

# 518<sup>th</sup> AIR REFUELING WING

## MISSION

### LINEAGE

68<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing constituted, 9 Aug 1943

Activated, 3 Sep 1943

Redesignated 68<sup>th</sup> Composite Wing, Dec 1943

Inactivated, 10 Oct 1945

Reconstituted and Redesignated 518<sup>th</sup> Air Refueling Wing, 31 Jul 1985

Unit remained inactive

### STATIONS

Kunming, China, 3 Sep 1943

Kweilin, China, 23 Dec 1943

Liuchow, China, 15 Sep 1944

Luliang, China, 7 Nov 1944

Peishiyi, China, 19 Sep-19 Oct 1945

### ASSIGNMENTS

Fourteenth AF

### COMMANDERS

BG Clinton D. Vincent, 23 Dec 1943

Col Clayton B. Claassen, 13 Dec 1944

LTC Frank N. Graves, 1 Aug 1945

LTC Charles C. Simpson, Jr., 10 Aug 1945

LTC Oliver H. Clayton, 22 Aug 1945

Maj Asa F. Constable, 8 Sep 1945-unkn

### HONORS

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

China Defensive  
Western Pacific  
China Offensive

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

**EMBLEM**

**MOTTO**

**NICKNAME**

**OPERATIONS**

Served in combat from Dec 1943 until Aug 1945