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AIR MEDAL AND OAK-LEAF CLUSTERS

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942), an Air Medal and Bronze Oak-Leaf Clusters are awarded by the Commanding General, Thirteenth Air Force, to the following named enlisted man:

1. AIR MEDAL.

✓ Technical Sergeant ELBERT C. HARMON, (18005164), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 4 June 1943 to 11 September 1943. Home address: Mrs. E. C. Harmon (Wife), 1014 W. Presido St. Fort Worth, Tex.

2. OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

✓ Technical Sergeant ELBERT C. HARMON, (18005164), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 12 September 1943 to 18 November 1943. Home address: Mrs. E. C. Harmon (Wife), 1014 W. Presido St., Fort Worth, Tex.

3. SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

✓ Technical Sergeant ELBERT C. HARMON, (18005164), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 19 November 1943 to 20 April 1944. Home address: Mrs. E. C. Harmon (Wife), 1014 W. Presido St., Fort Worth, Tex.

4. THIRD OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

✓ Technical Sergeant ELBERT C. HARMON, (18005164), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 21 April 1944 to 12 June 1944. Home address: Mrs. E. C. Harmon (Wife), 1014 W. Presido St., Fort Worth, Tex.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the South Pacific area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These flights involved flying at low altitudes over mountainous terrain under adverse weather conditions in an unarmed transport airplane and often necessitated landing within a few miles of enemy bases. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

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1. AIR MEDAL.

✓ Staff Sergeant TOM McDANIEL, (38114797), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 10 July 1943 to 2 February 1944. Home address: Mrs. T. J. McDaniel (Mother), 1006 Avenue C, Del Rio, Tex.

2. OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

✓ Staff Sergeant TOM McDANIEL, (38114797), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 5 February 1944 to 28 April 1944. Home address: Mrs. T. J. McDaniel (Mother), 1006 Avenue C, Del Rio, Tex.

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3. SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

✓ Staff Sergeant TOM McDANIEL, (38114797), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 29 April 1944 to 27 May 1944. Home address: Mrs. T. J. McDaniel (Mother), 1006 Avenue C, Del Rio, Tex.

The citation is as follows:

For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the South Pacific area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These flights involved flying at low altitudes over mountainous terrain under adverse weather conditions in an unarmed transport airplane and often necessitated landing within a few miles of enemy bases. The courage and devotion to duty displayed during these flights are worthy of commendation.

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1. AIR MEDAL.

✓ Staff Sergeant JOSEPH K. POWER, (14141974), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 11 July 1943 to 11 October 1943. Home address: Mrs. J. A. Power (Mother), 301 North St., Talladeoa, Ala.

2. OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

✓ Staff Sergeant JOSEPH K. POWER, (14141974), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 16 October 1943 to 21 December 1943. Home address: Mrs. J. A. Power (Mother), 301 North St., Talladeoa, Ala.

3. SECOND OAK-LEAF CLUSTER.

✓ Staff Sergeant JOSEPH K. POWER, (14141974), Air Corps, United States Army. For operational flight missions from 31 December 1943 to 11 May 1944. Home address: Mrs. J. A. Power (Mother), 301 North St., Talladeoa, Ala.

The citation is as follows:

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Major General, U. S. Army,
Commanding.

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