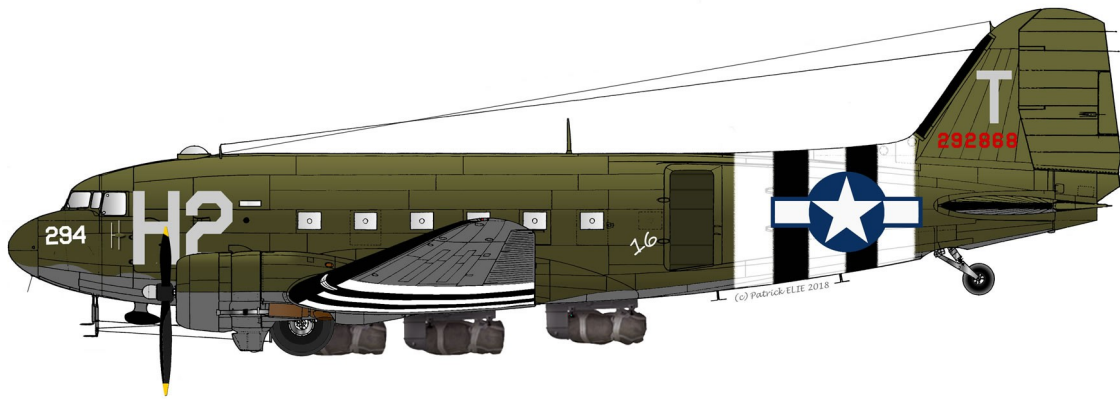


# DOUGLAS C-47A-15-DK s/n #42-92868





**Mission Boston - 313<sup>th</sup> TCG - 49<sup>th</sup> TCS - Chalk #16 – Serial #22**



Take off : 23:10 BDST from Folkingham (Station 484), Lincolnshire  
 Time over DZ : 02:20 BDST over DZ 'N'  
 Hit by German Flak – Crashed in the Channel, killing 5 aboard.

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## Aircrew :

<p>1<sup>st</sup> Lt. William R. <b>ROYCRAFT</b>                      O-729243</p> <p>Mankato - Minnesota                      Birth : September 30, 1915</p>		<p>Pilot                      Killed in Action – AM &amp; 2 OLC, PH</p> <p>Colleville sur Mer F-6-13</p>
<p>1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Robert F. <b>SHIPLEY</b>                      O-669624</p> <p>Saint Louis - Missouri                      Birth : October 31, 1918</p>		<p>Co-Pilot                      Killed in Action – AM &amp; 2 OLC, PH</p> <p>Colleville sur Mer A-2-21</p>
<p>2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Walter R. <b>ROMNEY</b>                      O-807313</p> <p>Holyoke – Massachusetts                      Birth : March 12, 1917</p>		<p>Navigator                      Killed in Action – AM, PH</p> <p>Colleville sur Mer D-5-34</p>
<p>T/Sgt. Martin R. <b>SCHUMACHER</b>                      16037695</p> <p>Elgin - Illinois                      Birth : March 15, 1917</p>		<p>Crew Chief                      Killed in Action – AM &amp; 1 OLC, PH</p> <p>Dundee Township Cem. Dundee IL</p>
<p>Sgt. Roy W. <b>GEYER</b>                      36351713</p> <p>Chicago – Illinois                      Birth : October 28, 1916</p>		<p>Radio Operator                      Missing in Action – AM &amp; 2 OLC</p> <p>Colleville sur Mer Tablets of the Missing</p>



## Paratroopers aboard Douglas C-47 #42-92868

A Co. - 508<sup>th</sup> Parachute Infantry Regiment - 82<sup>nd</sup> A/B Division

Rank	Name	Status
1 <sup>st</sup> Lt.	George D. LAMM O-1287020 - Massachusetts	Jumped
Sgt.	George W. CLEMENT III 12152389 – New York	Jumped
Cpl.	Harry K. DAVIS 15323102 – West Virginia	Jumped Wounded in Action June 8
Pfc.	Edward A. ADELMAN 14133639 - Tennessee	Jumped Wounded in Action June 6
Pfc.	Robert E. GIBSON 34404199 - Florida	Jumped Wounded in Action July 2
Pfc.	George LAPSO 13084701 - Pennsylvania	Jumped Wounded in Action June 6
Pfc.	Rigoberto LEDESMA 39249511 - California	Jumped
Pfc.	Miles B. McPHERSON 11096173 – Connecticut	Jumped
Pfc.	Bruno S. PREZTOS 33327516 - Pennsylvania	Jumped Wounded in Action June 17
Pfc.	James S. PUTT 13125652 - Pennsylvania	Jumped Seriously Injured in Action June 8, Evacuated
Pfc.	Vernon F. STORK 17131632 – Iowa	Jumped
Pvt.	Dominic BERNARDI 33423479 – Pennsylvania	Jumped Wounded in Action June 8
Pvt.	Howard H. GOUGE 34404169 – Florida	Jumped
Pvt.	Earl L. GROH 32733627 – New York	Jumped
Pvt.	Stanley KASS – HQ Co. 12159731 – New York	Jumped
Pvt.	Marvin MARSH – HQ Co. 15100939 - Indiana	Jumped Wounded in Action July 4