

Time to Say Goodbye



With peace (following VE-Day on 8th May 1945) departure from the UK was rapid. The 8th Air Force heavy bomber groups began flying their Fortresses and Liberators home across the Atlantic in May 1945.

This photograph shows a group of British well-wishers at Horsham St Faith (now home to Norwich Airport) wave goodbye to a B-24 Liberator of the 458th Bomb Group at the start of its journey back to America.