

51st TROOP CARRIER WING

MISSION

LINEAGE

51st Transport Wing constituted, 30 May 1942
Activated, 1 Jun 1942
Redesignated 51st Troop Carrier Wing, Jul 1942
Inactivated, Jan 1948

STATIONS

Pope Field, NC, 1 Jun-19 Jul 1942
Greenham Common, England, Sep-Nov 1942
Algiers, Algeria, 23 Nov 1942
La Senia, Algeria, 28 Mar 1943
Mascara, Algeria, 13 May 1943
Goubrine, Tunisia, 24 Jun 1943
Gela, Sicily, 29 Aug 1943
Catania, Sicily, 29 Sep 1943
Lido di Roma, Italy, 29 Jun 1944
Siena, Italy, 8 Jan 1945
Wiesbaden, Germany, Sep 1945-5 Jan 1948

ASSIGNMENTS

Twelfth AF
United States Air Forces in Europe

COMMANDERS

Col Russell L. Maughan, 1 Jun 1942
Col Paul L. Williams, 20 Oct 1942
Col Ralph B. Bagby, 22 Jan 1943
Col Ray A. Dunn, 22 Feb 1943
Col Samuel J. Davis, 26 Mar 1943
BG Ray A. Dunn, 22 May 1943
BG George H. Beverley, 28 Sep 1943

BG Timothy J. Manning, 20 Mar 1944
LTC Paul A. Jones, 3 Jun-Aug 1945
BG Lucas V. Beau, Sep 1945
BG James F. Powell, 13 Aug 1947-5 Jan 1948

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Air Combat, FAME Theater
Algeria-French Morocco
Tunisia
Sicily
Naples-Foggia
Rome-Arno
Southern France
North Apennines
Po Valley

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

Arrived in England in Sep 1942 and trained for the, invasion of North Africa.

Air Force Order of Battle
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Sources

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