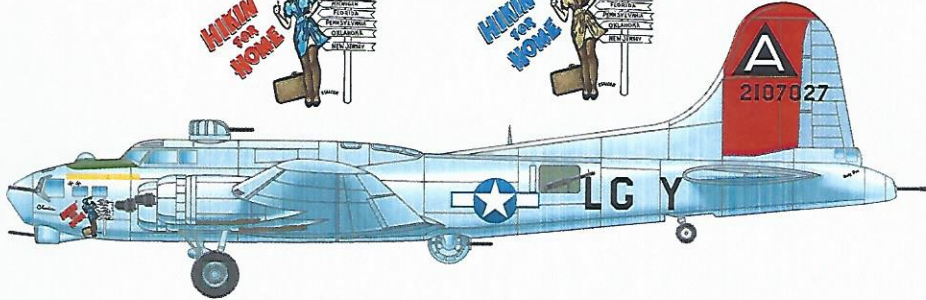
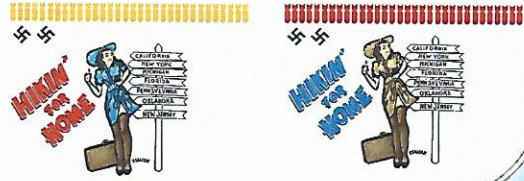


B17Gs of the Mighty Eighth Air Force 'Nose Art'

This sheet includes two interesting examples of Nose Art for Flying Fortresses of the 91st Bomb Group. These include a 'Hikin' for Home' and 'Man of War'. 'Hikin for Home' is supplied in two versions - different reference sources show this artwork rendered in two different colour schemes, either guess work on the part of the reference artist or, as sometimes occurred, the same artwork was later re-painted in an alternative colour as the old artwork faded and needed replacing. All numbering and lettering is included to complete the liveries as shown.

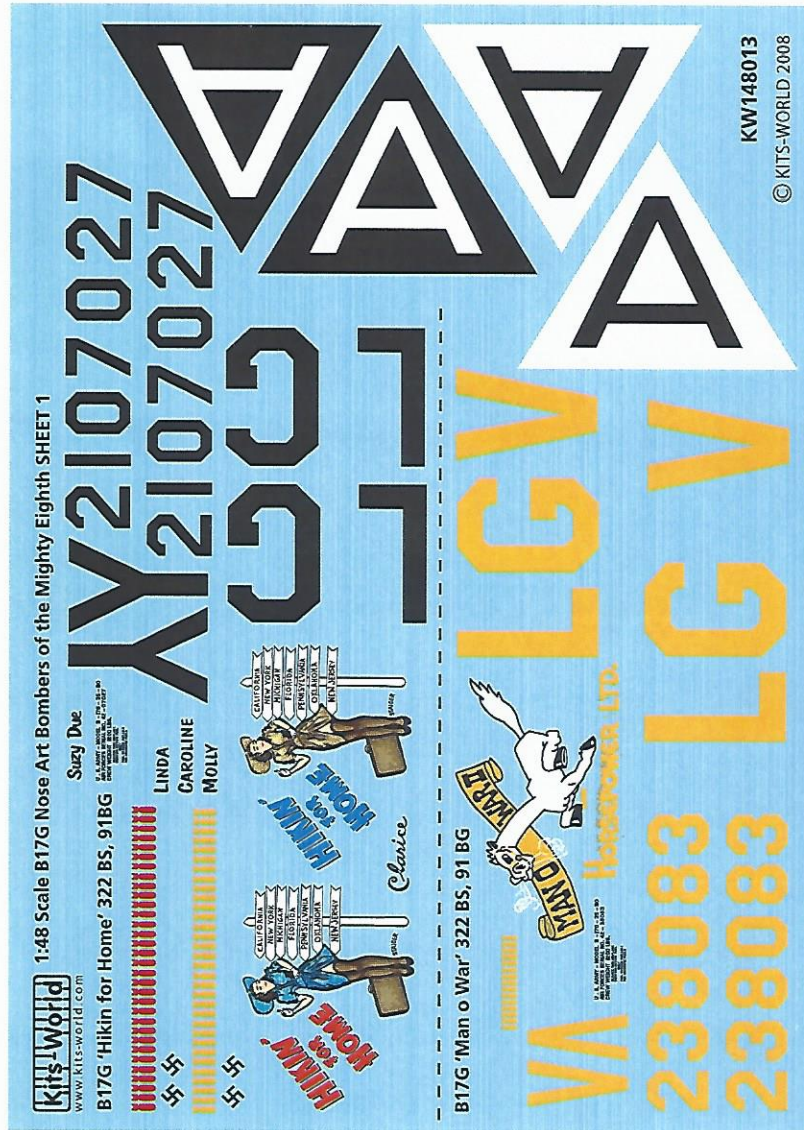
B17G 322 BS, 91 BG
'HIKIN' FOR HOME'



B017G 322 BS, 91 BG
'MAN O WAR'



Decal sheet shown actual size



NOTES:

To add interest to the overall metal finish, try painting adjoining panels in varying shades of 'aluminium' or varying the finish of the panels between satin, gloss and dull - no all metal finish was ever completely uniform even when polished. Don't forget to add oil and exhaust stains - the exhaust on the B17 exited under the engine/wing from the turbo charger leaving a dirty grey/brown/black soft edged 'fan' shaped stain, broadening out toward the rear edge of the wings.

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