



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

317th ENGINEER COMPANY

Constituted 1 April 1927 in the Organized Reserves as the 725th Engineer Company

Redesignated 1 April 1942 as the 725th Engineer Depot Company

Redesignated 23 April 1943 as the 725th Engineer Base Depot Company

Activated 18 October 1943 at Camp Sutton, North Carolina

Inactivated 31 March 1946 on Okinawa

Redesignated 13 November 1947 as the 317th Engineer Ponton Bridge Company

Activated 24 November 1947 at Benton Harbor, Michigan

(Organized Reserves redesignated 25 March 1948 as the Organized Reserve Corps;
redesignated 9 July 1952 as the Army Reserve)

Ordered into active military service 11 September 1950 at Benton Harbor, Michigan

Reorganized and redesignated 20 November 1954 as the 317th Engineer Company

Released from active military service 17 January 1955 and reverted to reserve status

Location changed 4 March 1955 to Fremont, Indiana; on 1 April 1956 to Angola, Indiana; on 15 April 1958 to Gary, Indiana

Inactivated 1 May 1959 at Gary, Indiana

Activated 16 September 2008 at Kankakee, Illinois

317th ENGINEER COMPANY

Ordered into active military service 3 October 2009 at Kankakee, Illinois; released from active military service 6 November 2010 and reverted to reserve status

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Normandy

Northern France

Asiatic-Pacific Theater,

Streamer without inscription

War on Terrorism

Iraq:

Iraqi Sovereignty

DECORATIONS

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

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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