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# 5th SQUADRON, 7th CAVALRY REGIMENT (GARRY OWEN)

Constituted 28 July 1866 in the Regular Army as Company E, 7th Cavalry

Organized 22 December 1866 at Fort Riley, Kansas

(Cavalry companies officially designated as troops in 1883)

(7th Cavalry assigned in December 1917 to the 15th Cavalry Division; relieved in May 1918 from assignment to the 15th Cavalry Division; assigned 13 September 1921 to the 1st Cavalry Division; dismounted 28 February 1943 and reorganized 4 December 1943 partly under cavalry and partly under infantry tables of organization; reorganized wholly as infantry 20 July 1945 but retained cavalry designations)

Redesignated 25 March 1949 as Company E, 7th Cavalry

(7th Cavalry relieved 15 October 1957 from assignment to the 1st Cavalry Division)

Inactivated 1 November 1957 in Japan; concurrently redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 5th Reconnaissance Squadron, 7th Cavalry

Redesignated 26 March 1966 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 5th Battalion, 7th Cavalry, and assigned to the 1st Cavalry Division (organic elements concurrently constituted)

Activated 1 April 1966 at Fort Carson, Colorado

Inactivated 29 March 1971 at Fort Lewis, Washington

Activated 21 September 1975 at Fort Hood, Texas

### 5th SQUADRON, 7th CAVALRY REGIMENT (GARRY OWEN)

Relieved 30 September 1978 from assignment to the 1st Cavalry Division and inactivated at Fort Hood, Texas

Redesignated 25 February 2004 as the 5th Squadron, 7th Cavalry, and assigned to the 1st Brigade Combat Team, 3d Infantry Division (Military Intelligence Company, 5th Squadron, 7th Cavalry, concurrently constituted in the Regular Army)

(Military Intelligence Company, 5th Squadron, 7th Cavalry, activated 16 March 2004 at Fort Stewart, Georgia; inactivated 15 July 2004 at Fort Stewart, Georgia)

Squadron activated 16 July 2004 at Fort Stewart, Georgia

Redesignated 1 October 2005 as the 5th Squadron, 7th Cavalry Regiment

#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

Indian Wars \*Comanches \*Little Big Horn Nez Perces \*Pine Ridge \*Montana 1873 \*Dakota 1874

Mexican Expedition \* Mexico 1916-1917

World War II

\*New Guinea

\*Bismarck Archipelago (with arrowhead)

\*Leyte (with arrowhead)

\*Luzon

### 5th SQUADRON, 7th CAVALRY REGIMENT (GARRY OWEN)

Korean War

\*UN Defensive

\*UN Offensive

\*CCF Intervention

\*First UN Counteroffensive

\*CCF Spring Offensive

\*UN Summer-Fall Offensive

\*Second Korean Winter

\*Third Korean Winter

Vietnam

\*Counteroffensive, Phase II

\*Counteroffensive, Phase III

\*Tet Counteroffensive

\*Counteroffensive, Phase IV

\*Counteroffensive, Phase V

\*Counteroffensive, Phase VI

\*Tet 69/Counteroffensive

\*Summer-Fall 1969

\*Winter-Spring 1970

\*Sanctuary Counteroffensive

\*Counteroffensive, Phase VII

War on Terrorism *Iraq:* \*Iraqi Surge \*Iraqi Sovereignty

(Additional campaigns to be determined)

## 5th SQUADRON, 7th CAVALRY REGIMENT (GARRY OWEN)

#### DECORATIONS

\*Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered ANTIPOLO, LUZON

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered YONCHON, KOREA

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered TAEGU, KOREA

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered PUSAN, KOREA

\*Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered QUANG TIN PROVINCE

\*Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered FISH HOOK

\*Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2010

\*Philippine Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered 17 OCTOBER 1944 TO 4 JULY 1945

\*Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered WAEGWAN-TAEGU

\*Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1952-1953

\*Chryssoun Aristion Andrias (Bravery Gold Medal of Greece), Streamer embroidered KOREA

\*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1966-1969

\*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1969-1970

\*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1970-1971

\*Republic of Vietnam Civil Action Honor Medal, First Class, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1969-1970

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