

Department of the army Lineage and Honors

# **40th TRANSPORTATION COMPANY**

Constituted 1 May 1936 in the Regular Army as Company B, 1st Battalion, 49th Quartermaster Regiment

Redesignated 1 April 1942 as Company B, 1st Battalion, 49th Quartermaster Truck Regiment

Activated 1 May 1942 at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri

Reorganized and redesignated 16 December 1943 as the 3542d Quartermaster Truck Company

Inactivated 20 April 1946 in Italy

Converted and redesignated 1 August 1946 as the 3542d Transportation Corps Truck Company

Redesignated 6 March 1947 as the 40th Transportation Corps Truck Company

Activated 14 April 1947 at Fort Lawton, Washington

Redesignated 18 August 1947 as the 40th Transportation Truck Company

Reorganized and redesignated 5 June 1953 as the 40th Transportation Company

Converted and redesignated 1 September 1965 as Company B, 97th Quartermaster Battalion

Converted and redesignated 23 September 1974 as the 40th Transportation Company

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#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II-EAME Naples-Foggia Anzio Rome-Arno North Apennines Po Valley

#### **DECORATIONS**

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered EUROPEAN THEATER

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