



517th Parachute Regimental Combat Team



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*517th Parachute Infantry Regiment
460th Parachute Field Artillery Battalion
596th Parachute Combat Engineer Company*

517th PRCT 2015 Annual Reunion



2015 National Reunion

New Orleans, LA June 25-28, 2015

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Registration Cut-off date: May 22

MailCall News



Dear all,

Faces of Margraten is a project that started on Saturday the 2nd of May and for more than 3000 soldiers got a picture next to their grave at War Cemetery Margraten.

Attached is a picture of **Cpt Robert Woodhull's** grave that I adopted years ago.

Today is the 5th of May and we celebrate our liberation by the allied forces. Thank you veterans and God bless.

Best regards from the Netherlands

Ronald Stassen



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Hi Bob,

Thanks for your help. I know I did not unsubscribe as I was on a cruise that date. My daughters took me on a cruise for my birthday which was Feb. 9th, now 90 years old. My computer was off until I came home on Feb 14th. I closed it down when I left for the cruise Feb. 7th. We had a wonderful time. I will catch up on the calls I missed and rejoin. I enjoy seeing the things that are being carried on. I believe most of 517th guys are gone. I sure miss Leo. We had so many reunions together including the Europe trips. We missed your Dad when he passed on.

Best wishes to you and your family.

Joyce Turco

(widow of **D. Leo Turco**, A Battery, 460th PFAB) http://517prct.org/bios/leo_turco/leo_turco.htm

Hello, troopers and families!

Bob has had the link of the New Orleans reunion at the top of Mail Call every week - and I see that there are troopers going that are not yet listed in the registered attendees!

Please, everyone, let's register today!! Your friends are waiting to see you, and NOLA is a kick in the pants, waiting to honor you.

Call a friend today and get them registered! Let's get that list longer!

Airborne!

Claire Giblin



May 8, 2015

Toasting the veterans of the 517th Parachute Regiment Combat Team on this 70th Anniversary of VE Day, Cheers all.

Paul Abbene

[V-E Day CBS Radio Broadcast - May 8, 1945](#)

CBS Radio News correspondents report on the German surrender and the declared "Victory in Europe Day" on Tuesday, May 8, 1945 at 1100.



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It was interesting to see that the picture of the 460th in August 1944 is identified as D Battery. Is there a clearer picture that you could send me? My father was a member of D Battery and I would like to see if I could pick him out. This could reaffirm that it is D Battery.

Thanks,

Joe Richardson

Administrivia

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- If you send me email that you do not want included in MailCall, just label it as FYEO.
- I now understand how Ben could get confused about what he already posted and what he didn't. If I miss something, please just send it again.
- Donations for any programs involving the 517th should be sent to our new Association Treasurer: Identify the purpose of any donation (Annual Donations, In Memory of... etc.) and make all checks payable to:

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