# **173 LIAISON SQUADRON**

#### MISSION

### LINEAGE

173 Liaison Squadron constituted, 23 Oct 1944 Activated, 24 Oct 1944 Inactivated, 27 Oct 1945

## **STATIONS**

Orly, France, 24 Oct 1944-0Ct 1945 Camp Patrick Henry, VA, 27 Oct 1945

### ASSIGNMENTS

US Strategic Air Forces in Europe, 24 Oct 1944 Ninth Air Force, 3 Nov 1944 US Forces, European Theater, 10Aug 1945 Army Air Forces, 16-27 Oct 1945

### ATTACHMENTS

Headquarters Command, European Theater of Operations, US Army, 3-15 Nov 1944 Communications Zone, European Theater of Operations, US Army, 15 Nov 1944-25 Jul 1945

### WEAPON SYSTEMS

L-4, 1944-1945 L-5, 1945 UC-78, 1944-1945

### COMMANDERS

HONORS Service Streamers **Campaign Streamers** Rhineland Central Europe

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers** 

Decorations

EMBLEM

ΜΟΤΤΟ

NICKNAME

## **OPERATIONS**

Primarily courier in area to rear of front lines, Nov 1944-May 1945

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