

97th TRANSPORT SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

97th Transport Squadron constituted, 4 Jun 1943

Activated, 22 Jun 1943

Inactivated, 4 Aug 1943

Disbanded, 1 Dec 43

STATIONS

Tezpur, Assam, India.

ASSIGNMENTS

28th Transport Group

WEAPON SYSTEMS

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

C-47 Serial # 41-38597

September 15, 1943

Pilot: Thomas Caldwell

Co-pilot: Robert Samuel

Navigator: Tipton Tate

Radio: James Vaffis

Went down from weather conditions reported by pilots the same day and over the same route (MACR # 00702-00704). Severe down drafts and heavy icing encountered while flying course 285.

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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