

## 645 BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (LIGHT)



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

645 Bombardment Squadron (Light) constituted, 16 Jun 1943

Activated, 1 Jul 1943

Inactivated, 7 Nov 1945

### STATIONS

Will Rogers Field, OK, 1 Jul 1943

Muskogee AAFld, OK, 4 Oct 1943

Laurel AAFld, MS, 9 Jan 1944

Lakeland AAFld, FL, 8 Feb-31 Mar 1944

Birch, England, 4 Apr 1944

Gosfield, England, 16 Apr 1944

Coulommiers, France, 28 Sep 1944

Juvin-court, France, 9 Feb 1945

Beaumont-sur-Oise, France, 22 May-25 Jun 1945

Seymour Johnson Field, NC, 15 Aug 1945

Myrtle Beach AAFld, SC, 5 Oct-7 Nov 1945

### ASSIGNMENTS

410 Bombardment Group, 1 Jul 1943-7 Nov 1945

### WEAPON SYSTEMS

A-20, 1944-1945

A-26, 1945

A-20B

A-20G

B-26F  
A-20K

## **COMMANDERS**

### **HONORS**

#### **Service Streamers**

None

#### **Campaign Streamers**

Air Offensive, Europe  
Normandy  
Northern France  
Rhineland  
Ardennes-Alsace  
Central Europe

#### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

#### **Decorations**

Distinguished Unit Citation  
Germany, 23-25 Dec 1944

### **EMBLEM**

On a light grayed yellow orange disc, thin border of the same, piped white, a caricatured Indian warrior proper, wearing light red trousers, yellow moccasins, red, yellow, and blue head band with one red and one yellow feather, hanging by his heels from a large white cloud formation in chief, and shooting a blue violet aerial bomb toward the base with yellow bean shooter; cloud formation supporting reserve stock of aerial bombs, one red violet, one orange, and one blue violet, (Approved, 29 Dec 1943)

### **MOTTO**

### **NICKNAME**

### **OPERATIONS**

Combat in ETO, 4 May 1944-25 Apr 1945

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#### Sources

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