

## **4<sup>th</sup> AIR RESCUE GROUP**



### **LINEAGE**

*4<sup>th</sup> Emergency Rescue Squadron constituted, 1944*  
*Activated, 22 Apr 44*  
*Redesignated 4<sup>th</sup> Rescue Squadron, 13 Mar 1948*  
*Redesignated 4<sup>th</sup> Air Rescue Squadron, 10 Aug 1950*  
*Redesignated 4<sup>th</sup> Air Rescue Group, 14 Nov 1952*  
*Inactivated, 8 Dec 1956*

### **STATIONS**

Keesler Fld, MS 1944-Jun 1944  
Kipapa Fld, HI  
Mokuleia Fld, HI  
Kobler Fld, Saipan  
Isley Fld, Saipan  
Northwest Fld, Guam  
North Field, Guam (later Andersen AFB), Guam  
Hamilton AFB, CA.

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

Eastern Technical Training Command 1944  
VI Air Service Area Command  
XXI Bomber Command  
20<sup>th</sup> Air Force  
VII Fighter Command  
20<sup>th</sup> Air Force  
Air Rescue Service

### **WEAPON SYSTEMS**

SB-17G

C-82

**ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT SERIAL NUMBERS**

SB-17G

44-83714

**ASSIGNED AIRCRAFT TAIL/BASE CODES**

**UNIT COLORS**

**COMMANDERS**

**HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

**EMBLEM**

**MOTTO**

**NICKNAME**

**OPERATIONS**

The Kansas-Missouri floods during the summer of 1951 were severe. SB-29s and SA-16s from the 4th with other United States Air Force aircraft, dropped 200 tons of food, blankets, and medical supplies to the victims.

A helicopter crew from Flight B, 4th AR Squadron, flew medical personnel to 37 villages and settlements in Costa Rica, resulting in the inoculation of 978 persons, arresting a five-month yellow fever epidemic. Sep 1951

A Flight Hamilton AFB, CA, 1949 - 1952

B Flight March AFB, CA, 1949 - 1952

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Air Force Order of Battle

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**Sources**

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