

### **Identified and Unidentified Patches and Pins**

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# **Identified Patches**



"Battlestar Pegasus"
Korean-era SCARWAF
(Special Category Army with Air Force)
Saunders Insignia
Battlestar Galactica Merchandise



"Celestra"
78<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division
Flying Tigers Surplus
Saunders Insignia



"Battlestar Atlantia" Galactica Blue Squadron Patch With "Ren-Fair" patch stacked



"Battlestar Acropolis" ROTC Senior/Advanced Cadet eBay



"Martin's Battlestar" from "The Lost Warrior" 18<sup>th</sup> Medical Command Saunders Insignia





"Battlestar Galactica" Custom – no origin <u>Battlestar Galactica Merchandise</u> (All Colors) eBay

# "Rising Star" U.S. Air Force Academy (Modified) "Prison Barge" 3rd Army Corps (Upside-down) Flying Tigers Surplus Saunders Insignia

Saunders Insignia

# Identified "Beret Flashes" from "Gun on Ice Planet Zero" Used on Winter Jacket Shoulders (upside down from normal use)

NOTE: Many of these flashes are modifications from known patches and may not quite match actual patch design and color. Some artistic license was required to do some of these. -JMS



"Apollo"
"Fantasy Flash"
According to ASMIC



"Starbuck"
"Fantasy Flash"
According to ASMIC



"Boomer" 20<sup>th</sup> Engineer Brigade (1970's era)



"Krofft"

19th Special Forces Group
(1966 – Present)



"Wolf" 1st Special Forces Group (1961 – 1963)



"Thane" 7<sup>th</sup> Special Forces Group (1961 – Present)



"Leda"
325<sup>th</sup> Airborne
1st Battalion ("Red Falcons")



"Vickers" 509<sup>th</sup> Airborne



"Haals"
"Fantasy Flash"
According to ASMIC



"Voight" 508<sup>th</sup> Airborne 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion

The flashes that have been found can be obtained through these various websites:

Flying Tigers Surplus
The Parade Store
ACUARMY

Other beret flash resource pages:

The Institute of Heraldry
The American Society of Military Insignia
Collectors (ASMIC)

# **Unidentified Patches**



"Battlestar Galactica Medical"



"Lunar 7" Possible Pan-Am Airlines or U.N. Origin?





"Enforcer" Version 1 – Commander





"Enforcer" Version 2 - Soldier

### **Identified Pins & Badges**



"Battlestar Galactica"
U.S. Army Military Intelligence Branch
(Standard and Modified – Upside-down)

Flying Tigers Surplus

Saunders Insignia

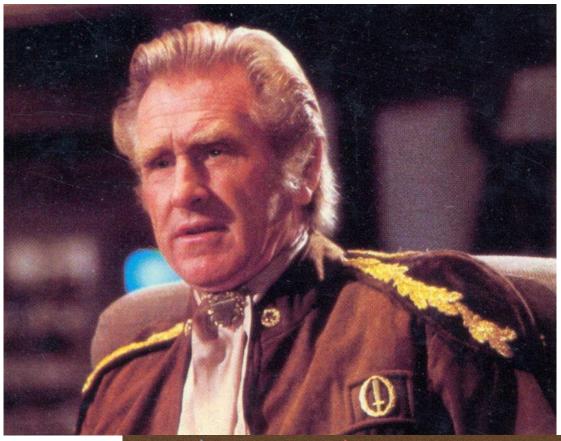
Battlestar Galactica Merchandise (Gold/Silver)



"Battlestar Pegasus"
U.S. Navy Command Ashore
(Choose "miniature" version)
Flying Tigers Surplus
Saunders Insignia
Battlestar Galactica Merchandise



"Battlestar Atlantia"
U.S. Army Transportation Corps
ACUARMY





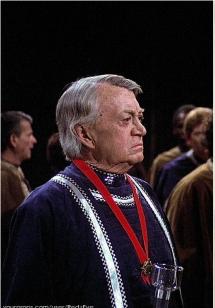


Cain's Jacket Device WWII Italian Assault-Combat Badge (Modified) Resin kit available from Gordon Smuder (a.k.a. Spcglider) Final version should be all painted in gold

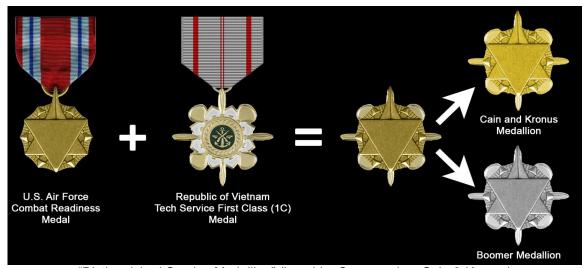
### **Identified Pins & Badges (Continued)**

**Updated 9/26/2019** - Thanks to a new generation of researchers and the rerelease of all classic footage on high-definition BluRay discs, many higher resolution screen captures have emerged, particularly of the "Distinguished Service Medallion" used by Commanders Cain and Kronus, as well as Colonel Boomer (from Galactica: 1980). Because of this recently-discovered evidence, I have decided to update this document for the first time in 11 years, for the sake of accuracy. The bottom piece was **NOT** the European Command badge, like I originally believed. Many thanks to <u>Bionic Moon Labs</u> and <u>YourProps.com</u> for this information.









"Distinguished Service Medallion" (in gold – Commanders Cain & Kronus)

NOTE: Colonel Boomer appears to have a similar device in Galactica: 1980, but in silver

Combination of U.S. Air Force Combat Readiness Medal and Republic of Vietnam Tech Service First Class Medal

Flying Tigers Surplus (Combat Readiness)
Saunders Insignia (Combat Readiness)
Flying Tigers Surplus (Vietnam Tech Svc 1C)
Saunders Insignia (Vietnam Tech Svc 1C)
YourProps.com (Completed Version)

Final version should be all painted in gold or silver

### **Identified Pins & Badges (Continued)**

**Updated 12/18/2019** – Another 2019 update includes additional information about the Reconnaissance "Starchaser" Viper Helmet that Starbuck wore in "The Lost Warrior". This is a two-piece assembly, with the main badge portion sourcing from a WWII-era Siamese/Thailand Army helmet badge (turned upside-down). The top piece is an embossed decoration from the same southeast Asia region (Thailand/Cambodia/Laos) using the traditional "chada royal crest" motif. Many thanks to Bionic Moon Labs for this information.







## **Unidentified Pins & Badges**





"Battlestar Galactica Medical"



"Eastern Alliance" Cap Device



"Seal of the 9th Lord of Kobol" Modified Adama Neck Medallion



Adama's Neck Medallion YourProps.com



"Count Iblis" Medallion Custom – no origin



"Constable Shield" Custom – no origin

Adama Medallion, Count Iblis Medallion, Seal of the 9<sup>th</sup> Lord of Kobol and Constable Shield
Resin kits are available from Gordon Smuder (a.k.a. Spcglider)
At <u>Dewback Wing ASAP</u> in BSG "Original Series Props" and "Original Series Costumes" sections

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The Parade Store – <a href="https://www.paradestore.com/">https://www.paradestore.com/</a>

ACUARMY - https://www.acuarmy.com/

Bionic Moon Labs – <a href="https://bionicmoonlabs.com/">https://bionicmoonlabs.com/</a>

YourProps.com - <a href="https://www.yourprops.com/">https://www.yourprops.com/</a>

Battlestar Galactica Merchandise – http://www.battlestargalactica.org/

Battlestar Galactica - The Complete Epic Series DVD & BluRay Collection

Badges and Insignia of World War II, Air Force – Naval – Marine By Guido Rosignoli, Peerage Books, 1980

Patch and Insignia Identification and Accuracy Advisement from The American Society of Military Insignia Collectors (ASMIC) – <a href="http://www.asmic.org/">http://www.asmic.org/</a>