



Command Sergeant Major James W. Breckinridge
Regimental Command Sergeant Major -
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CSM James W. Breckinridge is a native of El Paso, Texas. He entered the United States Army on 9 August 1989 and completed One Station Unit Training at Fort McClellan, Alabama.

CSM Breckinridge's assignments include 2nd MP Co, Camp Casey, Korea; 411th MP Co, Fort Hood, Texas; 58th MP Co, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; 25th MP Bn, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; 411th MP Co, Fort Hood, Texas; HHC, 89th MP Bde, Fort Hood, Texas; HHD, 728th MP Bn, Camp Henry, Korea; 552nd MP Co, Camp Hialeah, Korea; 552nd MP Co, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; 728th MP BN, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; United States Army Sergeants Major Academy, Fort Bliss, Texas; 40th MP BN (I/R), Fort Leavenworth, KS; 95th MP BN, Sembach, Germany; 21st Theater Sustainment Command, Panzer Kaserne, and the 18th Military Police Brigade, Grafenwoehr, Germany.

His duty positions have included Gunner, Driver, Team Leader, Training NCO, Squad Leader, Platoon Sergeant, numerous positions at the Battalion and Brigade level, Company Tactical Operations Sergeant, First Sergeant, S3 Operations SGM, Battalion Command Sergeant Major, Secretary of the General Staff, and Brigade Command Sergeant Major.

CSM Breckinridge's military education includes Basic Leader Course, Advanced Leader Course (Commandants Award), Senior Leader Course (Commandants Award), Air Assault School, United States Army Battle Staff Course (Commandants Award), First Sergeant Course, Sergeant Major Army Force Management Course, the United States Army Sergeants Major Academy (Class 59) (Commandants Award), NATO Command Senior Enlisted Leader Course, Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education Course, and the Command Sergeant Major Legal Orientation Course. He has completed his Associates of Applied Science Degree in Criminal Justice from Central Texas College and is currently enrolled at Troy University seeking a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice.

CSM Breckinridge's deployments include Guantanamo Bay, Cuba in support of JTF-160; Soto Cano Air Base, Republic of Honduras in support of JTF-Bravo; Guantanamo Bay, Cuba in support of JTF-160; Wake Island in support of JTF-Marathon; Kuwait in support of Operation Desert Spring; United States Army Disciplinary Barracks, Fort Leavenworth, KS in support of the Historic Disciplinary Barracks move, Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation New Dawn.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (5th award), Army Commendation Medal (6th award), Army Achievement Medal (3rd award), Joint Meritorious Unit Award (2nd award), Army Superior Unit Award (2nd award), Meritorious Unit Commendation (2nd award), Coast Guard Meritorious Unit Citation, Army Good Conduct Medal (9th award), National Defense Service Medal (2nd award), Korean Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal (3rd award), NCO Professional Development Ribbon (4th award), Iraqi Campaign Medal (2nd bronze service star), Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Overseas Service Ribbon (9th Award), Army Service Ribbon, and the Air Assault Badge. He is also a MG Aubrey "Red" Newman Award Winner, a member of the prestigious Sergeant Audie Murphy Club, and Recipient of the MP Corps Regiment's Order of the Marechaussee (Bronze).

CSM Breckinridge is married to the former Carolyn S. Shibata and has one child, Sydney who is 15 years old.