

99th MISSION SUPPORT GROUP

MISSION

LINEAGE

99th Air Base Group established, 27 Dec 1941

Activated, 2 Jan 1942

Redesignated 99th Service Group, 14 Jul 1942

Inactivated, 10 Jul 1944

Disestablished, 10 Mar 1945

Reestablished, redesignated 99th Combat Support Group and activated, 9 Nov 1967

Organized, 2 Jan 1968

Inactivated, 31 Mar 1974

Redesignated 99th Support Group, 25 Sep 1995

Activated, 1 Oct 1995

Redesignated 99th Mission Support Group, 20 Sep 2002

STATIONS

Dale Mabry Fld, FL, 2 Jan-22 Feb 1942

Waller Fld, Trinidad, 8 Mar 1942

Edinburgh AAB, Trinidad, 15 Jul 1942

Waller Fld, Trinidad, 9 Oct 1943

Zandery Fld, Dutch Guiana, 12 Oct 1943-19 May 1944

Fresno Fairgrounds, CA, 17 Jun-10 Jul 1944

Westover AFB, MA, 2 Jan 1968-31 Mar 1974

Nellis AFB, NV, 1 Oct 1995

ASSIGNMENTS

Caribbean (later, Sixth) Air Force, 2 Jan 1942

Trinidad Area Service Command (later, Trinidad Area, VI Air Force Service Command), 8 Mar 1942

Trinidad Wing, Antilles Air Command, 1 Jun 1943

Sacramento Air Service Command, 17 Jun-10 Jul 1944

Strategic Air Command, 9 Nov 1967

99th Bombardment Wing, 2 Jan 1968-31 Mar 1974

99th Air Base Wing, 1 Oct 1995

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

World War II American Theater

Campaign Streamers

None

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

None

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Jul 1971-30 Jun 1972

1 Oct 1995-31 May 1997

1 Jun 1998-31 May 2000

1 Jun 2001-31 May 2003

1 Jun 2003-31 May 2004

EMBLEM

Group will use the wing emblem with the group designation in the scroll.

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

The Group helped set up fire stations, control towers, a weather station, post office, quartermaster systems as well as their own duties of setting up messes, motor pools, post exchanges, theaters, supply rooms, special services, base inspection, base headquarters, group headquarters, bomb dumps, guard houses, base operations and base photo labs. In effect, in the words of a former member of the Group, "we raised the base from a rice patch into a modern, tactical air field."

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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