



TO HONOR

CREW OF THE "DOG PATCH EXPRESS"

While being flown by another crew, the "Dog Patch Express" was hit by flack on a mission to Kwajelien Island. Sgt. Lipe was a replacement member of this crew. The rest of the crew finished their tour and survived the war.

1st Lt. John Deasey, Pilot
2nd Lt. William Baber, Co-Pilot
2nd Lt. Sam Catanzarite, Co-Pilot
2nd Lt. Arthur Boone, Navigator

SSgt. Elmer Johnson, Gunner
SSgt. Ed Hess, Gunner
TSgt. Herman Searce, Radio Oper
SSgt. Bob Lipe, Gunner - KIA
TSgt. John Yankus, Flt. Engineer

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