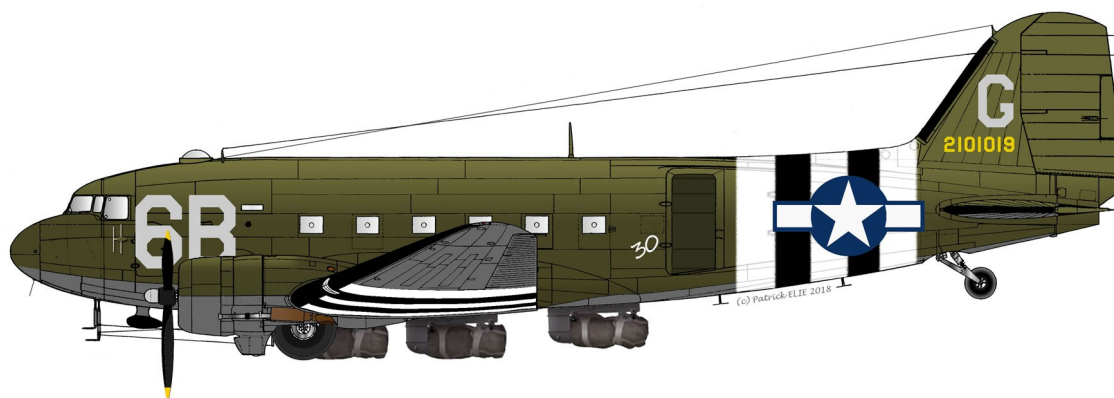


DOUGLAS C-47A-75-DL s/n #42-101019







Mission Albany - 441st TCG - 100th TCS - Chalk #30 – Serial #14



Take off : 23:42 BDST from Merryfield (Station 464), Somerset.
 Time over DZ : 01:31 BDST over DZ 'D'
 Shot down by German Flak – Crashed South-East of Carentan, killing 4 aboard.

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Aircrew :

<p>Capt. John B. McCUE O-364992</p> <p>Dellslow - West Virginia Birth : December 19, 1916</p>		<p>Pilot Killed in Action – AM, PH</p> <p>Colleville sur Mer F-11-25</p>
<p>2nd Lt. Ernest E. WHEELER O-811161</p> <p>Calhoun – Kentucky Birth : January 26, 1921</p>		<p>Co-Pilot Killed in Action – AM, PH</p> <p>Calhoun Cem. Calhoun KY</p>
<p>S/Sgt. Archer B. HUGHES 35681083</p> <p>Cincinnati – Ohio Birth : October 24, 1918</p>		<p>Crew Chief Killed in Action – AM, PH</p> <p>Cedar Grove Cem. Bevis OH</p>
<p>Sgt. James A. FREDA 15324398</p> <p>Canton – Ohio Birth : March 5, 1923</p>		<p>Radio Operator Killed in Action – AM, PH</p> <p>Saint Peters Cem. Canton OH</p>



Paratroopers aboard Douglas C-47 #42-101019

C Co. - 326th Airborne Engineer Battalion - 101st A/B Division

Rank	Name	Status
2 nd Lt.	Howard L. HUGGETT O-1107495 – Illinois	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Sgt.	Harry E. ELMORE 39387016 – Oregon	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Sgt.	Richard J. RUTKOSKI 20301713 - Pennsylvania	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Tec/5	William J. MURPHY 12079151 – New York	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Tec/5	John PRELOH, Jr 33016323 - Pennsylvania	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pfc.	Richard J. BLEILER 33022405 – Pennsylvania	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pfc.	Frank J. DRZAL 33016851 - Pennsylvania	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pfc.	George RICHKO 13067698 – Pennsylvania	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pfc.	Gordon E. VAN HORN 33563284 - Georgia	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pfc.	Henry A. SALVASTION 32789978 – New York	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pvt.	Julius A. HOLIN 16064784 - Michigan	Killed in Action Private Cem. MI
Pvt.	Eugene KOBIERECKI 16036175 – Illinois	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pvt.	Joseph W. LEDIGER - medic 12019440 – New York	Jumped
Pvt.	Edward J. NAMOWICZ 16036033 - Illinois	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6
Pvt.	Louis V. SYLVESTER 36209804 - Wisconsin	Jumped Prisoner of War June 6