# 388th EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



## LINEAGE

388<sup>th</sup> Field Maintenance Squadron

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Activated at Clovis Air Force Base, NM November 23, 1953; Redesignated 388th Field Maintenance Squadron November 8, 1954

Reloctated to Etain-Rouvres, France remaining there until Deactivated December 10, 1957

Reactivated in the Tactical Air Command May 1, 1962 at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas; Dnactivated February 8, 1964

Reactivated March 14, 1966 at Korat RTAFB, Thailand Assigned to 388th Tactical Fighter Wing

Relocated with the Wing to Hill AFB, Utah in December 1975

Redesignated 388th Equipment Maintenance Squadron June 1, 1978

Redesignated 388th Maintenance Squadron December 1, 1991 STATIONS

Clovis AFB, NM Hill AFB, UT, 23 Dec 1975

**ASSIGNMENTS** 

**COMMANDERS** 

## **HONORS**

**Service Streamers** 

# **Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers** 

**Decorations** 

**EMBLEM** 

**EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE** 

**MOTTO** 

**NICKNAME** 

#### **OPERATIONS**

The 388th Equipment Maintenance Squadron is one of 10 squadrons assigned to the 388th Fighter Wing at Hill Air Force Base, Utah. The unit maintains off equipment maintenance for 75 worldwide deployable, F-16C/Gs equipped with Low Altitude Navigation and Targeting Infrared for Night, or LANTIRN.

#### Mission

The 388th Maintenance Squadron maintains equipment maintenance for 75 worldwide deployable LANTIRN equipped aircraft. The unit supports mobility requirements in support of three aviation and one intermediate deployment packages.

#### Personnel and Resources

More than 500 personnel are assigned to the 388th Equipment Maintenance Squadron.

# Organization

The 388th Equipment Maintenance Squadron is a subordinate unit of the 388th Maintenance Group, 388th Fighter Wing, Hill Air Force Base, Utah..

## History

The squadron was activated at Clovis Air Force Base, N.M., Nov. 23, 1953. One year later, Nov. 8, 1954, the unit became the 388th Field Maintenance Squadron.

The following month, the squadron moved to Etain-Rouvres, France, where it was stationed until it was deactivated on Dec. 10, 1957. During this time, the unit was assigned under the 388th Maintenance and Supply Group.

The squadron reactivated under Tactical Air Command May 1, 1962, at McConnell Air Force Base, Kan., and remained there until it was deactivated Feb. 8, 1964.

The unit reactivated under the 388th Tactical Fighter Wing March 14, 1966, at Korat Royal

Thai Air Base, Thailand.

The squadron remained at Korat until it moved with the 388th TFW to Hill Air Force Base, Utah in December 1975.

On June 1, 1978, the unit was redesignated the 388th Equipment Maintenance Squadron. The unit changed its name Dec. 1, 1991 when it became the 388th Maintenance Squadron. The 388th Maintenance Squadron became the 388th Equipment Maintenance Squadron as its last name change August 2002.



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