4756 AIR DEFENSE WING



MISSION

Primary mission of the wing was to operate Weapons Employment Center at Tyndall AFB. Major responsibility of wing was to evaluate effectiveness of Air Defense Command Fighter-Interceptor squadrons which were required to spend one month each year undergoing evaluation exercises at Tyndall. Provided interceptor combat crew training for F-101, F-102, F-104 and F-106 aircews, interceptor weapons training; testing and evaluation of manned interceptors.

LINEAGE

4756 Air Defense Wing (Weapons) activated Jul 1957 Discontinued 1 July 1960 Activated and redesignated 4756 Air Defense Wing (Training), 1 Sep 1962 Discontinued, 1 Jan 1968

STATIONS

Tyndall AFB, FL, 1 Jul 1957-1 Jan 1968

ASSIGNMENTS

73 Air Division (Weapons) 73 Air Division, 1 Sept 1962 Fourteenth Air Force, 1 Apr 1966

WEAPON SYSTEMS

COMMANDERS

HONORS Service Streamers **Campaign Streamers**

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

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