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Biography and Photo
Garrison Command Sergeant Major
CSM Colvin D. Bennett, Sr.



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Command Sergeant Major Colvin D. Bennett, Sr. completed Basic Training and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri as a Wheeled Vehicle Operator. He has held the positions of Squad Leader, Section Chief, Ammunition Sergeant, Platoon Sergeant, Operations Sergeant, Highway Operations NCOIC, Truck Master, First Sergeant, Division Transportation SGM and Battalion Command Sergeant Major.

His assignments include: A Company, 426th S&S Battalion, Fort Campbell Kentucky; 64th Ordnance Company, Fischbach, Germany; 57th Transportation Company, Fort Lee, Virginia; HHC 1st BN 69th Armor, Kitzingen, Germany; SVC BTRY 3/18th Field Artillery Fort Sill, Oklahoma; A Company 193rd Support Battalion, Fort Clayton, Panama; HHD 245th Support Battalion, Fort Clayton, Panama; 3-7 CAV Fort Stewart, Georgia; 24th Ordnance Company Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia; 416th Transportation Company Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia; HHD 181st Transportation Battalion Mannheim, Germany; 515th Transportation Company Mannheim, Germany; 149th Transportation Company Ft. Eustis, Virginia, HQ, 24th Infantry Division Ft Riley, Kansas and 68th Combat Sustainment Support Battalion Ft Carson, Colorado.

CSM's deployments include Operation Desert Shield/Storm, Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. CSM's military education includes the Primary Leadership Development Course, Basic Noncommissioned Officers Course, Advanced Noncommissioned Officers Course, First Sergeant Course and the Sergeant Major's Academy. He has an associate degree in general studies from Central Texas College.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal with two oak leaf cluster, the Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters, the Army Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters, the Army Achievement Medal with one silver cluster and two oak leaf clusters, Good Conduct Medal ninth award, the National Defense Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal, the NCO Professional Development Ribbon with numeral four, Humanitarian Service Medal, NATO(ISAF) Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal, Kuwait Liberation Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon with numeral four, and the Driver Badge.

CSM Bennett has been married; he and his wife have two children.