

United States Marine Corps



LINEAGE OF

5TH BATTALION, 10TH MARINES

1941 – 1945

ACTIVATED 1 JANUARY 1941 AT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, AS 3D BATTALION, 10TH MARINES,
2D MARINE BRIGADE, FLEET MARINE FORCE

REDESIGNATED 1 FEBRUARY 1941 AS 3D BATTALION, 10TH MARINES, 2D MARINE DIVISION,
FLEET MARINE FORCE

ATTACHED 1 JUNE 1942 AT SAN DIEGO TO 2D MARINES, REINFORCED, 2D MARINE DIVISION,
FLEET MARINE FORCE

DEPLOYED DURING JULY 1942 TO KORO ISLAND FOR DUTY WITH AMPHIBIOUS FORCES,
SOUTH PACIFIC

PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING WORLD WAR II CAMPAIGNS

GUADALCANAL
TARAWA
SAIPAN
GUAM
IWO JIMA

REDESIGNATED 1 MARCH 1944 AS 5TH BATTALION, 10TH MARINES,
2D MARINE DIVISION, FLEET MARINE FORCE

REDESIGNATED 16 APRIL 1944 AS 2D 155MM ARTILLERY BATTALION (HOWITZER),
CORPS ARTILLERY, V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS AND TEMPORARILY ATTACHED TO
10TH MARINES, 2D MARINE DIVISION

REDESIGNATED 12 JUNE 1944 AS 2D 155 HOWITZER BATTALION, CORPS ARTILLERY,
V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS

TEMPORARILY ATTACHED FROM JULY-SEPTEMBER 1944 TO III AMPHIBIOUS CORPS ARTILLERY

ATTACHED 21 OCTOBER 1944 TO 1ST PROVISIONAL FIELD ARTILLERY GROUP,
CORPS ARTILLERY, V AMPHIBIOUS CORPS

REDESIGNATED 18 NOVEMBER 1944 AS 2D 155MM HOWITZER BATTALION,
1ST PROVISIONAL FIELD ARTILLERY GROUP,
FLEET MARINE FORCE, PACIFIC

DEACTIVATED 6 MAY 1945

Quintus S. Stutzs Major Company



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AWARDED

5TH BATTALION, 10TH MARINES

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

WORLD WAR II
GUADALCANAL - 1942
TARAWA - 1943

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

WORLD WAR II
IWO JIMA - 1945
SOUTHWEST ASIA
1990 - 1991

AMERICAN DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER

ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE SILVER AND ONE BRONZE STAR

WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER

SOUTHWEST ASIA SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

AFGHANISTAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER

GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER

21 SEPTEMBER 2010

DATE


COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS