# **47 AIR RESCUE SQUADRON**

#### MISSION

The 47 Air Rescue Squadron is charged with air rescue operations over a four-state area. This unit utilizes SA-16 amphibian aircraft and H-19 helicopters in the conduct of search and rescue missions. Its mission is to assist both military and civilian personnel in distress in this area.

#### LINEAGE

47 Aerospace Rescue and Recovery Squadron 47 Air Rescue Squadron

#### **STATIONS**

Ellington AFB, TX

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

#### **WEAPON SYSTEMS**

SA-16

H-19

HH-43

### **COMMANDERS**

Maj Kenton L. Ashworth, #1956

#### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers** 

**Campaign Streamers** 

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers** 

**Decorations** 

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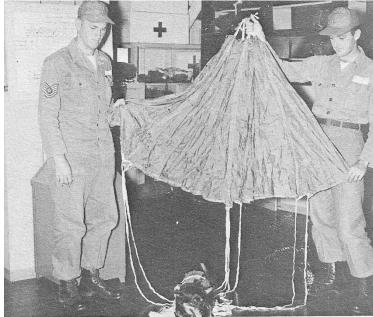
## **OPERATIONS**

47th ARRSq, Fuchu AS, Japan Det. 9 Osan AB, Korea Det. 6 Kadena AB, Okinawa









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### Sources

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