

455th Bomb Group – Field Orders, F0# 143, Regensburg/Winterhafen, Germany 10/23/44

Red
 741st BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H) (LF)
 435th BOMBARDMENT GROUP (H) (LF)
 A.P.O. No. 520 U. S. ARMY

23 OCTOBER 1944
 (DATE)

LOADING LIST

A/C NUMBER 790 DESTINATION _____ T/O _____

PILOT	LT. KAFKA -	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. GOBLE
CO-PILOT	LT. FEURRIEGEL -	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. HUBER
NAVIGATOR	LT. EVANS & BARALT -	WAIST LEFT	SGT. VESTAL
BOMBARDIER	LT. KUJAWA -	BALL TUR GNR	SGT.
RADIO	SGT. MCMULLEN	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. CHAPOOTIAN

A/C NUMBER 397 DESTINATION _____ T/O _____

PILOT	LT. SHAFFER -	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. WRIGHT
CO-PILOT	LT. PAINTER -	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. MCBRYDE
NAVIGATOR	LT. PETERS -	WAIST LEFT	SGT. CONFER
BOMBARDIER	LT. WALSH - J.E	BALL TUR GNR	SGT. WELFBY
RADIO	SGT. OSSA	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. HARGADINE

A/C NUMBER 435 DESTINATION _____ T/O _____

PILOT	LT. BONE -	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. BISINELLA
CO-PILOT	LT. JOSEY -	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. STESLOW
NAVIGATOR	LT. BATCHELDER -	WAIST LEFT	SGT. SKARZENSKI
BOMBARDIER	LT. KERR -	BALL TUR GNR	SGT. KIERNAN
RADIO	SGT. MABLORY	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. MONTGOMERY

A/C NUMBER 088 DESTINATION _____ T/O _____

PILOT	LT. WEIDNER -	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. FRISBY
CO-PILOT	LT. PINKLEY -	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. PETERS
NAVIGATOR	LT. HICKS -	WAIST LEFT	SGT. GLASER
BOMBARDIER	LT. NOBISH -	BALL TUR GNR	SGT. SKROBACK
RADIO	SGT. CLARK	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. CRAVEN
			FOTO. SGT. BARAULT

A/C NUMBER 754 DESTINATION _____ T/O _____

PILOT	LT. GROSSER -	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. BUNDY
CO-PILOT	LT. MORGAN -	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. CLARK
NAVIGATOR	LT. GIRARD -	WAIST LEFT	SGT. ANDERSON
BOMBARDIER	LT. WALSH - J.R.	BALL TUR GNR	SGT. ARMSTRONG
RADIO	SGT. STOSHBUSCH	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. HANKINS

A/C NUMBER 644 DESTINATION _____ T/O _____

PILOT	LT. DEVEE -	TOP TUR GNR	SGT. TAYLOR
CO-PILOT	LT. DOLINSKY -	WAIST RIGHT	SGT. HIMMELFARD
NAVIGATOR	LT. KNAPP -	WAIST LEFT	SGT. RYDER
BOMBARDIER	LT. THATCHER -	BALL TUR GNR	SGT. MCCARTER
RADIO	SGT. LEWIS	TAIL TUR GNR	SGT. FORGIONE

BRIEFING OUTLINE

1. No. of Acft on Mission..... 28 B-24s.
2. Group Leader..... Lt. Col. HARP.
3. Deputy Group Leader..... Capt. GRIFFIN.
4. "B" Box leader..... Lt. KAFKA.
5. "C" Box Leader..... Lt. ZDUNCZYK.
6. "D" Box Leader..... Lt. ZANE.
7. Fighter Escort..... 332nd Fighter Group.
8. Bomb load and Fuzing..... 500# CPs with .1 sec. N & .01 sec. T fuzing.
9. Ammunition Carried..... 4200 rounds of 50 cal.
10. Gas and Oil load..... 2700 gals of gas with full oil service.
11. Time at stations..... 08:05A.
12. Take-off Instructions..... Taxi to south end of field at 0815A for take-off to North at 08:20A.

ORDER OF TAKE-OFF

"A" Box	"B" Box	"C" Box	"D" Box
131	790	360	419
760	644	105	762
414	088	935	055
295	754	636	267
866	435	775	395
873	397	057	583

13. Bomber Rendezvous..... 1st C. Wg. (456 - 455) at STORNARA at 4000 feet at 09:06A.
 2nd C. Wg. (459 - 454) at GIULIA at 5000 feet at 09:08A.
14. Route Out..... Base to TP (41°50N, 16°20E) to KP CADRIE (45°36N, 12°53E) to TP PORDENONE (45°57N, 12°39E) to TP UBERSSEE (47°49N, 12°29E) to TP REGEN (48°59N, 13°07E) to IP to Target.
15. Initial Point..... CHAM (49°13N, 12°29E).
16. Axis of Attack..... 245° Mag.
17. Target Time..... 12:22A.
18. Direction of Rally..... Left to Rally point MOOSEBURG (48°28N, 11°57E).
19. Bombardier's Data..... Bombing Altitude 24,000 ft. Intervalometer setting minimum. Target elevation 1069 feet. Box leaders sight for range and deflection, all others toggle on leaders.
20. Route back..... Rally point to UBERSSEE and reciprocal of route out to Key Point to Base.
21. E.T.R. 14:55A

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APO 520 U.S. ARMY

23 OCTOBER 1944

SUBJECT: CREWS COMPLETING MISSION ON 23 OCTOBER 1944 (RED FORCE)
TO : OPERATIONS OFFICER, 455TH BOMB GP (H)

SHIP 360

P LT ZDUNCZYK -
CP LT LICHTMAN -
N LT WORSTER -
B LT WEIGER -
SHRADER
MCCARTIN
CADENBACH
LUTY
ROBERTSON
CURIO

SHIP 636

P LT NALER -
CP LT LAUR -
N LT DONELAN -
B LT DRUMMOND -
BEHN
ROSA
MURRAY
HOEY
THEODORE
LIDDLE

SHIP 105

LT GROSHART -
LT FITTER -
LT HALEY -
LT WACHS -
BIRCHARD
RUMBAUGH
JOHNS
CHAPMAN
NELSON, I.
OLSZEWSKI
LERNER (F)

SHIP 057

LT HART -
LT VANDER VAN -
LT RUBINS -
LT SMITH -
DEMALINE
DAWSON
GILMAN
KILBANE
FISHER, C.
KIESECKER

SHIP 935

LT CLEAR -
LT UNDERWOOD -
LT BECKMAN -
LT HEIGHTON -
REINL
RAIMONDI
FRIEND
HANDY
JOHNSON, E.
TOLBERT

SHIP 775

LT HOGAN -
LT FAHEY -
LT AGATHON -
LT TOLLMAN -
MORRIS
CROSBY
DELANEY
FOX
FREEMAN
HOSTETTER

TIME _____

TARGET _____

RICHARD A. GOISLINE,
CAPTAIN, AIR CORPS,
OPERATIONS OFFICER.

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RED FORCE

743RD BOMBARDMENT SQUADRON (H)
Office of the Operations Officer
APO 520

COMBAT MISSION NO. 138

DATE 23 October 1944.

A/C NO. 419
P ZANE, W. R. - ^{FINITO} LT.
CP SHUMARD, J. W. - LT.
N SHAW, A. B. - ^{FINITO} LT.
B PHILLIPS, J. R. - LT.
E Wieland, R. E. - Sgt.
R Sicilian, L. J. - Sgt.
AE Wilson, W. W. - Sgt.
AR Smith, C. K. - Sgt.
AG Bathe, J. C. - Sgt.
AG Turner, J. C. - Sgt.
N. PEDERSON, R. J. - LT.

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MELTON, D. L. - LT.
HUNTER, J. E. - LT.
McCORMICK, J. E. - LT.
KERMES, R. J. - LT.
Cook, A. M. - Sgt.
Spors, A. A. - Sgt.
Walker, W. L. - Sgt.
Roberts, E. B. - Sgt.
Carvara, J. - Sgt.
Dewitt, R. J. - Sgt.

A/C NO. 055
JENSEN, G. A. - LT.
RASMUSSEN, R. ^{FINITO} LT.
KALAJIAN, J. - LT.
COSTA, A. J. - LT.
Ryan, E. F. - Sgt.
Carey, J. J. - Sgt.
Fedewa, J. A. - Sgt.
D'Andria, E. F. - Sgt.
Harper, M. D. - Sgt.
Walsh, J. R. - Sgt.

A/C NO. 583
P SWEARINGEN, T. M. - LT.
CP METZ, D. J. - LT.
N BARR, C. A. - LT.
B ZAGORIA, H. M. - LT.
E Murray, J. C. - Sgt.
R Middleton, H. N. - Sgt.
AE Godstree, J. L. - Sgt.
AR Roegner, K. D. - Sgt.
AG Specht, E. J. - Sgt.
AG Renner, D. L. - Sgt.
PHOTO Shaw, T. G. - Sgt.

A/C NO. 267
RAWLS, J. W. - LT.
FROST, H. - LT.
REDDY, J. - LT.
BERMAN, H. - LT.
Betti, L. J. - Sgt.
Bloom, B. - Sgt.
Garland, W. - Sgt.
Delgallo, A. - Sgt.
Boudqusquie, I. E. - Sgt.
Allen, J. T. - Sgt.

A/C NO. 762
ZIMMERMAN, W. H. - LT.
McHUGH, C. S. - LT.
SMITH, L. T. - LT.
BROWN, J. G. - LT.
Werfel, M. - Sgt.
Reed, C. R. - Sgt.
Hillard, R. M. - Sgt.
Metzdorff, R. M. - Sgt.
Skagenburg, R. C. - Sgt.
McLendon, W. D. - Sgt.
Gould, J. D. - Sgt.

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