347th AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

347th Organizational Maintenance Squadron constituted, 7 Dec 1971
Activated, 15 Dec 1971
Inactivated, 31 Oct 1972
Activated, 30 July 1973
Inactivated, 30 Jun 1975
Activated, 30 Sep 1975
Redesignated 347th Aircraft Generation Squadron, 1 Aug 1978
Inactivated, 15 May 1991
Reactivated and redesignated 347th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, 29 Aug 2002

STATIONS

Mountain Home AFB, Idaho, 15 Dec 1971-31 Oct 1972 Takhli Royal Thai AFB, Thailand, 30 Jul 1973 Korat Royal Thai AFB, Thailand, 12 Jul 1974-30 Jun 1975 Moody AFB, GA, 30 Sep 1975

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

HONORSService Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with Combat "V" Device 30 Jul 1973-15 May 1975

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award 1 Jan 1976-1 Jan 1978 1 Aug 1978-31 May 1979

EMBLEM

347th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron emblem: On a disc divided per bend enhanced Sable and Argent, charged with a silhouette of a knight with shield and lance issuant from the bend, surmounted by a screwdriver in pale and a wrench in fess Or, overall a flight symbol per pale Azure and Vert, all within a diminished border Yellow. Attached above the disc, a Black scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "WE MAINTAIN SO OTHERS MAY LIVE" in Yellow letters. Attached below the disc, a Black scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "347TH AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE SQ" in Yellow letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The background refers to the traditions of the parent wing. The tools signify the mission of the Squadron. The flight symbol is split to indicate the two rescue squadrons whose missions the unit supports.

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OPERATIONS

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Sources

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