

# United States Marine Corps



## LINEAGE OF

MARINE TACTICAL AIR COMMAND SQUADRON 18

1967 – 2014

ACTIVATED 1 SEPTEMBER 1967 AT DA NANG, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM,  
AS HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON 18, MARINE AIR CONTROL GROUP 18,  
1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN VIETNAM, SEPTEMBER 1967 – APRIL 1971,  
OPERATING FROM

DA NANG

RELOCATED DURING APRIL 1971 TO IWAKUNI, JAPAN

RELOCATED DURING SEPTEMBER 1975 TO FUTENMA, OKINAWA, JAPAN

REDESIGNATED 1 MAY 1993 AS MARINE TACTICAL AIR COMMAND SQUADRON 18

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION NOBLE EAGLE, GUAM,  
SEPTEMBER 2001 – JUNE 2002

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN,  
APRIL 2002 – JUNE 2003

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION UNIFIED ASSISTANCE, IN RESPONSE TO TSUNAMI DISASTER,  
JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2004

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION SEA ANGEL II, BANGLADESH,  
IN RESPONSE TO CYCLONE SIDR, NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 2007

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION CARING RESPONSE, THAILAND,  
IN RESPONSE TO CYCLONE NARGIS, MAY 2008

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION TOMODACHI, JAPAN,  
IN RESPONSE TO TSUNAMI AND NUCLEAR DISASTER,  
MARCH-APRIL 2011

3 JULY 2015

DATE

COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS

# Quintin Stutz Manning Currys



## HONORS

### AWARDED

MARINE TACTICAL AIR COMMAND SQUADRON 18

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER

VIETNAM  
1967

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

VIETNAM  
1967 – 1968  
2001 – 2003

MERITORIOUS UNIT STREAMER WITH FOUR BRONZE STARS

1982 – 1984  
1985 – 1987  
1997 – 1999  
2000 – 2002  
2008 – 2010

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

VIETNAM SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER STARS

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER

VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM STREAMER

VIETNAM MERITORIOUS UNIT CITATION CIVIL ACTIONS STREAMER

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