



United States Air Force **Lineage and Honors History**

3 Airlift Squadron (AMC)

Lineage. Constituted as 3 Air Corps Ferrying Squadron on 18 Feb 1942. Activated on 7 Mar 1942. Redesignated as 3 Transport Squadron on 24 Mar 1943. Disbanded on 1 Dec 1943.

Reconstituted, and redesignated as 3 Air Transport Squadron, Heavy, on 20 Jun 1952.

Activated on 20 Jul 1952. Redesignated as: 3 Military Airlift Squadron on 8 Jan 1966; 3 Airlift Squadron on 1 Dec 1991.

Assignments. 1 Ferrying (later, Transport) Group, 7 Mar 1942-1 Dec 1943. 1703 Air Transport Group, 20 Jul 1952; 1700 Air Transport Group, 18 Jun 1957; 1608 Air Transport Wing, 24 Nov 1957; 1608 Air Transport Group, 18 Jun 1958; 1608 Air Transport Wing, 18 Jan 1963; 437 Military Airlift Wing, 8 Jan 1966; 436 Military Airlift Wing, 1 Aug 1973; 436 Operations Group, 1 Dec 1991-.

Stations. Pope Field, NC, 7 Mar 1942; Charleston, SC, 17-19 Mar 1942; Karachi, India, 15 May 1942; New Malir Cantonment, India, 17 May 1942; Chabua, India, 1 Aug 1942-1 Dec 1943. Brookley AFB, AL, 20 Jul 1952; Charleston AFB, SC, 18 Jun 1958; Dover AFB, DE, 1 Aug 1973-.

Service Streamers. Global War on Terrorism-Service (GWOT-S).

Campaign Streamers. *World War II:* India-Burma; China Defensive. *Southwest Asia:* Defense of Saudi Arabia; Liberation and Defense of Kuwait.

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers. None.

Decorations. Meritorious Unit Award: 1 Jan-31 Dec 2012. Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards: 1 Jan 1963-1 Feb 1964; 11 Jul 1966-10 Jul 1967; 11 Jul 1967-10 Jul 1968; 11 Jul 1968-12 Jun 1969; 13 Jun 1969-12 Jun 1970; 1 Jul 1972-30 Jun 1973; 13 Oct-14 Nov 1973; 1 Jan 1974-30 Apr 1975; 1 May 1975-31 May 1976; 1 Jun 1976-31 May 1978; 1 Jun 1978-31 May 1979; 1 Jun 1981-31 May 1982; 1 Jun 1982-31 May 1984; 1 Aug 1992-31 Jul 1994; 1 Jul 1997-30 Jun 1999; 1 Jul 2000-30 Jun 2001; 1 Jul 2001-30 Jun 2002; 1 Jul 2002-30 Jun 2003; 1 Jul 2003-30 Jun 2004; 1 Jul 2004-30 Jun 2005; 1 Sep 2007-31 Aug 2009; 1 Jan-31 Dec 2010; 1 Jan-31 Dec 2011; 1 Jan 2013-30 Sep 2014; 1 Oct 2015-30 Sep 2017; 1 Oct 2017-30 Sep 2019; 1 Oct 2019-30 Sep 2020; 1 Oct 2020-30 Sep 2021. Republic of Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Palm: 1 Apr 1966-28 Jan 1970.

Lineage, Assignments, Stations, and Honors through 1 Nov 2023.

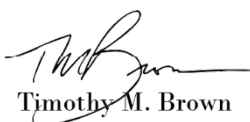
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Emblem. Approved on 31 Jul 1959; latest rendering, 25 May 2007.

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