

# 399<sup>th</sup> ATTACK SQUADRON

## MISSION

## LINEAGE

399<sup>th</sup> Squadron (Attack) constituted, 15 Oct 1921  
Initiated, 23 Nov 1921  
Redesignated 399<sup>th</sup> Attack Squadron, 25 Jan 1923  
Disbanded, 31 May 1942

## STATIONS

New Dorp, S.I., NY, 1921-1941

## ASSIGNMENTS

303<sup>rd</sup> Attack Group

## COMMANDERS

2LT William E. Abel, 23 Nov 1921  
1LT Paul C. Durbin, 17 Jan 1922  
Unknown, May 1922  
Cpt Horace W. Mitchell, May 1923  
Unknown, Jun 1923  
Maj Gordon Reel, 15 Jul 1925  
Unknown, Nov 1926  
Cpt Malcolm G. Spooner, Dec 1927  
Cpt Ralph L. Hartman, 23 Jan 1928  
Unknown, 2 Oct 1928  
Cpt Rex F. Gilmartin, 11 Feb 1929  
Cpt William E. Du Pree, 5 Dec 1929  
Maj Edward M. Urband, 29 Mar 1930  
Cpt Vincent B. Moore, 17 Oct 1935  
Maj Herbert von Thaden, 3 Feb 1936  
Unknown, 7 Jul 1936

## **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

**EMBLEM**

**MOTTO**

**NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

Constituted in the Organized Reserve on 15 October 1921 as the 399th Squadron (Attack), assigned to the 303rd Attack Group (Fourth Army), and allotted to the Second Corps Area. Initiated on 23 November 1921 at New Dorp, S.I., NY. The squadron's aircraft and equipment was stationed at Miller Field, NY. Redesignated as the 399th Attack Squadron on 25 January 1923. Conducted summer training at Mitchel Field, NY. Designated mobilization station was Mitchel Field, NY. Assigned on 1 October 1933 to the 303rd Attack Group (GHQR).

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Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

*US Army Order of Battle 1919-1941*. Steven E. Clay. Combat Studies Institute Press. US Army Combined Arms Center. Fort Leavenworth, KS. Nd.