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This B-29 airplane is dedicated to the memory of Lt. General Frank Andrews. To the crew I commend the life of General Andrews as an example of high devotion to duty, that they may respect the high purpose to which this plane was assigned. And because General Andrews was one of the first to forsee the power of very long range bombardment — the purpose of the B-29 — I hereby direct that the first combat mission in which this aircraft participates shall be officially designated as the "General Andrews Mission", and to be so enrolled in the history of the squadron to which this plane is assigned.

Commanding General, Army Air Forces

