

475th BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (MEDIUM)



MISSION

LINEAGE

475th Bombardment Squadron (Medium) constituted, 9 Jul 1942

Activated, 17 Jul 1942

Disbanded, 1 May 1944

STATIONS

Barksdale Field, LA, 17 Jul 1942-1 May 1944

ASSIGNMENTS

335th Bombardment Group, 17 Jul 1942-1 May 1944

WEAPON SYSTEMS

B-26, 1942-1944

B-26B

B-26C

B-26A

COMMANDERS

Maj Howard Burhanna, Jr.

HONORS

Service Streamers

American Theater

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

On a disc divided by a diameter rotated through five degrees from vertical, dexter portion ultramarine blue charged with three light blue aerial bombs, falling to dexter base and emitting light blue speed lines to rear, intermingled with sixteen white stars arranged four, seven, and five, sinister portion white, charged with three ultramarine blue aerial bombs, shaded light blue, falling to center base point, and emitting speed lines of a like color, in front of three white cloud formations outlined light blue; all within a light blue border. (Approved, 5 Nov 1943)

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

Replacement training, Sep 1942-Apr 1944

Air Force Order of Battle

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