E. L.
						18	Zieman G. W.

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(A = Absent, had left the squadron)

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				From	To	Role	Fr	To	Ref	Ord Dt
1	Major	Duffy	Robert C.	9/42	1/45	go	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43
2	1st Lt	Anderson	Elwood (Bill)	2/45	9/45	p			n/a	
3	1st Lt	Cruncleton	Charles Earl Jr.	7/42	5/43	p	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43 A
4	1st Lt	Molvar	Harry C.	8/44	10/45	p			F676	5/3/45
5	1st Lt	Sand	Bernard F.	12/44	9/45	p			n/a	
6	2nd Lt	Blakeney	Herschel Jack	12/44	9/45	n			F583	4/19/45
7	2nd Lt	Buchen	James	7/44	9/45	p			F583	4/19/45
8	2nd Lt	Buchen	John	7/44	7/45	p			F583	4/19/45
9	2nd Lt	Cowles	Gene G.	12/44	9/45	p	12/44	6/45	P62	3/26/46 A
10	2nd Lt	Golomb	Arthur	8/44	10/45	p	8/44	8/45	F2101	10/11/45
11	2nd Lt	Jenkins	Richard L.	8/44	10/45	p	9/44	4/45	n/a	
12	2nd Lt	Miller	Edward Roy	8/44	7/45	p			F676	5/3/45
13	2nd Lt	Reimer	John R. Jr.	8/44	3/45	n	9/44	12/44	F121	1/19/45
14	2nd Lt	Sennholtz	Robert August	12/44	9/45	n			n/a	
15	2nd Lt	Soderland	Kenneth W.	2/45	9/45	p			n/a	
16	2nd Lt	Stoltzmann	Allen H. (Harvey)	8/44	10/45	p			n/a	
17	2nd Lt	Strand	Richard (Dick) F	8/44	9/45	p			F676	5/3/45
18	2nd Lt	Zieman	Gilbert W.	7/42	4/43	p	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43 A
19	F/O	Domarski	John George (h)	12/44	9/45	p	12/44	6/45	P62	3/26/46 A
20	M/Sgt	Ando	Ernest L.	8/43	9/45	m	8/43	11/43	251	12/17/44
21	M/Sgt	Cairns	John James	12/40	12/43	m			n/a	
22	M/Sgt	Claydon	James (no middle)	3/42	7/43	m	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43 A
23	M/Sgt	Rhodenbaugh	George Leonard	12/40	8/43	m	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43
24	T/Sgt	Boss	Keith Leroy	12/43	9/45	m			n/a	
25	T/Sgt	Johnson	Arnold K.	4/41	2/44	m	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43
26	T/Sgt	Smyth	Coral B.	6/41	7/43	m	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43 A
27	T/Sgt	Stiver	Bernard J.	12/40	8/43	m	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43
28	T/Sgt	Ummel	Clark B.	4/41	2/45	ro	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43
29	T/Sgt	Wantz	Russell H.	12/40	12/43	m			n/a	
30	T/Sgt	Zechar	Edward L.	12/40	8/43	m	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43
31	S/Sgt	Belto	Earnest David (9/42	9/45	m	11/43	4/45	F2101	10/11/45 A
32	S/Sgt	Friel	Francis J.	12/43	7/45	ro	12/43	4/44	251	12/17/44
33	S/Sgt	Hershberg	Alex	12/43	8/45	ro	12/43	6/44	113	2/5/45
34	S/Sgt	Mann	Thomas Otto Jr.	4/41	4/44	m	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43
35	S/Sgt	McNeil	James M.	6/41	12/43	m	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43
36	S/Sgt	Tharp	William A.	11/43	7/45	ro	12/43	5/44	253	12/18/44
37	S/Sgt	Wentworth	Kenneth E.	11/43	6/45	m	12/43	5/44	253	12/18/44
38	Sgt	Burgess	Alfred Ernest ("I	7/42	7/45	m	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43
39	Sgt	Conn	Charles T. (Tun	12/43	7/44	ro	2/44	5/44	251	12/17/44 A
40	Sgt	DeClerck	Remi R.	2/44	9/45	ro	2/44	1/45	n/a	
41	Sgt	Driedger	Arthur R.	8/44	10/45	ro			n/a	
42	Sgt	Harp	Paul J. (Honeyb	6/41	6/45	m			n/a	
43	Sgt	Holbrook	J Van (Hartwell'	8/41	7/45	m			F676	5/3/45
44	Sgt	Kelley	Vincent R.	2/42	4/44	m	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43
45	Sgt	Laine	Charles Orville	2/42	8/44	m	10/43	3/44	252	12/18/44 A
46	Sgt	Morgan	Scage Whitset	6/42	8/45	m	2/43	10/43	113	2/5/45
47	Sgt	Mullin	James Michael	2/42	9/44	m	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43
48	Sgt	Smith	John (no middle)	7/42	8/45	m	11/42	9/43	253	12/18/44
49	Sgt	Sorenson	Leonard A.	2/42	11/43	m			n/a	
50	Sgt	Vallely	Bernard X.	6/42	9/45	m	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43
51	Sgt	Vaughan	John Thomas (c	6/42	3/45	m	10/42	6/44	113	2/5/45
52	Sgt	Willson	Malcolm Russel	1/44	12/44	m	1/44	5/44	253	12/18/44 A
53	Cpl	Bowen	Homer Grady	5/42	9/45	m			n/a	
54	Cpl	Brady	Luther Harvey (l	9/44	10/45	ro			F583	4/19/45
55	Cpl	Geuther	Walter J.	8/42	9/45	m	12/42	4/44	252	12/18/44
56	Cpl	Goodwin	Wm. Curtis	7/42	8/45	m	7/42	8/45	n/a	
57	Cpl	Marks	Kenneth Galen	6/42	9/45	m	5/43	2/44	113	2/5/45
58	Cpl	Powell	Douglas Lionel	5/42	1/44	ro	12/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43
59	Cpl	Stratton	James S. ("Star	2/42	1/43	ro			n/a	
60	Cpl	Vestre	Ernest K.	6/42	11/43	m			n/a	
61	Pfc	Osman	Robert Bassil	2/44	9/45	ro			F676	5/3/45

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			Last	From	To	Role	Fr	To	Ref	Ord Dt	Fr	To	Ref	Ord Dt	Fr	To	Ref	Ord Dt
62	Major	Wilson HF	11/43	9/44	p				U507	12/18/43	8/43	1/44	U554	4/17/44				
63	Capt	Childs	8/44	12/44	n		8/44	11/44	F121	1/19/45	A	11/44	1/45	F329	3/5/45	A		
64	Capt	Whitaker	6/43	10/45	go				n/a		9/43	1/44	U614	4/25/44				
65	1st Lt	Hamilton	1/44	8/44	p		11/43	1/44	U75	1/13/44		1/44	5/44	254	12/18/44	A		
66	1st Lt	Petmeky	2/44	10/44	p		2/44	4/44	253	12/18/44	A	4/44	6/44	128	2/8/45	A		
67	2nd Lt	Cady	11/43	7/44	n		11/43	2/44	251	12/17/44	A	2/44	4/44	117	2/6/45	A		
68	2nd Lt	Dewey HO	11/43	2/44	n				n/a					n/a				
69	T/Sgt	Bell HD	6/43	9/45	m		6/43	11/43	251	12/17/44				n/a				
70	T/Sgt	Burden	12/40	12/43	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43				n/a				
71	T/Sgt	LaLonde	6/43	9/45	m		7/43	10/43	252	12/18/44		10/43	1/44	261	12/20/44			
72	T/Sgt	Lowery	12/40	11/44	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	6/44	138	2/10/45	A		
73	T/Sgt	Maguire	6/43	9/45	m		7/43	12/43	113	2/5/45		12/43	5/44	113	2/5/45			
74	T/Sgt	Smith OE	8/41	8/45	m		1/43	4/44	253	12/18/44				n/a				
75	T/Sgt	Stallings	12/43	9/45	m		1/44	5/44	253	12/18/44				n/a				
76	T/Sgt	Vaughn	12/40	12/43	m		10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43				n/a				
77	T/Sgt	Williams	12/40	12/43	m				n/a					n/a				
78	S/Sgt	Cooper	8/43	5/45	ro		8/43	5/44	251	12/17/44		5/44	1/45	F235	2/9/45			
79	S/Sgt	DeLoss	2/43	8/45	m		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43				n/a				
80	S/Sgt	Hays	8/42	9/44	ro		1/43	3/44	252	12/18/44	A	3/44	4/44	254	12/18/44	A		
81	S/Sgt	Lawyer	2/42	2/45	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		7/43	4/44	261	12/20/44			
82	S/Sgt	Meadows	2/42	2/45	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	3/44	261	12/20/44			
83	S/Sgt	Meuret	2/42	11/43	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43	reef landing			U186	7/21/43			
84	S/Sgt	Neal	11/43	7/45	ro		12/43	3/44	113	2/5/45				n/a				
85	S/Sgt	Reeves	7/42	11/44	m		11/42	9/43	254	12/18/44	A	11/43	5/44	255	12/19/44	A		
86	Sgt	Anacker	5/42	3/45	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	3/44	257	12/19/44			
87	Sgt	Barry	5/42	4/45	m		11/42	9/43	U613	4/25/44				n/a				
88	Sgt	Bell RE	5/42	5/45	m		12/42	8/43	251	12/17/44				n/a				
89	Sgt	Biedenbach	5/42	7/45	m		1/43	12/43	251	12/17/44				F676	5/3/45			
90	Sgt	Bravos	2/44	9/45	ro		2/44	1/45	F235	2/9/45		2/45	8/45	F2101	10/11/45	A		
91	Sgt	Fatula	3/44	10/45	ro		9/44	3/45	n/a	<dates from newspaper 5/2								
92	Sgt	Linkenhoger	6/42	5/45	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		7/43	3/44	261	12/20/44			
93	Pfc	Cloud	11/43	3/44	m				U998	6/24/44	A	12/43	6/44	F36	1/5/45	A		
94	Pvt	Coyle	1/44	3/44	ro		2/44	4/44	251	12/17/44	A			n/a				
95	Pfc	Uhl	6/42	11/43	m		7/43	10/43	n/a	&d 5/29/44 in Missouri, per Ne								
96	Capt	Walsh	12/43	6/45	p		12/43	2/44	U613	4/25/44		2/44	4/44	263	12/20/44		4/44	6/44
97	Capt	Wilkening	12/43	9/45	p		12/43	2/44	U627	4/27/44		2/44	3/44	263	12/20/44		3/44	1/45
98	1st Lt	Aos	12/43	11/44	p				n/a			12/43	3/44	254	12/18/44	A	3/44	5/44
99	1st Lt	Cannon	11/43	7/44	p		11/43	1/44	257	12/19/44	A	1/44	4/44	234	3/30/45	A	4/44	6/44
100	1st Lt	Copeland	11/43	5/44	n		11/43	12/43	U623	4/26/44		12/43	2/44	U625	4/26/44		2/44	4/44
101	1st Lt	Hopkins	2/44	6/45	p		2/44	4/44	252	12/18/44		4/44	6/44	122	2/7/45			n/a
102	1st Lt	King EP	11/43	11/44	p				U573	4/19/44		2/44	4/44	141	2/10/45	A	4/44	6/44
103	1st Lt	Moyle	12/43	11/44	p				n/a			12/43	3/44	255	12/19/44	A	3/44	6/44
104	1st Lt	Painter	8/43	10/44	n		8/43	1/44	U522	4/12/44		9/43	1/44	256	12/19/44	A	1/44	6/44
105	1st Lt	Plyler	12/43	12/44	p		12/43	1/44	U522	4/12/44		1/44	3/44	125	2/8/45	A	3/44	5/44
106	2nd Lt	Drago	2/44	10/45	p		2/44	4/44	251	12/17/44		4/44	5/44	120	2/7/45			n/a
107	2nd Lt	King ES	2/44	6/45	n		2/44	3/44	260	12/19/44		4/44	9/44	F56	1/9/45		9/44	12/44
108	2nd Lt	Mucci	12/43	5/45	p		1/44	2/44	U623	4/26/44		2/44	4/44	262	12/20/44			n/a
109	2nd Lt	Nittrauer	2/44	10/45	p		2/44	4/44	252	12/18/44		4/44	6/44	126	2/8/45			n/a
110	F/O	Abernathy	2/43	2/44	p		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43				n/a				
111	T/Sgt	Elam	9/42	6/45	m		1/43	5/44	251	12/17/44		10/43	3/44	120	2/7/45		2/44	5/44
112	T/Sgt	Hartline	2/43	7/45	m		2/43	8/43	252	12/18/44		9/43	2/44	260	12/19/44		2/44	6/44
113	T/Sgt	Jurkewicz	12/40	2/44	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	9/43	U524	4/12/44	A	9/43	3/44
114	T/Sgt	Myers HC	8/41	2/45	ro				n/a			2/44	3/44	262	12/20/44			U817
115	T/Sgt	Pettis	8/43	9/45	m		8/43	2/44	113	2/5/45		2/44	6/44	F56	1/9/45			2/9/45
116	T/Sgt	Rapp	3/42	3/45	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	11/43	262	12/20/44		11/43	5/44
117	S/Sgt	Allen F, Jr.	5/42	4/45	m		10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	9/43	257	12/19/44		9/43	3/44
118	S/Sgt	Bowman	11/43	5/45	ro		11/43	2/44	251	12/17/44		3/44	6/44	117	2/6/45			n/a
119	S/Sgt	Carson	11/43	6/45	ro		12/43	2/44	251	12/17/44		3/44	5/44	258	12/19/44			n/a
120	S/Sgt	Hogan	8/43	4/45	ro		9/43	11/43	252	12/18/44		11/43	5/44	260	12/19/44		5/44	12/44
121	S/Sgt	MacLeod	2/42	1/45	ro		6/43	8/43	113	2/5/45	A	11/43	4/44	124	2/9/45	A	4/44	6/44
122	S/Sgt	Osborne	11/43	9/44	m		11/43	3/44	113	2/5/45	A	3/44	6/44	262	12/20/44	A	2/44	5/44
123	S/Sgt	Paucek	2/42	2/45	ro		6/43	9/43	253	12/18/44		9/43	2/44	126	2/8/45	A	2/44	5/44
124	S/Sgt	Power	6/42	3/45	ro		7/43	10/43	114	2/5/45		10/43	12/43	114	2/5/45		12/43	5/44
125	S/Sgt	Thompson	12/43	6/45	ro		12/43	5/44	253	12/18/44				F583	4/19/45			n/a
126	S/Sgt	Whitehead	12/40	3/45	m		1/43	2/44	113	2/5/45		2/44	5/44	113	2/5/45			n/a
127	Sgt	Tustin	6/42	6/45	m		12/42	11/43	253	12/18/44		11/43	4/44	263	12/20/44			n/a
128	Cpl	Laming	6/42	6/45	m				U187	7/22/43		11/42	11/43	122	2/7/45		11/43	3/44
129	Cpl	Schmidt	8/42	8/44	m		6/43	9/43	253	12/18/44	A	9/43	1/44	255	12/19/44	A	1/44	6/44

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130	Major	Nasset	6/44	10/45	p		U511	12/26/43			12/43	3/44	n/a		1/44	1/45	F301	3/2/45	11/43	1/44	128	2/8/45																					
131	Major	Park	12/43	5/45	p		U115	1/22/44			12/43	2/44	U559	4/17/44	2/44	4/44	120	2/7/45	4/44	5/44	258	12/19/44	2/44	4/44	131	2/9/45	4/44	6/44	131	2/9/45	4/44	5/44	n/a										
132	Capt	DeCoursey	12/43	10/45	p		U559	4/17/44			12/43	2/44	U522	4/12/44	9/43	10/43	U1131	7/26/44	A	10/43	U771	5/15/44	A	11/43	1/44	128	2/8/45																
133	Capt	Smith EK	12/43	6/45	p		U522	4/12/44			12/43	9/43	U491	4/6/44	1/44	3/44	136	2/9/45	A	1/44	3/44	136	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	136	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	n/a													
134	1st Lt	Bogutski	7/43	4/44	n		U491	4/6/44			12/43	9/43	U284	2/21/44	1/44	3/44	136	2/9/45	A	1/44	3/44	136	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	136	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	n/a													
135	1st Lt	Conrad	6/43	6/44	p		U284	2/21/44			12/43	8/44	n	10/43	12/43	251	12/17/44	A	12/43	3/44	134	2/9/45	A	12/43	3/44	134	2/9/45	A	12/43	3/44	134	2/9/45	A	12/43	3/44	134	2/9/45	A	12/43	3/44	134	2/9/45	A
136	1st Lt	Cover	12/43	8/44	n		251	12/17/44	A		12/43	1/44	U623	4/26/44	1/44	2/44	121	2/7/45	2/44	3/44	121	2/7/45	1/44	2/44	121	2/7/45	1/44	2/44	121	2/7/45	1/44	2/44	121	2/7/45	1/44	2/44	121	2/7/45	A				
137	1st Lt	Groesbeck	11/43	4/45	p		U623	4/26/44			12/43	1/44	U682	5/4/44	1/44	2/44	n/a		2/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	2/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	2/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	2/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	2/44	124	2/9/45	A				
138	1st Lt	Lesh	11/43	3/45	p		U682	5/4/44			12/43	1/44	U252	12/18/44	1/44	2/44	257	12/19/44	A	11/43	1/43	257	12/19/44	A	11/43	1/43	257	12/19/44	A	11/43	1/43	257	12/19/44	A	11/43	1/43	257	12/19/44	A				
139	1st Lt	McMahon	11/43	5/44	p		257	12/19/44	A		12/43	1/44	U623	4/26/44	1/44	2/44	126	2/8/45	2/44	3/44	126	2/8/45	1/44	2/44	126	2/8/45	1/44	2/44	126	2/8/45	1/44	2/44	126	2/8/45	A								
140	2nd Lt	Mitchell	11/43	3/45	p		U623	4/26/44			12/43	1/44	U114	2/5/45	1/43	1/43	114	2/5/45	1/43	1/43	114	2/5/45	1/43	1/43	114	2/5/45	1/43	1/43	114	2/5/45	1/43	1/43	114	2/5/45	A								
141	T/Sgt	Harmon	5/43	3/45	ro		U114	2/5/45			12/43	1/44	U614	4/25/44	1/43	1/43	U771	5/15/44	A	12/42	10/43	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A				
142	T/Sgt	Killebrew	8/41	9/44	m		U183	7/17/43			12/42	10/43	123	2/8/45	A	10/43	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A								
143	T/Sgt	Lach	2/42	1/45	m		U183	7/17/43			12/42	10/43	123	2/8/45	A	10/43	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A	1/44	5/44	123	2/8/45	A								
144	T/Sgt	Locke	8/43	8/45	m		252	12/18/44			12/42	10/43	257	12/19/44	A	10/43	5/44	261	12/20/44	2/44	4/44	258	12/19/44	A	1/44	5/44	261	12/20/44	A	1/44	5/44	261	12/20/44	A	1/44	5/44	261	12/20/44	A				
145	S/Sgt	Bechstein	6/43	3/45	ro		251	12/17/44			12/42	10/43	257	12/19/44	A	8/43	10/43	257	12/19/44	A	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	A		
146	Sgt	Bruce PM	8/43	5/45	ro		F763	5/12/45			12/42	10/43	U524	4/12/44	1/43	1/43	U179	8/9/45	A	6/43	10/43	U524	4/12/44	1/43	1/43	U771	5/15/44	A	1/43	1/43	U771	5/15/44	A	1/43	1/43	U771	5/15/44	A					
147	Sgt	Versdahl	6/42	3/45	m		U182	7/16/43			12/42	10/43	255	12/18/44	A	8/43	10/43	254	12/18/44	A	1/43	1/43	254	12/18/44	A	1/43	1/43	254	12/18/44	A	1/43	1/43	254	12/18/44	A								
148	Sgt	Wicks	7/42	8/44	ro		253	12/18/44	A		12/42	10/43	255	12/18/44	A	8/43	10/43	254	12/18/44	A	1/43	1/43	254	12/18/44	A	1/43	1/43	254	12/18/44	A	1/43	1/43	254	12/18/44	A								
149	Capt	Blount	11/43	6/45	p		U623	4/26/44			12/42	10/43	255	12/19/44	A	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	3/44	4/44	116	2/6/45	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	A			
150	Capt	Sackett	12/43	9/45	p		U623	4/26/44			12/42	10/43	256	12/19/44	A	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	3/44	4/44	130	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	130	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	130	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	130	2/9/45	A							
151	Capt	Wright HW	12/43	3/45	n		U628	4/27/44			12/42	10/43	257	12/19/44	A	1/44	3/44	n/a		2/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	A							
152	1st Lt	Alexander GV	12/43	2/45	p		U91	1/15/44			12/42	10/43	257	12/19/44	A	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	132	2/9/45	A							
153	1st Lt	Baxter	11/43	2/45	p		U623	4/26/44			12/42	10/43	258	12/19/44	A	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	3/44	4/44	116	2/6/45	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	1/44	3/44	116	2/6/45	A							
154	1st Lt	Dalmann	8/43	8/44	p		U284	2/21/44			12/42	10/43	258	12/19/44	A	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	3/44	5/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	A							
155	1st Lt	Leonard	11/43	4/45	p		U573	4/19/44			12/42	10/43	259	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	3/44	5/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	124	2/9/45	A							
156	1st Lt	Oliveros	11/43	7/44	p		U522	4/12/44			12/42	10/43	260	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	263	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	263	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	263	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	263	12/20/44	A								
157	1st Lt	Riordan	11/43	2/45	n		U817	5/22/44			12/42	10/43	260	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	129	2/8/45	1/44	3/44	129	2/8/45	1/44	3/44	129	2/8/45	1/44	3/44	129	2/8/45	1/44	3/44	129	2/8/45	A							
158	1st Lt	Small	11/43	4/45	n		U817	5/22/44			12/42	10/43	261	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	131	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	131	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	131	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	131	2/9/45	1/44	3/44	131	2/9/45	A							
159	2nd Lt	Brown CL	2/44	5/44	p		U141	1/26/44			12/42	10/43	261	1/9/45	A	1/44	3/44	n/a		2/44	3/44	n/a		1/44	3/44	n/a		1/44	3/44	n/a		1/44	3/44	n/a		1/44	3/44	n/a		A			
160	2nd Lt	Lorio	2/44	10/45	n		261	12/20/44			12/42	10/43	261	1/9/45	A	1/44	3/44	261	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	261	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	261	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	261	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	261	12/20/44	A			
161	2nd Lt	Mann WP	12/43	3/45	n		U573	4/19/44			12/42	10/43	262	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	262	12/20/44	A	1/44	3/44	262	12/20/44	A	1																	

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182	1st Lt	Carroll	6/42	7/43	p	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	A																																		
183	1st Lt	Ecklund	6/42	7/43	n	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	A																																		
184	1st Lt	Hammett	11/42	8/43	n	11/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43																																			
185	1st Lt	Kolas	11/42	6/43	p	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	A																																		
186	2nd Lt	Givens	7/42	8/43	p	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43																																			
187	Major	Cullum	6/42	7/43	p	10/42	6/42	U182	7/16/43	A	Leadership	U186	7/21/43	A																														
188	1st Lt	Adams Jr.	7/42	9/43	p	10/42	2/43	U184	7/19/43		3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
189	1st Lt	Bell JB	7/42	9/43	p	10/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43		3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
190	1st Lt	Block	11/42	10/43	n	11/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43		3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
191	1st Lt	Fitzgerald	7/42	8/43	p	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43		Fiji search	U186	7/21/43																															
192	1st Lt	Gilbert	11/42	10/43	n	11/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43		n/a																																	
193	1st Lt	McCarroll	11/42	7/43	n	11/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43	A	3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	A																													
194	1st Lt	Mogush	11/42	8/43	n	11/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43		3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
195	1st Lt	Preston II	11/42	8/43	n	11/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
196	T/Sgt	Dohney	6/41	8/43	m	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43		Fiji search	U186	7/21/43																															
197	S/Sgt	Cole	3/42	8/43	ro	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
198	S/Sgt	Flynn	2/42	8/43	ro	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43		n/a																																	
199	S/Sgt	Saylor	8/42	7/43	ro	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	A	n/a																																	
200	S/Sgt	Watts CT	7/42	8/43	ro	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43																																			
201	Capt	Brewer, Jr.	6/42	8/43	p	10/42	8/43	U182	7/16/43																																			
202	Capt	Bruce RD	6/42	8/43	p	10/42	4/43	U182	7/16/43		4/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
203	1st Lt	Hay	2/43	2/44	p	9/43	10/43	U359	3/6/44	A	2/43	6/43	U182	7/16/43																														
204	1st Lt	Sproul	6/42	8/43	p	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
205	1st Lt	Washburne	11/42	7/43	n	11/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43	A	5/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43		Guad drop	U186	7/21/43	A																									
206	S/Sgt	Beck	7/42	12/43	n/a						10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43																														
207	S/Sgt	Foster FJ	8/42	12/43	ro	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43		n/a																																	
208	S/Sgt	Heckerson	8/42	7/43	ro	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	A	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43		Guad drop	U186	7/21/43	A																									
209	S/Sgt	Ingalls	8/42	8/43	ro	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43		Fiji search	U186	7/21/43		beef landing	U186	7/21/43																											
210	Sgt	Merrillott	8/42	12/43	ro	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43		n/a																												
211	Sgt	Wallace KD	7/42	2/44	ro	12/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43		6/43	8/43	U627	4/27/44	A	8/43	10/43	U629	4/27/44	A																								
212	Major	Remaklus	6/42	12/43	p	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43		n/a																												
213	1st Lt	Baldry	7/42	8/43	p	10/42	1/43	U182	7/16/43		1/43	3/43	U183	7/17/43		3/43	6/43	U184	7/19/43																									
214	1st Lt	Davis CC	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		n/a																																	
215	S/Sgt	Coker	8/42	2/44	ro						10/42	12/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	8/43	U624	4/26/44	A	10/43	12/43	U629	4/27/44	A																			
216	S/Sgt	Reddick	8/42	4/44	ro	8/43	10/43	U1145	7/28/44	A	10/42	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	8/43	U519	4/12/44	A	n/a																							
217	1st Lt	Davenport	6/43	2/44	n/a						7/43	8/43	U348	3/3/44	A	8/43	9/43	U359	3/6/44	A	11/43	12/43	U554	4/17/44	A	8/43	2/44	136	2/9/45	A	maybe other order has first AM													
218	1st Lt	Cohen A.	5/43	4/44	n	9/43	10/43	U1131	7/26/44	A		5/43	7/43	U625	4/26/44	A	7/43	9/43	U491	4/6/44	A	10/43	10/43	U509	4/10/44	A	11/43	12/43	U613	4/25/44	A	1/44	2/44	U614	4/25/44	A								
219	1st Lt	Folatko	5/43	4/44	p							5/43	7/43	U544	4/17/44	A	12/43	2/44	U554	4/17/44	A	U771	5/15/44	A	n/a																			
220	1st Lt	Leibundguth	5/43	4/44	p	8/43	9/43	U411	3/20/44		5/43	6/43	U348	3/3/44		6/43	8/43	380	3/12/44		9/43	10/43	U397	3/15/44		11/43	1/44	U633	4/27/44	A	n/a													
221	1st Lt	Smith WE	2/43	2/44	p						10/42	11/43	U182	7/16/43		10/43	11/43	U629	4/27/44	A	11/43	1/44	U633	4/27/44	A	n/a																		
222	T/Sgt	Watkins	12/40	8/44	m	7/43	10/43	U1145	7/28/44		10/42	7/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	7/43	U629	4/27/44		12/43	1/44	U629	4/27/44		9/43	1/44	140	2/10/45	A	1/44	5/44	140	2/10/45	A	?	U776	5/16/44	A					
223	S/Sgt	Kilzer	2/43	11/44	ro	8/43	10/43	U1145	7/28/44		2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	8/43	U624	4/26/44		12/43	1/44	U629	4/27/44		2/44	2/44	U624	4/26/44		6/43	4/44	303	5/8/45	A	4/44	6/44	115	2/6/45	A				
224	Capt	Allen JE	6/43	2/45	p							U281	2/20/44		10/43	12/43	U624	4/26/44		12/43	1/44	U629	4/27/44		1/44	2/44	U633	4/27/44		6/43	4/44	303	5/8/45	A	4/44	3/44	262	12/20/44	A					
225	1st Lt	Page	6/43	10/44	n	9/43	10/43	U1145	7/28/44			2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43		6/43	8/43	U491	4/6/44		10/43	11/43	U509	4/10/44		U776	5/16/44		1/44	2/44	U581	4/20/44		7/43	3/44	262	12/20/44	A					
226	F/O	Brown EG	2/43	2/44	p							U326	2/27/44		10/43	11/43	U565	4/18/44		11/43	1/44	U592	4/22/44		10/43	11/43	U565	4/18/44		11/43	1/44	U592	4/22/44		1/44	2/44	U592	4/22/44		3/43	2/44	257	12/19/44	A
227	1st Lt	Lenderman	6/43	1/45	p							U281	2/20/44		11/43	1/44	U592	4/22/44		n/a																								
228	Capt	Miller AL	5/43	8/44	p							5/43	7/43	U536	4/14/44		7/43	8/43	U491	4/6/44		9/43	10/43	U509	4/10/44		11/43	12/43	U624	4/26/44		12/43	1/44	U625	4/26/44		4/43	3/44	138	2/10/45	A			
229	Capt	Peters	5/43	1/45	p							5/43	7/43	U536	4/14/44		7/43	8/43	U491	4/6/44		9/43	10/43	U509	4/10/44		11/43	12/43	U624															

1st Lt	Lenderman	5/43	8/44	p
Capt	Miller AL	5/43	8/44	p
Capt	Peters	5/43	1/45	p

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231	1st Lt	Lippitt	2/43	12/43	n	2/43	6/43	U182	7/16/43	n/a					n/a				
232	S/Sgt	McCullough	8/42	12/43	ro	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
233	S/Sgt	Mihalega	7/42	12/43	ro	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
234	1st Lt	Farmer	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	2/43	U183	7/17/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
235	1st Lt	Frey	11/42	12/43	n	11/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43	3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
236	1st Lt	Johnson RE	11/42	12/43	n	11/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	n/a				n/a					
237	1st Lt	Meadе	11/42	12/43	n	11/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43	3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
238	1st Lt	Moritz	11/42	12/43	n	11/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	iji Search	U527	4/13/44	A	n/a					
239	Capt	Alexander JD	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	Guad drop	U186	7/21/43	n/a						
240	Capt	Fraser	6/42	12/43	p	10/42	1/43	U182	7/16/43	1/43	4/43	U183	7/17/43	4/43	6/43	U184	7/19/43	n/a	
241	Capt	Jay	6/42	12/43	p	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	n/a				n/a					
242	S/Sgt	Goldstein	3/42	12/43	ro	10/42	1/43	U182	7/16/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a	9/43	10/43	U431	3/25/44 A	
243	1st Lt	Bergstrom	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a	9/43	11/43	U359	3/6/44 A	
244	1st Lt	Bernard	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
245	1st Lt	Blankenship	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43	3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
246	1st Lt	Shook	11/42	12/43	n	11/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a					
247	Capt	Brandt	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	6/43	U182	7/16/43	U281	2/20/44	A	11/42	9/43	133	2/9/45	A	n/a	
248	Capt	Brauns	6/42	12/43	p	10/42	3/43	U182	7/16/43	3/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	11/42	9/43	134	2/9/45	A	n/a
249	Capt	Drake	7/42	12/43	p	10/42	2/43	U182	7/16/43	2/43	6/43	U183	7/17/43	n/a				n/a	

13th TCS Air Crew Members Awarded the Air Medal

Orders with numbers in red have not yet been found

Names in blue confirmed. Red were away on a mission on ceremony day. Green were back in the U.S.

AC1 = first Air Medal oak leaf cluster, AC2 = second, etc. AM=Air Medal, DC1 = DFC oak leaf cluster, DFC = Distinguished Flying Cross

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July 1943 Orders for July 22 and August 2 Ceremonies

1	USAFISPA	7/16/43	182	61	Alexander JD-DFC, Baldry-DFC, Bell JB-DFC, Bergstrom-DFC, Bernard-DFC, Blankinship-DFC, Block-DFC, Brandt-DFC, Brauns-DFC, Brewer, Jr.-DFC, Bruce RD-DFC, Carroll-DFC, Cole-DFC, Cruncleton-AM, Cullum-DFC, Dolney-DFC, Drake-DFC, Duffy-AM, Ecklund-DFC, Fitzgerald-DFC, Flynn-DFC, Foster-DFC, Fraser-DFC, Frey-DFC, Gilbert-DFC, Givens-DFC, Goldstein-DFC, Hammett-DFC, Hay-AM, Heckerson-DFC, Ingalls-DFC, Jay-DFC, Johnson RE-DFC, Kolas-DFC, Lippitt-DFC, McCarron-DFC, McCullough-DFC, McNeil-AM, Meade-DFC, Merriott-DFC, Mihalega-DFC, Mogush-DFC, Moritz-DFC, Petty-DFC, Preston II-DFC, Remaklus-DFC, Rhodenbaugh-AM, Saylor-DFC, Shook-DFC, Smith WE-AM, Smyth-AM, Sprout-DFC, Stiver-AM, Ummel-AM, Valley-AM, Vaughn-AM, Versdahl-AM, Wallace KD-DFC, Washburne-DFC, Watts-DFC, Zechar-AM	1	7/22/1943	Thu		Lincoln	
2	USAFISPA	7/17/43	183	61	Abernathy-AM, Adams Jr.-AM, Alexander JD-AM, Allen F-AM, Anacker-AM, Baldy-AM, Beck-AM, Bell JB-AM, Bergstrom-AM, Bernard-AM, Blankinship-AM, Block-AM, Brauns-AM, Brewer, Jr.-AM, Brown EG-AM, Bruce RD-AM, Burden-AM, Burgess-AM, Clawson-AM, Claydon-AM, Coker-AM, Cole-AM, Davis CC-DFC, DeLoss-AM, Drake-AM, Farmer-DFC, Farmer-AM, Fraser-AM, Frey-AM, Goldstein-AM, Heckerson-AM, Johnson AK-AM, Jurkewicz-AM, Kelley-AM, Killebrew-AM, Kilzer-AM, Lach-AM, Lawyer-AM, Linkenhoger-AM, Lowery-AM, Mann TO-AM, McCarroll-AM, McCullough-AM, Meade-AM, Meadows-AM, Merriott-AM, Meuret-AM, Mihalega-AM, Mogush-AM, Mullin-AM, Petty-AM, Powell-AM, Preston II-AM, Rapp-AM, Reddick-AM, Remaklus-AM, Shook-AM, Sprout-AM, Washburne-AM, Watkins-AM, Zieman-AM	2	8/2/1943	Mon		Lincoln	
3	USAFISPA	7/19/43	184	3	Adams Jr.-DFC, Baldry-AC1, Fraser-AC1	2	8/2/1943	Mon		Lincoln	
4	USAFISPA	7/21/43	186	13	Alexander JD-AC1, Baldry-AC2, Brewer, Jr.-AC1, Cullum-AM, Dolney-AM, Fitzgerald-AM, Heckerson-AC1, Ingalls-AM, Ingalls-AC1, Meuret-AC1, Petty-DC1, Washburne-AC1, Watkins-AC2	2	8/2/1943	Mon		Lincoln	
5	USAFISPA	7/22/44	187	1	Laming-AM	2	8/2/1943	Mon		Lincoln	

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6	USAFISPA	12/18/43	507	1	Wilson HF-AM	?	?			
7	USAFISPA	12/19/43	511	2	Hendricks-AM, Nasset-AM	?	?			

January 1944 Orders for February 5 and 26 Ceremonies

8	USAFISPA	1/13/44	75	1	Hamilton-AM	4	2/26/1944	Sat	7:50	Sands MR
9	USAFISPA	1/15/44	91	1	Alexander GW-AM (Joined us 12/26/43)	?	?			
10	USAFISPA	1/22/44	115	1	Park-AM	3	2/5/1944	Sat		Sands MR
11	USAFISPA	1/26/44	141	1	Brown CL-AM (Joined us a/12/44)	?	?			

February to March 1944 Orders for April 4 and 8 Ceremonies

12	USAFISPA	2/20/44	281	3	Allen JE-AM, Brandt-AM, Miller AL-AM	5	2/28/1944	Mon	n/a	MR
?	?	?	?	2	Folatko-DFC, AM, AC1, Leibundguth-AM, AC1	6	4/4/1944	Tue	Wilson	MR
?	?	?	?	8	Capt. Whitaker-AM; 1st Lts Miller AL-AC1, AC2; 2nd Lts. Allen JE-AC1; Hetzler-AM, Lenderman-DFC, AM, AC1,	7	4/8/1944	Sat	8:00	Wilson MR
?	?	?	?	2	1st Lt Miller AL-DFC; 2nd Lt. Allen JE-DFC	7	4/8/1944	Sat	8:00	Wilson MR
13	USAFISPA	2/21/44	284	2	Conrad-AM, Dalmann-AM	7	4/8/1944	Sat	8:00	Wilson MR
14	USAFISPA	2/28/44	328	2	Barrett-AM, Lenderman-AM	7	4/8/1944	Sat	8:00	Wilson MR
15	USAFISPA	3/3/44	348	4	Davenport-AM, Judd-AM, Leibundguth-AM (not in MR), Mendenhall-AM	7	4/8/1944	Sat	8:00	Wilson MR
16	USAFISPA	3/6/44	359	4	Bergstrom-AC2, Davenport-AC1, Hay-DFC, Judd-AC2	7	4/8/1944	Judd; others back in US		
17	USAFISPA	3/12/44	378	3	Bergstrom-DC1, Moritz-DC1, Shook-DC1					
18	USAFISPA	3/12/44	380	1	Leibundguth-AC1					
19	USAFISPA	3/15/44	397	1	Leibundguth-AC2					
20	USAFISPA	3/20/44	411	1	Leibundguth-DFC					
21	USAFISPA	3/25/44	431	1	Goldstein-DC1					

April 6-22 Orders for May 6 Ceremony

22	USAFISPA	4/6/44	491	7	Bogutski-AM, Cohen A-AC1, Houpt-AM, Page-AC1, Peters-AC1, Richards-AC1, Woodall-AC1	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
23	USAFISPA	4/10/44	509	4	Cohen A-AC2, Page-AC2, Peters-AC2, Rode-AM	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
24	USAFISPA	4/12/44	519	1	Reddick-AC1	8	5/6/1944			Back in US
25	USAFISPA	4/12/44	522	4	Oliveros-AM, Painter-AM (on 7/1/44), Plyler-AM, Smith EK-AM	8,13	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
26	USAFISPA	4/12/44	524	3	Jurkewicz-AC1, Richards-AM, Versdahl-AC1	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
27	USAFISPA	4/13/44	527	1	Moritz-AM	8	5/6/1944			Back in US
28	USAFISPA	4/14/44	536	2	Page-AM, Peters-AM	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
29	USAFISPA	4/17/44	554	3	Davenport-AC2, Folatko-AC1, Wilson HF-AC1	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
30	USAFISPA	4/17/44	559	2	DeCoursey-AM, Donnelly-AM	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
31	USAFISPA	4/18/44	565	2	Brown EG-AC3, Lenderman-AC1	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
32	USAFISPA	4/19/44	573	3	King EP-AM, Leonard-AM, Mann WP-AM	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
33	USAFISPA	4/20/44	581	1	Page-AC4	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR
34	USAFISPA	4/22/44	592	2	Brown EG-AC4, Lenderman-AC2	8	5/6/1944	Sat	8:15	Sands MR

April Orders for May 13 and 20 Ceremonies

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						#	Date	Day	Time	By	Ref
35	USAFISPA	4/25/44	613	5	Barry-AM, Cohen A-AC3, Skeens-AM, Stout-AM, Walsh-AM	10	5/20/1944	Sat	7:30	Wilson	MR
36	USAFISPA	4/25/44	614	5	Cohen A-AC4, Killebrew-AC1, Skeens-AC1, Whitaker-AC1, Woodall-AC3	9	5/13/1944	Sat	n/a	Wilson	MR
37	USAFISPA	4/25/44	616	1	Skeens-AC2	9	5/13/1944	Sat	n/a	Wilson	MR
38	USAFISPA	4/26/44	623	10	Baxter-AM, Blount-AM, Buckingham-AM, Carey-AM, Copeland-AM (5/13), Groesbeck-AM, Mitchell-AM, Mucci-AM, Pyke-AM, Sackett-AM	10	5/20/1944	Sat	7:30	Wilson	MR
39	USAFISPA	4/26/44	624	10	Allen JE-AC1, Barrett-AC1, Coker-AC1, Conard-AC1, Dalmann-AC1, Hetzler-AC2, Houpt-AC1, Kilzer-AC1, Leibundguth-AC3, Peters-AC3	9	5/13/1944	Sat	n/a	Wilson	MR
40	USAFISPA	4/26/44	625	11	Allen JE-AC2, Barrett-AC2, Baxter-AC1 (5/20), Buckingham-AC1 (5/20), Cohen A-AM, Copeland-AC1, Hetzler-AC3, Houpt-AC2, Peters-AC4, Richards-AC2, Skeens-AC4	9	5/13/1944	Sat	n/a	Wilson	MR
41	USAFISPA	4/27/44	627	2	Wallace KD-AM (5/13), Wilkening-AM	10	5/20/1944	Sat	7:30	Wilson	MR
42	USAFISPA	4/27/44	628	3	Steele-AM, Watland-AM, Wright-AM	10	5/20/1944	Sat	7:30	Wilson	MR
43	USAFISPA	4/27/44	629	6	Coker-AC2, Kilzer-AC2, Smith WE-AC1 (5/13), Wallace KD-AC1 (5/13), Watkins-AC1 (5/13), Woodall-AM	10	5/20/1944	Sat	7:30	Wilson	MR
44	USAFISPA	4/27/44	630	2	Dalmann-AC2, Woodall-AC2	9	5/13/1944	Sat	n/a	Wilson	MR
45	USAFISPA	4/27/44	633	4	Allen JE-AC3, Barrett-AC3, Smith WE-AC2, Woodall-AC4	9	5/13/1944	Sat	n/a	Wilson	MR
46	USAFISPA	5/4/44	682	1	Lesh-AM	10	5/20/1944	Sat	n/a	Wilson	MR

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47	USAFISPA	5/15/44	771	4	Bogutski-AC2, Folatko-AC2, Killebrew-AC2, Versdahl-AC3	?					
48	USAFISPA	5/16/44	776	2	Kilzer-AC4, Page-AC3						
49	USAFISPA	5/22/44	817	3	Myers HC-AC2, Riordan-AM, Small-AM	11	6/10/1944	Sat	7:15	Duffy	MR
?	?	?	?	1	Lesh-AC1, Miller AL-AC3, Park-AC1	12	6/17/1944	Sat	7:15	Wilson	MR
50	USAFISPA	6/24/44	998	1	Cloud-AM						
51	USAFISPA	7/26/44	1131	2	Bogutski-AC1, Cohen A-DFC						
52	USAFISPA	7/28/44	1145	4	Kilzer-DFC, Page-DFC, Reddick-DFC, Watkins-DFC (Awarded 8/15, left 8/17)	14	8/15/44	Sat	for only Watkins		

I Have Found No orders between 7/28/44 until December 17, 1944

December 1944 Orders for March 24, 1945, Ceremony

53	13th AF	12/17/44	251	15	Ando-AM, Bechstein-AM (2/1/45), Bell RE-AM, Bell HD-AM, Biedenbach-AM (7/5/45), Bowman PR-AM, Cady-AM, Carson-AM, Conn-AM, Cooper-AM, Cover-AM, Coyle-AM, Drago-AM, Elam-AM, Friel-AM	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
54	13th AF	12/18/44	252	9	Geuther-AM, Hartline-AM, Hays-AM, Hogan-AM, Hopkins-AM, Laine-AM, LaLonde-AM, Locke-AM (7/5/45), Nitrauer-AM	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
55	13th AF	12/18/44	253	12	Paucek-AM (2/1/45), Petmecky-AM, Schmidt-AM, Smith J-AM, Smith OE-AM, Stallings-AM, Tharp-AM, Thompson AL-AM, Tustin-AM, Wentworth-AM, Wicks-AM, Wilson MR-AM	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
56	13th AF	12/18/44	254	7	Aos-AC1, Dalmann-AC3, Hamilton-AC1, Hays-AC1, Hendricks-AC3, Reeves-AM, Wicks-AC2	18	3/24/1945			
57	13th AF	12/19/44	255	6	Hendricks-AC2, Killebrew-AC3, Moyle-AC1, Reeves-AC1, Schmidt-AC1, Wicks-AC1	18	3/24/1945			
58	13th AF	12/19/44	256	7	Aos-AC2, Hendricks-AC1, Moyle-AC2, Painter-AC1, Schmidt-AC2, Wicks-AC3, Woodall-AC5	18	3/24/1945			
59	13th AF	12/19/44	257	11	Alexander GW-AC1 (2/1/45), Allen F-AC1, Anacker-AC1 (2/1/45), Bechstein-AC1 (2/1/45), Brown EG-AC5, Bruce PM-AC1, Cannon-AM, Pyke-AC1, Rapp-AC2 (2/1/45), Richards-AC3, Stout-AC1	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
60	13th AF	12/19/44	258	9	Alexander GW-AC2 (2/1/45), Allen F-AC2, Bechstein-AC2, Bruce PM-AC2, Carson-AC1, Cirincion-AM, DeCourcey-AC2, Judd-AC4, Richards-AC5	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
?	?	?	?	1	Bechstein-AC3	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
61	13th AF	12/19/44	260	6	Alexander GW-AC3 (2/1/45), Hartline-AC1, Hetzler-AC5, Hogan-AC1, Judd-AC5, King ES-AM	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
62	13th AF	12/20/44	261	11	Alexander GW-AC4 (2/1/45), Hetzler-AC4, Judd-AC6, LaLonde-AC1, Lawyer-AC1 (2/1/45), Lenderman-AC5, Linkenhoger-AC1, Locke-AC2, Lorio-AM, Mann WP-AC3, Meadows-AC1	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
63	13th AF	12/20/44	262	13	Lenderman-AC4, Mucci-AC1, Myers HC-AC1, Oliveros-AC1, Osborne-AC1, Page-AC5, Park-AC2, Peters-AC5, Pyke-AC2, Rapp-AC1, Richards-AC7, Rode-AC4, Sackett-AC1	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
64	13th AF	12/20/44	263	11	Oliveros-AC2, Peters-AC6, Pyke-AC3, Richards-AC4, Skeens-AC3 (2/1/45), Steele-AC2, Stout-AC2, Tustin-AC1, Walsh-AC1, Watland-AC1, Wilkening-AC1	18	3/24/1945	Sat	Carter	MR
65	13th AF	12/23/44	269	1	Oliveros-AC3	18	3/24/1945			
66	13th AF	12/23/44	270	1	Oliveros-AC4	18	3/24/1945			

January to March 5, 1945 Orders for 3/24/45 Ceremony

#	Issued by	Date	Order	List	Awards	Award Ceremony					
						#	Date	Day	Time	By	Ref
67	FEAF	1/5/45	36	13	Barrett-AC4 (2/1/45), Cloud-AC1, Donnelly-AC3, Judd-AC3, Mann WP-AC4, Mendenhall-AC5, Richards-AC6, Riordan-AC3, Skeens-AC6, Small-AC3, Steele-AC5, Stout-AC3, Wright HW-AC4	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
68	FEAF	1/9/45	56	9	Baxter-AC3, Buckingham-AC5, Carey-AC4, Cirincion-AC4, Hendricks-AC4, King ES-AC1, Lorio-AC1, Pettis-AC1, Pyke-AC4	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
69	FEAF	1/19/45	121	8	Childs-AM, King ES-AC2, Lorio-AC2, Reimer-AM, Riordan-AC4, Stout-AC4, Watland-AC2, Watland-AC3	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
70	FEAF	2/5/45	215	2	Donnelly-AC4, Small-AC4	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
71	13th AF	2/5/45	113	12	Hershberg-AM, MacLeod-AM, Maguire-AM, Maguire-AC1, Marks-AM, Morgan-AM, Neal-AM, Osborne-AM, Pettis-AM, Vaughan-AM (3/4/45), Whitehead-AM (3/4/45), Whitehead-AC1 (3/4/45)	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
72	13th AF	2/5/45	114	10	Harmon-AM, AC1, AC2, AC3 (all 2/1/45), McDaniel-AM, McDaniel-AC1, McDaniel-AC2, Power-AM, AC1, AC2 (all 2/1/45)	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
73	13th AF	2/6/45	115	1	Allen JE-AC5	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
74	13th AF	2/6/45	116	4	Baxter-AC2, Blount-AC1, Blount-AC2, Blount-AC3	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
75	13th AF	2/6/45	117	4	Bowman PR-AC1, Buckingham-AC3, Buckingham-AC4, Cady-AC1	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
76	13th AF	2/6/45	118	8	Carey-AC2, Carey-AC3, Cirincion-AC1, Cirincion-AC2, Cirincion-AC3, Clawson-AC1, AC2, AC3 (all 2/1/45)	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
77	13th AF	2/7/45	120	6	DeCourcy-AC1, Donnelly-AC1, Donnelly-AC2, Drago-AC1, Elam-AC1, Elam-AC2	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
78	13th AF	2/7/45	121	3	Groesbeck-AC1, Groesbeck-AC2, Groesbeck-AC3	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
79	13th AF	2/7/45	122	4	Hartline-AC2, Hopkins-AC1, Laming-AC1, Laming-AC2	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
80	13th AF	2/8/45	123	3	Lach-AC1, Lach-AC2, Lach-AC3	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
81	13th AF	2/8/45	124	7	Leonard-AC1, Leonard-AC2, Leonard-AC3, Lesh-AC2, AC3 (both 2/1/45), MacLeod-AC1, MacLeod-AC2	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
82	13th AF	2/8/45	125	3	Mann WP-AC2, Plyler-AC1, Plyler-AC2	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
83	13th AF	2/8/45	126	6	Mitchell-AC1, AC2, AC3 (all 2/1/45), Nitrauer-AC1, Paucek-AC1, Paucek-AC2	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
84	13th AF	2/8/45	128	6	Mendenhall-AC1, Mendenhall-AC2, Mendenhall-AC3, Mendenhall-AC4, Park-AC3, Petmecky-AC1	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
85	13th AF	2/8/45	129	4	Riordan-AC1, Riordan-AC2, Rode-AC3, Rode-AC5	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
86	FEAF	2/9/45	235	3	Bravos-AM, Cooper-AC1, Wilkening-AC2	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
87	13th AF	2/9/45	130	2	Sackett-AC2, Sackett-AC3	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
88	13th AF	2/9/45	131	6	Small-AC1, Small-AC2, Smith EK-AC1, Smith EK-AC2, Steele-AC3, Steele-AC4	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
89	13th AF	2/9/45	132	3	Walsh-AC2, Wright-AC2, Wright-AC3	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
90	13th AF	2/9/45	133	1	Brandt-AC1	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
91	13th AF	2/9/45	134	3	Brauns-AC1, Brown CL-AC1, Conard-AC3	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
92	13th AF	2/9/45	135	1	Pettis-AC2	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
93	13th AF	2/9/45	136	4	Cover-AC1, Cover-AC2, Dalmann-AC5, Davenport-AC3	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
94	13th AF	2/10/45	137	2	Kilzer-AC3, Lenderman-AC6	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
95	13th AF	2/10/45	138	4	Lowery-AC1, Miller AL-AC5, Miller AL-AC6, Miller AL-AC7	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
96	13th AF	2/10/45	139	1	Painter-AC2	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
97	13th AF	2/10/45	140	3	Watkins-AC3, Watkins-AC4, Woodall-AC6	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
98	13th AF	2/10/45	141	3	Copeland-AC2, King EP-AC1, King EP-AC2	18	3/24/1945				KIA
99	13th AF	2/17/45	155	1	Cirincion-AC4	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
100	13th AF	2/18/45	157	1	Hendricks-AC5	18	3/24/1945				Back in US
101	FEAF	3/2/45	301	2	Hogan-AC2, Nasset-AC3	18	3/24/1945	Sat		Carter	MR
102	FEAF	3/5/45	329	1	Childs-AC1	18	3/24/1945				Back in US

From 3/21 until 7/5/45 Ceremony

103	13th AF	3/21/45	209	2	King ES-AM (repeats prior), Lorio-AC2	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Carter	MR
104	FEAF	3/24/45	438	1	Cannon-AC2	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Had left 13th TCS	
105	13th AF	3/30/45	234	2	Cannon-AC1, Cannon-AC2	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Had left 13th TCS	
106	FEAF	4/4/45	476	1	Pyke-AC5	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Had left 13th TCS	
107	FEAF	4/19/45	583	8	Blakeney-AM, Brady-AM, Buchen Ja.-AM, Buchen Jo.-AM, Carey-AC5 (5/29/45), Leonard-AC4, McDaniel-AC3, Thompson AL-AC1	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Carter	MR
108	13th AF	4/30/45	291	3	Baxter-AC4, Donnelly-AC5, Steele-AC6	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Had left 13th TCS	
109	FEAF	5/3/45	676	7	Biedenbach-AC1, Holbrook-AM, Locke-AC3, Miller ER-AM, Molvar-AM, Osman-AM, Strand-AM	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Carter	MR
110	13th AF	5/8/45	303	2	Allen JE-AC3, Barrett-AC6	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Had left 13th TCS	
111	FEAF	5/12/45	763	1	Bruce PM-AM	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Carter	MR
112	13th AF	5/21/45	309	1	Steele-AC7	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Carter	MR
113	13th AF	6/7/45	322	1	Bruce PM-AC-1, AC-2 (repeats 1944's 257 and 258)	21	7/5/1945	Thu		Carter	MR

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114	FEAF	8/9/45	1797	1	Versdahl-AC2					Had left 13th TCS	
115	13th AF	9/8/45	357	4	McMahon-AM, McMahon-AC1, McMahon-AC2, McMahon-AC3					Had left 13th TCS	
116	FEAF	10/11/45	2101	3	Belto-AM, Bravos-AC1, Golomb-AM					Had left 13th TCS	
117	PACUSA	3/26/46	62	2	Cowles-AM, Domarsky-AM					Had left 13th TCS	

9 DFCs, 33 Ams, and 136 OLCs With Award Orders Missing

DFC=Distinguished Flying Cross. DC1 = OLC to DFC

AM = Air Medal. AC1, AC2, etc = OLCs to the Air Medal,

#	Name	9 DFCs, 33 AMs, +OLCs	AM OLCs
		Missing DFC Award Order	Missing AM OLC Award Order
1	Coker	DFC	AC1
2	Davenport	DFC	AC1
3	Beck	DFC, AC1	AC1
4	Brown EG	DFC, AC1, AC2	AC1
5	Miller AL	DFC, AC1, AC2, AC3	AC1
6	Peters	DFC, AC2, AC7	AC1
7	Lendermar	DFC, AC3	AC1
8	Smith WE	DFC, AC3, AC4	AC1
9	Allen JE	DFC, AC4, AC6	AC1
		Missing DFC OLC Award Order	Missing AM OLC Award Order
10	McCulloug	DC1, AC1	AC1
11	Mihalega	DC1, AC1	AC1
12	Farmer	DC1, AC1, AC2	AC1
13	Frey	DC1, AC1, AC2	AC1
14	Meade	DC1, AC1, AC2	AC1
15	Bernard	DC1, AC1, AC2, AC3	AC1
16	Blankinship	DC1, AC1, AC2, AC3	AC1
17	Drake	DC1, AC1, AC2, AC3, AC4	AC1
18	Alexander	DC1, AC2	AC1
19	Fraser	DC1, AC2	AC1
20	Brandt	DC1, AC2, AC3	AC1
21	Brauns	DC1, AC2, AC3	AC1
		Missing Air Medal Award Order	Missing AM OLC Award Order
22	Anderson	AM	AC1, AC2
23	Aos	AM	AC1, AC2
24	Boss	AM	AC1, AC2
25	Bowen HG	AM	AC1, AC2, AC3
26	Cairns	AM	AC1, AC3
27	DeClerck	AM	AC2
28	Driedger	AM	AC2
29	Fatula	AM	AC2
30	Flynn	AM	AC2
31	Gilbert	AM	AC2
32	Goodwin	AM	AC2
33	Harp	AM	AC2
34	Jenkins	AM	AC2
35	Moyle	AM	AC2
36	Sand	AM	AC2
37	Saylor	AM	AC2
38	Sennholtz	AM	AC2
39	Soderland	AM	AC2
40	Sorenson	AM	AC2
41	Stoltzmann	AM	AC2, AC3, AC4
42	Stratton	AM	AC2, AC6
43	Uhl	AM	AC3
44	Vestre	AM	AC3
45	Wantz	AM	AC3
46	Watts CT	AM	AC3
47	Dewey HO	AM, AC1	AC3, AC4, AC5
48	Foster	AM, AC1	AC4
49	Williams	AM, AC1	AC4
50	Davis CC	AM, AC1, AC2	AC4
51	Lippitt	DC1, AM, AC1	AC4
52	Jay	DC1, AM, AC1, AC2	AC4
53	Johnson R	DC1, AM, AC1, AC2	AC4
54	Folatko	DFC, AM, AC3, AC4	AC5

Enlisted Men on Four Good Conduct Medal Award Orders, and Their Sequence on Each Order

#	Rank	Last Name	1944		44		1945		45									
			2/1	4/8	#	Rank	Last Name	4/8	#	Rank	Last Name	4/8	2/6	9/9	#	Rank	Last Name	9/9
1	S/Sgt	Belto	1	20	71	Sgt	Gates	65	141	Cpl	Gordon FR	137			210	M/Sgt	Ayres	1
2	S/Sgt	Thompson DC	2		72	Sgt	Harp	66	142	Pfc	Harper	138			211	T/Sgt	Harriss	2
3	Sgt	Geier	3	104	73	T/Sgt	Hartline	67	143	Pfc	Lund	139			212	T/Sgt	Prichard	3
4	Cpl	Hladczuk	4		74	S/Sgt	Labedz	68	144	Cpl	Markey	140			213	T/Sgt	Tillman	4
5	Cpl	Boyko	5	129	75	Sgt	Laine	69	145	Cpl	Marks	141			214	S/Sgt	Vitek	5
6	Cpl	Walsh LP	6	157	76	Sgt	Lamb	70	146	Cpl	Matela	142			215	Sgt	Bravos	6
7	Pfc	Chambers	7	158	77	S/Sgt	Lawyer	71	147	Sgt	Miller GJ	143			216	S/Sgt	Crooker	7
8	1st Sgt	Giokaris	1		78	S/Sgt	MacLeod	72	148	Pfc	Mlynek	144			217	S/Sgt	Davis LE	8
9	M/Sgt	Ando	2		79	S/Sgt	McDaniel	73	149	Sgt	Morgan	145			218	Sgt	Elfman	9
10	M/Sgt	Grubbs	3		80	S/Sgt	Meadows	74	150	Cpl	Morin	146			219	Sgt	Fatula	10
11	T/Sgt	Ummel	4	81	Sgt	Melton	75	151	Pfc	O'Shea	147			220	Cpl	Gold	11	
12	T/Sgt	Bell HD	5	82	Sgt	Myers RS	76	152	Pfc	Persen	148			221	S/Sgt	Guzy	12	
13	T/Sgt	Elam	6	83	Sgt	Mika	77	153	Cpl	Podolsky (Par)	149			222	Cpl	Viscusi	13	
14	T/Sgt	Harmon	7	84	S/Sgt	Power	78	154	Pfc	Sidelko	150			223	Cpl	Voorhees	14	
15	T/Sgt	Killebrew	8	85	S/Sgt	Reeves	79	155	Cpl	Sinclair	151			224	Sgt	Watts RL	15	
16	T/Sgt	LaLonde	9	86	Cpl	Schmidt	80	156	Cpl	Sodergren	152			225	Cpl	Arthur	16	
17	T/Sgt	Locke	10	87	Sgt	Scott	81	157	Pfc	Stiers	153			226	Cpl	Blanco	17	
18	T/Sgt	Maguire	11	88	Sgt	Scruggs	82	158	Pfc	St. Pierre	154			227	Cpl	Brady	18	
19	S/Sgt	Mann TO	12	89	T/Sgt	Smith OE	83	159	Cpl	Sydnor	155			228	Sgt	Bromberg	19	
20	T/Sgt	Mazzzone	13	90	Sgt	Stallings DC	84	160	Pvt	Thweatt	156			229	Cpl	Caldwell	20	
21	T/Sgt	Myers HC	14	91	Sgt	Storms	85	161	Pfc	DeAmbra	159			230	Sgt	Catena	21	
22	T/Sgt	Pettis	15	92	Sgt	Taylor RC	86	162	Sgt	Luras	160			231	Sgt	Clark HL	22	
23	T/Sgt	Rapp	16	93	Sgt	Wade	87	163	S/Sgt	Phipps	161			232	Sgt	Darling	23	
24	T/Sgt	Robertson	17	94	S/Sgt	Wells	88	164	Pvt	Tutella	162			233	Sgt	Epperhart	24	
25	T/Sgt	Watkins	18	95	S/Sgt	Wilkerson	89	165	T/Sgt	Boss		1		234	Cpl	Friedman	25	
26	T/Sgt	Angle	19	96	Cpl	Bacon	90	166	S/Sgt	Whitehead		2		235	Cpl	Getter	26	
27	S/Sgt	Carruthers	21	97	Sgt	Bakken	91	167	S/Sgt	Barrow		3		236	Pfc	Haralson	27	
28	S/Sgt	DeHaan	22	98	Sgt	Barry F	92	168	S/Sgt	Carson		4		237	Sgt	Kelly	28	
29	S/Sgt	DeLoss	23	99	Cpl	Beacorn	93	169	S/Sgt	Friel		5		238	Cpl	Kosovich	29	
30	T/Sgt	Eaton	24	100	Cpl	Bernhard	94	170	S/Sgt	Hershberg		6		239	Sgt	Magill	30	
31	S/Sgt	Enfield	25	101	Sgt	Biedenbach	95	171	S/Sgt	Hogan		7		240	Sgt	McDonough	31	
32	S/Sgt	Foss	26	102	Cpl	Bond	96	172	S/Sgt	Neal		8		241	Cpl	Payne	32	
33	S/Sgt	Foster RC	27	103	Sgt	Burgess	97	173	S/Sgt	Thompson AL		9		242	Cpl	Reberry	33	
34	S/Sgt	Fuller	28	104	Cpl	Chapman	98	174	Sgt	Brouse		10		243	Sgt	Ricker	34	
35	S/Sgt	Hays	29	105	Sgt	Eastburn	99	175	Sgt	Cohen I		11		244	Sgt	Sunderman	36	
36	Sgt	Kelley	30	106	Cpl	Eatmon	100	176	Sgt	Davis CE		12		245	Cpl	Thear	37	
37	T/Sgt	Lach	31	107	Cpl	Fabish	101	177	Sgt	DeClerck		13		246	Cpl	Baker HH	38	
38	T/Sgt	Larger	32	108	Cpl	Fuselier	102	178	Sgt	Driedger		14		247	Pfc	Burdiss	39	
39	T/Sgt	Lowery	33	109	Sgt	Gee	103	179	Cpl	Holland		15		248	Cpl	Cade	40	
40	S/Sgt	Martinaga	34	110	Cpl	Goessl	105	180	Sgt	Knoll		16		249	Cpl	Costantini	41	
41	S/Sgt	McAllister	35	111	Sgt	Holbrook	106	181	Sgt	Sandler (Levine)		17	35	250	Pfc	Cuthriell	42	
42	Sgt	Mello	36	112	Cpl	Korty	107	182	Sgt	Taylor JD		18		251	Pfc	Dean	43	
43	S/Sgt	Oehm	37	113	Cpl	Laming	108	183	Sgt	Wright TM		19		252	Cpl	Eddins	44	
44	S/Sgt	Paucek	38	114	Sgt	Linkenhoger	109	184	Cpl	Angelette		20		253	Pvt	Franzen	45	
45	T/Sgt	Petry	39	115	Pvt	Lord	110	185	Cpl	Duncan		21		254	Cpl	Graham	46	
46	S/Sgt	Reddick	40	116	Cpl	McNulty	111	186	Cpl	Babcock		22		255	Pfc	Hammond	47	
47	S/Sgt	Riskey	41	117	Cpl	Moore JR	112	187	Cpl	Cook		23		256	Cpl	Lemley	48	
48	S/Sgt	Shearer	42	118	Sgt	Nogaj	113	188	Cpl	Edwards		24		257	Pfc	Markowitz	49	
49	T/Sgt	Stallings B	43	119	Cpl	Pasco	114	189	Cpl	Mastrantonio		25		258	Cpl	Reed	50	
50	S/Sgt	Weekley	44	120	Cpl	Petricola	115	190	Cpl	Mattes		26		259	Cpl	Ryan	51	
51	Sgt	Wicks	45	121	Sgt	Smith J	116	191	Cpl	Price		27		260	Cpl	Vento	52	
52	S/Sgt	Allen, Jr.	46	122	Cpl	Souder	117	192	Cpl	Schissler		28		261	Cpl	Zener	53	
53	Sgt	Amert	47	123	Cpl	Stainback	118	193	Cpl	Senta		29		262	Pfc	Anderson	54	
54	Sgt	Anacker	48	124	Cpl	Storbeck	119	194	Cpl	Tauschman		30		263	Pvt	Benedetto	55	
55	Sgt	Anderson	49	125	Cpl	Termini	120	195	Cpl	Taylor JM		31		264	Pfc	Garner	58	
56	Sgt	Barker	50	126	Sgt	Tustin	121	196	Cpl	Zdon		32		265	Pfc	Giglio	59	
57	S/Sgt	Bechstein	51	127	Sgt	Valley	122	197	Pvt	Wooldridge		33		266	Pvt	Gordon HE	60	
58	Sgt	Bell RE	52	128	Cpl	Van Ness	123	198	Pfc	Davis AS		34	56	267	Pfc	Haynes	61	
59	Sgt	Bradford	53	129	Sgt	Vaughan	124	199	Pfc	Downer		35	57	268	Pfc	Langlois	62	
60	Sgt	Byrd	54	130	Sgt	Versdahl	125	200	Pfc	Foster Rus		36		269	Pfc	Morey	63	
61	Sgt	Christie	55	131	Cpl	Wallace JT	126	201	Pfc	Goodwin LE		37		270	Pfc	Noto	64	
62	T/Sgt	Clawson	56	132	Cpl	Windham	127	202	Pfc	Grant		38		271	Pvt	Rosen	65	
63	Sgt	Collart	57	133	Sgt	Wiseman	128	203	Pfc	Gray		39		272	Pfc	Snaman	66	
64	S/Sgt	Cooper	58	134	Pfc	Bass	130	204	Pvt	Rubin		40		273	Pfc	Surnack	67	
65	Sgt	Delaney	59	135	Cpl	Bowen	131	205	Pfc	Johnson		41		274	Pfc	Yeager	68	
66	Sgt	Deppe	60	136	Pfc	Cameron	132	206	Pfc	Osman		42		275	Cpl	Waker	69	
67	Sgt	Ferguson JB	61	137	Pfc	Franklin	133	207	Pfc	Staggs		43						
68	Sgt	Ferguson MB	62	138	Pfc	Germershausen	134	208	Pfc	Stentzel		44						
69	S/Sgt	Fernandez	63	139	Cpl	Geuther	135	209	Pvt	Sturgis		45						
70	Sgt	Finelli	64	140	Cpl	Goodwin WC	136											

Officers Not on DFC or Air Medal Award Orders
Some Earned the DFC or Air Medal in a Prior Unit, After They Left the 13th TCS, or on an Order I Do Not Have
Listed by Date Joined, then by Last Name

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**Enlisted Men Not on Four Good Conduct Medal Award Orders
But Most Still Earned This for <3 Years**

#	Rank	Last Name	Initials	Enlist	Join	Left
< 3 years Active Duty Before Left 13th TCS: 54						
1	Cpl	Abramowitz	I.	7/42	12/44	6/45
2	Pvt	Anderson	T. J.	6/42	9/44	5/45
3	Cpl	Balch	A. G.	8/42	10/44	12/44
4	Pvt	Cain	R. K.	8/42	4/45	7/45
5	Cpl	Carollo	S. P.	9/42	10/44	4/45
6	Pvt	Carpenter	B.	8/42	9/44	3/45
7	Pfc	Champion	K. L.	8/42	8/44	3/45
8	Cpl	Cleere	J. G.	9/42	10/44	4/45
9	S/Sgt	Cummins (sp. J.)	3/41	1/42	9/43	
10	Cpl	Davis	W. D.	6/42	7/42	10/43
11	Pvt	Dawson	L. W.	8/42	9/42	8/43
12	S/Sgt	DiPippo	G. A.	2/42	7/42	5/43
13	Pvt	DiTullio	A.	7/42	2/44	5/45
14	Cpl	Donovan	H. C.	10/42	11/44	9/45
15	Cpl	Eckenga	C. F.	5/42	8/44	5/45
16	S/Sgt	Eggers	H. H.	9/42	11/43	4/44
17	Sgt	Ford	L.	8/42	11/43	3/44
18	Sgt	Fowler	W. E.	6/42	5/45	5/45
19	Cpl	Funderburk	G. W.	9/42	10/44	10/44
20	Pvt	Gallagher	J. F.	12/41	2/42	7/43
21	Cpl	Hines	H. G.	8/42	11/43	3/44
22	Pvt	Hirst	H.E.	8/42	9/44	4/45
23	S/Sgt	Hocker	R. C.	6/42	10/44	4/45
24	Pfc	Jones	E.P.	10/42	6/45	10/45
25	Pvt	Kuhl	G. L.	9/40	8/42	3/43
26	Pvt	Lamothe	W. W.	8/42	9/42	2/43
27	Cpl	LeBlanc	N. J.	1/42	2/42	1/44
28	Cpl	Lee	G. T.	1/42	7/42	11/43
29	Pvt	Lewis	P.	10/42	5/45	9/45
30	S/Sgt	Lindahl	L. W.	12/41	2/42	2/44
31	Pvt	Linden	D. F.	10/42	10/43	9/45
32	Pvt	Marceau	R. J.	10/42	10/44	5/45
33	Cpl	McDade	F. J.	8/42	9/42	5/45
34	Pfc	Meyers	C. M.	8/42	9/42	10/43
35	S/Sgt	Pierce	J. W.	1/42	2/42	3/44
36	Sgt	Pocza	E.	9/42	11/43	5/44
37	M/Sgt	Rinaldi	J. F.	5/39	7/41	1/43
38	Sgt	Robertson	E. G.	8/41	8/42	12/43
39	S/Sgt	Schertz	C. W.	6/41	8/42	1/44
40	Cpl	Schield	P. T.	1/41	8/42	3/43
41	Cpl	Schroth	A. K.	1/42	7/42	3/44
42	Pfc	Schultz	F. W.	8/42	9/44	4/45
43	Sgt	Seeley	E. A.	6/42	5/43	2/44
44	Cpl	Setliff	O. E.	6/40	8/42	3/43
45	Pfc	Smith	H. F.	10/42	11/44	9/45
46	Pvt	Smoger	S. S.	10/41	12/43	1/44
47	Sgt	Swatzell	H. N.	10/42	8/44	9/45
48	Sgt	Thaute	L.	6/42	7/42	9/43
49	Sgt	Trask	J. I., Jr	7/42	10/44	12/44
50	Pvt	Ulsrud	S.	10/42	8/44	3/45
51	S/Sgt	Viktorchik	M. A.	9/41	11/43	2/44
52	Sgt	Waller	E. A.	5/41	9/42	9/43
53	Pfc	Wozniak	M. S.	1/42	7/42	6/43
54	Pfc	Yeager	E. E.	7/42	9/42	10/43

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< 3 Yrs Active Duty Before 10/31/45 - continued						
76	Pvt	Greco	R. A.	4/43	10/44	3/45
77	Sgt	Hale	C. R.	3/43	12/44	9/45
78	Pfc	Hall	J. H.	3/43	2/44	4/45
79	Cpl	Hall	W. (mi)	2/44	8/45	9/45
80	Sgt	Haseleu	E. R.	11/42	7/45	9/45
81	Pvt	Heatherly	A. P.	4/43	3/44	5/45
82	Sgt	Hedges	W. H.	3/43	12/44	9/45
83	Pfc	Hemstalk	A. E.	3/43	7/45	9/45
84	Sgt	Johnston	E. B.	11/42	11/43	4/44
85	Pfc	Kime	E.	1/43	6/45	9/45
86	Pfc	Komo	J.	3/43	12/44	4/45
87	Cpl	Kopycinski	W. W.	1/43	5/45	9/45
88	Sgt	Krzyminski (I.E. A.)	3/43	9/45	9/45	
89	Pvt	Lounsbury	J. C.	4/43	2/44	11/44
90	Pfc	MacDonald	H. J.	12/42	8/44	10/45
91	Pfc	Malloy	C. J., J.	1/43	6/43	7/45
92	Sgt	McGinnis	G. M.	1/44	6/45	9/45
93	Pvt	Muffoletto	N. V.	12/42	8/44	10/45
94	Cpl	Oliva	F. F.	12/43	4/45	9/45
95	Pfc	Pando	G. A.	1/43	5/45	9/45
96	Pfc	Peterson	T. R.	1/43	10/44	10/44
97	Cpl	Platt	E. A.	8/43	6/45	9/45
98	Pvt	Pogue	R.	11/42	9/45	9/45
99	Cpl	Pratt	W. T.	8/43	3/45	9/45
100	Cpl	Priore	J. A.	2/43	4/45	5/45
101	Cpl	Rea ("Ray")	F. H.	11/42	3/45	9/45
102	Sgt	Richard	L. H.	7/43	6/45	9/45
103	Pfc	Rosen	S.	12/42	5/45	9/45
104	Pfc	Stearns	P. L.	1/43	12/44	5/45
105	Cpl	Thomas	J. L.	8/43	4/45	9/45
106	Pfc	Tozzini	I. Lee	3/43	5/44	10/45
107	Sgt	Wilson	D. E.	1/43	5/45	10/45

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3 Years Reached in a Prior Unit						
140	T/Sgt	Andrew	J. D.	9/40	12/44	2/45
141	S/Sgt	Barton	J. F.	8/42	8/45	9/45
142	S/Sgt	Bromley	R. W.	4/42	7/45	9/45
143	Sgt	Brown	J. N.	6/41	4/45	5/45
144	Pfc	Bussler	R. A.	10/41	7/45	9/45
145	S/Sgt	Cobb	J. L.	8/41	8/45	9/45
146	Sgt	Cone	V. W.	3/42	7/45	9/45
145	Pfc	Darnell	N. G.	3/41	6/44	1/45
146	T/Sgt	Fletcher	S. E.	12/41	2/45	2/45
147	Pvt	Gilmore	C. H.	5/41	12/44	10/45
148	S/Sgt	Graham	J. W.	11/41	11/44	12/44
149	T/Sgt	Grindle	G. K.	12/39	10/44	12/44
150	S/Sgt	Hill	G. L.	5/42	7/45	9/45
151	Sgt	LaPorte	L. L.	1/42	7/45	9/45
152	Cpl	Levine	S.	7/42	8/45	9/45
153	Sgt	Martin	W. B.	10/41	7/45	9/45
154	S/Sgt	McCormick	W. R.	1/42	6/45	9/45
155	Pfc	Miller	W.	3/42	7/45	9/45
156	Sgt	Parrish	L. J.	7/42	9/45	10/45
157	Sgt	Raber	P. R.	4/42	7/45	9/45
158	S/Sgt	Schenk	J. G.	8/41	12/44	9/45
159	S/Sgt	Standridge	H. F.	8/41	10/44	2/45
160	T/Sgt	Venezia	E.	8/40	12/44	9/45
161	Sgt	Wycoski	L.	7/41	8/45	9/45
162	T/Sgt	Zerovich	J.	1/42	4/45	10/45

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I have no enlistment date so cannot determine						
108	Sgt	Abelseth	G. N.	Ind, no	6/45	9/45
109	Pvt	Aversa	V.	n/a	12/44	9/45
110	Cpl	Blackwell	W. S.	n/a	3/45	9/45
111	Sgt	Browne	R. E.	9/45	9/45	
112	Pvt	Calvin	A. A.	2/46	12/44	9/45
113	Sgt	Clouse	J. N.	Ind, no	12/44	9/45
114	Pvt	Cone	D. E.	3/44	8/44	
115	Pfc	Evans	W. A.	n/a	8/44	5/45
116	Sgt	Evans	K. M.	6/45	8/45	
117	M/Sgt	George	B. G.	1/46	10/44	7/45
118	S/Sgt	Gilbertson	R. L.	n/a	8/44	4/45
119	Pfc	Gonzales (G A. E.)	n/a	10/44	6/45	
120	Cpl	Graff	C. W.	6/44	6/44	
121	Cpl	Hampton	D. M.	n/a	4/45	8/45
122	Pfc	Hawkins	E.	8/44	5/45	
123	M/Sgt	Howell	W. N.	7/40	6/45	9/45
124	Sgt	Jenkins	T. W.	ot foun	8/44	6/45
125	Sgt	Jones	N. H.	10/46	9/45	9/45
126	S/Sgt	Kovek	K. J.	10/40	3/45	10/45
127	Sgt	Law	B. S.	4/44	9/45	10/45
128	Sgt	Lehr	J. F.	s no en	6/45	9/45
129	S/Sgt	Leone	R. D.	n/a	11/44	4/45
130	Pvt	Martinez	M.	8/46	2/44	9/45
131	Pvt	McClendon	W. H.	1/21/19	8/44	5/45
132	Sgt	McGiffert	J. C.	9/45	9/45	
133	Cpl	McWhorter	C. A.	8/44	7/45	
134	Pvt	Medina	F. L.	n/a	9/44	3/45
135	Pfc	Mellinger	E. R.	n/a	8/44	9/45
136	Sgt	Robison	D. R.	6/45	8/45	
137	Sgt	Streed	G. L..	8/43	10/45	10/45
138	Sgt	Theodos	D. K.	6/45	8/45	
139	Pvt	Thomas	C. P.	n/a	8/44	5/45

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Glider Mechanics who Joined 8/45						
163	Pfc	Augustine	J. E.	5/43	8/45	9/45
164	Pfc	Bair	C. M.	1/43	8/45	9/45
165	Pfc	Berryman	R. A.	6/43	8/45	9/45
166	Cpl	Brumm	R. L.	11/42	8/45	10/45
167	Pfc	Carpenter	C. C.	6/43	8/45	9/45
168	Pfc	Farmer	G. W.	8/45	10/45	
169	Pfc	Francis	H. L.	12/42	8/45	9/45
170	Cpl	Funk	E. R.	und, no	8/45	9/45
171	Pfc	Gray	W. W.	5/43	8/45	9/45
172	Pfc	Jagger	F. R.	3/43	8/45	9/45
173	Pfc	Johnson	H. E.	1942	8/45	9/45
174	Pfc	Ketchum	F. H.	10/42	8/45	9/45
175	Cpl	Lefler	R. E.	1/43	8/45	9/45
174	Pfc	Margroff	C. M.	11/43	8/45	9/45
175	Cpl	McCall	R. D.	6/40	8/42	1/44
176	Sgt	Ottoman	J. L.	1/43	8/45	9/45
177	Pfc					