

## 55 MISSION SUPPORT SQUADRON



### MISSION

#### LINEAGE

Air Base Squadron, 65 Air Base Group (Special) constituted, 16 Aug 1940  
Activated, 1 Nov 1940  
Redesignated 55 Air Base Squadron (Special), 17 Jan 1941  
Redesignated 55 Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron, 13 Jun 1942  
Disbanded, 30 Apr 1944  
Reconstituted and redesignated 55 Mission Support Squadron, 7 Mar 1989  
Activated, 1 Apr 1989

#### STATIONS

Brooks Fld, TX, 1 Nov 1940  
Ellington Fld, TX, 15 Apr 1941-30 Apr 1944  
Offutt AFB, NE, 1 Apr 1989

#### ASSIGNMENTS

65 Air Base Group, 1 Nov 1940  
Gulf Coast AAF Training Center (later, AAF Central Flying Training Command), 27 Jun 1942-30 Apr 1944  
55 Combat Support (later, 55 Support; 55 Mission Support) Group, 1 Apr 1989

#### COMMANDERS

Maj John B. Moore, #1943

#### HONORS

##### Service Streamers

WWII American Theater

## **Campaign Streamers**

### **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

#### **Decorations**

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Apr-30 Jun 1989

1 Jul 1989-30 Jun 1991

1 Aug 1992-31 Jul 1994

1 Aug 1994-31 Jul 1995

1 Jun 1997-31 May 1999

#### **EMBLEM**

Approved, 18 Jan 1990

#### **MOTTO**

#### **OPERATIONS**

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