

398th Bombardment Group Formation Chart

Mission 79: 9 September 1944 - Target Attacked: Mannheim, Germany Over Target

Lead Group 1st "A" CBW Squadron Leader	LT COL SIMERAL 603 Cullinan 8024-Q PFF	9 September 1944
	Sleaman 8086-C	Miller Ullom 7625 I PFF
Magnan 7053-M		Rehme 7982-K
Wright 2418-M	Meyran 7138-T	Lehner 8075-A
	Lee 7317-P	
	Wheeler 7249-P	
	Johnson, J 7509-J	McLaughlin 2600-Z

Low Group 1st "A" CBW Squadron Leader	TEMPLEMAN 602 Ross 2543-B	
	Hancock 7387-H	Allen 7094-M
Evans 8172-P		Rudrud 8064-H
Zimmer 2507-F	Buzza 2593-C	Hershberger 7183-J
		Fields 2597-V
	Armor 2519-A	Erler 7398-C
	Hansard 6157-W	Holstead 2390-A

Times	Lead	Low	File 483c Roll # 2 PDF 1240,1244 1236,1247,1244
	Take Off 0716	0724	

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Lead A/C 8024-Q & A/C 7625-I Loan from 531st Sqdn 381st BG

Composite formation: High Group 381st BG and 398th BG Lead and Low PDF 1236

Mission on 8 Sept 1944 to Ludwigshafen and Mission on 9 Sept 1944 to Mannheim are very close and flak areas Luxembourg, Saarbrucken, and Speyer resulted in damage to A/C on 8th and 9th.

Mission 78 Ludwigshafen: A/C 35 Damaged, Major 19, Minor 13 (PDF 1204)

Mission 79 Mannheim: A/C 25 Damaged, Major 5, Minor 10 (PDF 1256)