

Department of the army Lineage and Honors

# 864th ENGINEER BATTALION (PACEMAKERS)

Constituted 14 December 1942 in the Army of the United States as the 864th Engineer Aviation Battalion

Activated 1 January 1943 at Geiger Field, Washington

Inactivated 30 June 1946 in Japan

Allotted 18 February 1949 to the Organized Reserve Corps

Activated 14 March 1949 at Morristown, New Jersey

Inactivated 22 September 1949 at Morristown, New Jersey

Activated 1 March 1951 at Tulsa, Oklahoma

(Organized Reserve Corps redesignated 9 July 1952 as the Army Reserve)

Inactivated 11 July 1952 at Tulsa, Oklahoma

Withdrawn 8 July 1955 from the Army Reserve and allotted to the Regular Army

Activated 25 September 1955 at Wolters Air Force Base, Texas

Reorganized and redesignated 15 May 1956 as the 864th Engineer Battalion

(Lettered companies inactivated 16 October 2008 at Fort Lewis, Washington; Support Company concurrently constituted and activated)

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#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II New Guinea Bismarck Archipelago Luzon

Vietnam Defense Counteroffensive 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

Southwest Asia Defense of Saudi Arabia Liberation and Defense of Kuwait Cease-Fire

War on Terrorism Afghanistan: Consolidation II

(Additional campaigns to be determined)

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#### DECORATIONS

Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered SOUTHERN AND EASTERN AFGHANISTAN

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Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1965-1967

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1967-1968

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA 1990-1991

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA 2003

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered AFGHANISTAN 2005-2006

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered AFGHANISTAN 2007-2008

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered AFGHANISTAN 2010-2011

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

Republic of Vietnam Civil Action Honor Medal, First Class, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1970-1971

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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