

398th Bombardment Group Formation Chart

Mission 135: 17 January 1945 - Target Attacked: Paderborn, Germany Over Target

Lead Squadron "B" Group	MILLER 603	17 January 1945
Squadron Leader	Magnan	
	8044-X PFF (B-5)	
	Hanauer Moore	
	8951-B (B-2) Smith	
	8373-K PFF (C-8)	
Spangler		Hyndman
8669-G (B-1)		8631-T (B-7)
Beckstrom Powell		Stevens Paul
7825-J (B-4) 8864-F (B-6)		8630-U (B-3) 2596-N(D6)
C Monitor		D Monitor
67th Ftr		8th Ftr
	Johnson	Pinner
	8970-A (B-3)	8064-H (D-5)
	Blythe Thomas	
	7982-K (B-2) 8658-A (D-3)	

Low Squadron "B" Group	PAYNE 602	
Squadron Leader	Van Opdorp	
	8274-B (F-2)	
	Shappell Kunkel	
	8754-A (F-1) 8627-Z (F-6)	
Shaffer W.S.		Beam
8836-T (F-10)		8620-F (D-7)
Schipull Saferite		Gray Lamiell
2506-L (F-5) 8121-Q (D-1)		8664-P (F-9) 7150-K(F3)
	Comstock	
	8652-V (F-7)	
	Andrako McCormick	
	7266-G (F-9) 7387-H (F-6)	

High Squadron "B" Group	JOHNSON, T.M. 600	
Squadron Leader	Johnston, T.J.	
	8031-K PFF (D-10)	
	Sponholtz Dean	
	8564-X (C-1) 8697-M (A-3)	
Matthews		Riley
8853-L (C-7)		7249-P (C-6)
Hicks Lipnick		Sheffer Shimek
2487-B (C-2) 8126-J (C-3)		2519-A (C-6) 6157W C9
B Monitor	Kenyon	
	* 8993-V (C-4)	
	Beatty Runnion	**
	2507-F 9C-4) 8708-T (D-5)	

Times	Lead	High	Lead	Low	File 485a Roll # 2 PDF 2627-2629
Stations	0805	0815	0820	0825	
Take Off	0905	0915	0920	0925	

Early return * A/C 8661-P Sistek High Squadron
 ** High Squadron Beatty A/C 2507-F original position

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