

## 4200<sup>th</sup> STRATEGIC WING

Delivery of First SR-71 - On 7 January, SAC's reconnaissance force was strengthened immeasurably with the delivery of the first SR-71, "B" model trainer, Serial Number 61-7957, to the 4200th Strategic Reconnaissance Wing at Beale Air Force Base, California. Capable of flying three times the speed of sound (Mach 3) at altitudes over 80,000 feet, the SR-71 could carry a variety of photographic, radar, and infrared sensors. Manned with a crew of two, a pilot and reconnaissance systems officer, the SE-71 could survey an area of 69,09C square miles in one hour. 1966



4200 BW

4200 TW

4200 SRW

4200th Strategic Reconnaissance Wing (Beale AFB)

4200th Strategic Wing

Beale AFB, CA

SAC

1 April 1965 25 June 1966

### LINEAGE

### STATIONS

Beale AFB, CA, 1 Apr 1965-25 Jun 1966

### ASSIGNMENTS

## **COMMANDERS**

### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

### **EMBLEM**

**EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE**

**MOTTO**

**NICKNAME**

**OPERATIONS**

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