XIX TACTICAL AIR COMMAND

MISSION

LINEAGE

XIX Air Support Command constituted, 29 Nov 1943 Activated, 4 Jan 1944 Redesignated XIX Tactical Air Command, Apr 1944 Inactivated, 31 Mar 1946 Disbanded, 8 Oct 1948

STATIONS

Middle Wallop, England, 4 Jan 1944 Aldermaston Court, England, I Feb 1944 France, Jul 1944; Luxembourg, Jan 1945 Germany, Apr-Jul 1945 Drew Field, FL, 21 Aug 1945 Barksdale Field, LA, 17 Oct 1945 Biggs Field, TX, Dec 1945-31 Mar 1946

ASSIGNMENTS

Ninth Air Force

COMMANDERS

Maj Gen Elwood R. Quesada, 4 Jan 1944 Col Clarence E. Crumrine, 1 Feb 1944 Maj Gen Otto P. Weyland, 4 Feb 1944 Brig Gen Homer L. Sanders, 23 May 1945 Col Roger J. Browne, 5 Jul 1945 Brig Gen James W. McCauley, 25 Oct 1945 Maj Gen Elwood R. Quesada, 8 Feb 1946 Brig Gen Homer L. Sanders, 25 Feb-Mar 1946

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Air Offensive, Europe Normandy Northern France Rhineland Ardennes-Alsace Central Europe

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

OPERATIONS

Operated in the European theater, primarily in support of US Third Army, until V-E Day.