

# **SAN FRANCISCO FIGHTER WING**

## **LINEAGE**

San Francisco Air Defense Wing constituted, 6 Aug 1942

Activated, 20 Aug 1942

Redesignated San Francisco Fighter Wing, Jul 1943

Disbanded, 7 Jun 1944

## **STATIONS**

San Francisco, CA, 20 Aug 1942-7 Jun 1944

## **DEPLOYED STATIONS**

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

Fourth AF

## **ATTACHMENTS**

## **WEAPON SYSTEMS**

## **COMMANDERS**

LTC Ronald F. Fallows, 20 Aug 1942

Col Jesse Auton, 16 Jan 1943

LTC John R. Ulricson, 11 Apr 1943

BG Ned Schramm, 2 May 1943

Col John C. Crosthwaite, 19 Nov 1943

BG Warren R. Carter, 20 Dec 1943

Col John C. Crosthwaite, 22 Jan 1944

BG Dean C. Strother, 8 Feb 1944

Col Aaron W. Tyer, 25 Feb 1944-unkn

Col Errol H. Zistel, 1 Apr 1944

Maj Otis B. Hocker, 16 May-7 Jun 1944

## **HONORS**

### **Service Streamers**

### **Campaign Streamers**

American Theater

## **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

#### **EMBLEM**

On a bezant a hurt charged with a stylized red drawn-bow and arrow of four conventionalized feathers, points upwards, the bowstring consisting of a blue flash and a blue search light beam, within the lower arc of the ends of the bow, gold. (Approved 5 Feb 1943)

#### **EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE**

#### **MOTTO**

#### **NICKNAME**

#### **OPERATIONS**

Served in defense of the San Francisco area. Also trained fighter groups and personnel.