

LINEAGE

OF

MARINE ATTACK SQUADRON 513

1944 - 1945

ACTIVATED 15 FEBRUARY 1944 AT OAK GROVE, NORTH CAROLINA, AS MARINE FIGHTING SQUADRON 513
AND ASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 51, 3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

REASSIGNED DURING APRIL 1944 TO 9TH MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

REASSIGNED DURING AUGUST 1944 TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 92

RELOCATED DURING SEPTEMBER 1944 TO WALNUT RIDGE, ARKANSAS

RELOCATED DURING DECEMBER 1944 TO MOJAVE, CALIFORNIA

PARTICIPATED IN TRAINING FOR CARRIER DUTY ON BOARD THE USS RANGER, JANUARY-MAY 1945

EMBARKED ON BOARD THE USS VELLA GULF IN JULY 1945 AND SAILED FOR THE SOUTH PACIFIC

PARTICIPATED IN THE OCCUPATION OF JAPAN, SEPTEMBER 1945

RELOCATED DURING OCTOBER 1945 TO SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIR SUPPORT GROUP 1

1946 - 1949

DEPLOYED DURING MAY-AUGUST 1946 ON BOARD THE USS SAIDOR AND SAILED FOR THE SOUTH PACIFIC

RELOCATED DURING AUGUST 1946 TO EL TORO, CALIFORNIA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 12

REDESIGNATED 1 AUGUST 1947 AS MARINE NIGHT FIGHTER SQUADRON 513

DETACHED DURING SEPTEMBER 1947 FROM MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 12

ASSIGNED DURING OCTOBER 1947 TO 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

ASSIGNED DURING APRIL 1948 TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 12

REDESIGNATED 18 OCTOBER 1948 AS MARINE ALL WEATHER FIGHTER SQUADRON 513

1950 - 1957

DEPLOYED DURING JULY-AUGUST 1950 TO ITAMI AIR BASE, JAPAN

PARTICIPATED IN THE KOREAN WAR, AUGUST 1950 – JULY 1953, OPERATING FROM

PUSAN PERIMETER
INCHON-SEOUL
CHOSIN RESERVOIR
EAST-CENTRAL FRONT
WESTERN FRONT

PARTICIPATED IN THE OCCUPATION OF THE KOREAN DEMILITARIZED ZONE, JULY 1953 – APRIL 1955
REDEPLOYED DURING APRIL 1955 TO ATSUGI, JAPAN, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 11

1958 - 1964

RELOCATED DURING JULY 1958 TO EL TORO, CALIFORNIA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 15, 3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

DEPLOYED DURING OCTOBER-NOVEMBER 1961 TO ATSUGI, JAPAN, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 11, 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

RELOCATED DURING NOVEMBER 1962 TO EL TORO, CALIFORNIA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 15, 3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

REDESIGNATED 1 AUGUST 1963 AS MARINE FIGHTER ATTACK SQUADRON 513

DEPLOYED DURING OCTOBER 1964 TO ATSUGI, JAPAN, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 11, 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

1965 – 1986

REDEPLOYED DURING JUNE 1965 TO DA NANG, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM

PARTICIPATED IN THE WAR IN VIETNAM, JUNE-OCTOBER 1965, OPERATING FROM

DA NANG

RELOCATED DURING OCTOBER 1965 TO CHERRY POINT, NORTH CAROLINA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 24, 2D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

REASSIGNED DURING FEBRUARY 1968 TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 14

REDESIGNATED 30 JUNE 1970 AS MARINE ATTACK SQUADRON 513

RELOCATED DURING OCTOBER 1970 TO BEAUFORT, SOUTH CAROLINA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 32

DEPLOYED DURING JULY 1974 TO IWAKUNI, JAPAN, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE AIRCRAFT GROUP 12, 1ST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

RELOCATED DURING NOVEMBER 1976 TO YUMA, ARIZONA, AND REASSIGNED TO MARINE COMBAT CREW READINESS TRAINING GROUP 10, 3D MARINE AIRCRAFT WING

1987 - 2009

DETACHED DURING JUNE 1987 FROM MARINE COMBAT CREW READINESS TRAINING GROUP 10

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATIONS DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM, SOUTHWEST ASIA, AUGUST 1990 – APRIL 1991

ELEMENT PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION SEA ANGEL, BANGLADESH, MAY-JUNE 1991

ELEMENT PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION SOUTHERN WATCH, IRAQ, MARCH-SEPTEMBER 1997

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, AFGHANISTAN, OCTOBER 2002 - SEPTEMBER 2003

ELEMENTS PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, AUGUST 2003 – MARCH 2004 AND MARCH-MAY 2005

ELEMENT PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION UNIFIED ASSISTANCE, SUMATRA, IN RESPONSE TO TSUNAMI DISASTER, JANUARY 2005

PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, IRAQ, FEBRUARY-SEPTEMBER 2006

ELEMENT PARTICIPATED IN OPERATION CARING RESPONSE, MYANMAR, MAY 2008

COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS

Status Illautiue Course

AWARDED

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MARINE ATTACK SQUADRON 513

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS

KOREA

1950

1950

1951

VIETNAM

1965

PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION (ARMY) STREAMER

KOREA

1950

NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH ONE SILVER STAR

KOREA

1952 - 1953

VIETNAM

1965

SOUTHWEST ASIA

1990 - 1991

1999 – 2000

AFGHANISTAN

2002 - 2003

IRAQ

2006

MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS

1984 – 1987

1991

1994 – 1995

AMERICAN CAMPAIGN STREAMER ASIATIC-PACIFIC CAMPAIGN STREAMER WORLD WAR II VICTORY STREAMER NAVY OCCUPATION SERVICE STREAMER WITH "ASIA" NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE STREAMER WITH THREE BRONZE STARS KOREAN SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO SILVER STARS VIETNAM SERVICE STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR SOUTHWEST ASIA SERVICE STREAMER WITH TWO BRONZE STARS IRAQ CAMPAIGN STREAMER WITH ONE BRONZE STAR GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPEDITIONARY STREAMER GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE STREAMER KOREAN PRESIDENTIAL UNIT CITATION STREAMER

VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM STREAMER

COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS