

# Department of the army Lineage and Honors

# BATTERY F, 26th FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT

Constituted 5 July 1918 in the National Army as Battery F, 26th Field Artillery, an element of the 9th Division

Organized 2 August 1918 at Camp McClellan, Alabama

Demobilized 9 February 1919 at Camp McClellan, Alabama

Reconstituted 24 March 1923 in the Regular Army as Battery E, 26th Field Artillery

(26th Field Artillery assigned 22 July 1929 to the 5th Division; relieved 1 January 1930 from assignment to the 5th Division and assigned to the 9th Division [later redesignated as the 9th Infantry Division])

Activated 1 August 1940 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Absorbed 1 October 1940 by Battery C, 26th Field Artillery Battalion (Battery C, 26th Field Artillery, reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1940 as Battery C, 26th Field Artillery Battalion; inactivated 20 November 1946 in Germany; activated 15 July 1947 at Fort Dix, New Jersey)

Former Battery F, 26th Field Artillery, reconstituted 1 December 1957 in the Regular Army and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 6th Observation Battalion, 26th Artillery

Redesignated 4 September 1964 as Battery F, 26th Artillery

Activated 25 September 1964 in Germany

### **BATTERY F, 26th FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT**

Inactivated 5 June 1967 in Germany

Activated 5 February 1968 in Vietnam

Inactivated 31 July 1971 in Vietnam

Redesignated 1 September 1971 as Battery F, 26th Field Artillery

Assigned 16 June 1988 to the 2d Infantry Division and activated in Korea

Inactivated 15 October 2001 in Korea and relieved from assignment to the 2d Infantry Division

Redesignated 1 October 2005 as Battery F, 26th Field Artillery Regiment

Activated 16 July 2007 at Fort Lewis, Washington

#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II \*Algeria-French Morocco (with arrowhead)

\* Tunisia

\* Sicily

- \*Normandy
- \*Northern France

\*Rhineland

\*Ardennes-Alsace

\*Central Europe

Vietnam

- \*Tet Counteroffensive
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase IV
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase V
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase V
- \*Tet 69/Counteroffensive
- \*Summer-Fall 1969
- \*Winter-Spring 1970
- \*Sanctuary Counteroffensive
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase VII
- \*Consolidation I

War on Terrorism Campaigns to be determined

### **BATTERY F, 26th FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT**

#### DECORATIONS

\*Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2009-2010

\*Meritorious Unit Commendation (Navy), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1968

\*Belgian Fourragere 1940

\*Cited in the Order of the Day of the Belgian Army for action along the Meuse River

\*Cited in the Order of the Day of the Belgian Army for action in the Ardennes

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

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