

# **581<sup>st</sup> COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON**

## **MISSION**

581st Communications Squadron mission was to provide secure point-to-point and ground-to-air communications with aircraft and guerrilla-type personnel.

This squadron provided the capability to maintain a 24-hour-a-day broadcasting service on four frequencies simultaneously. Unmodified jamming of enemy frequencies was an additional capability. Base station communications functions were augmented by field stations using relay systems if the distances surpassed 1,000 miles.

## **LINEAGE**

581<sup>st</sup> Communications Squadron  
Inactivated, 8 Sep 1953

## **STATIONS**

Mountain Home AFB, ID, 16 Oct 1951-26 Jun 1952  
Clark AFB, Philippines, 18 Jul 1952-7 Sep 1953

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

## **COMMANDERS**

## **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

## **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

**EMBLEM**

**MOTTO**

**NICKNAME**

**OPERATIONS**

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