



CSM Thomas H. Thrasher
Command Sergeant Major
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Command Sergeant Major Thomas H. Thrasher is a native of Georgia. He has served the U.S. Army for over 31 years. He joined the U.S. Army in the Delayed Entry Program on January 31 1977 and he reported for Active Duty Training on 21 June 1977. He completed Basic Combat Training and Multi Communication Equipment Advanced Individual Training at Fort Gordon Ga. CSM Thrasher started his military career serving as a communication specialist in the 197th Infantry Brigade, Fort Benning Ga.

He served as a Multichannel Communication Equipment Operator in the 298th Signal Platoon, and as a Field Radio Repairman in Company B, Headquarters Command Ft. Benning, Ga. He served as Intelligence Analyst, Team Chief and Psychological Operations Specialist for the 10th Psychological Operations Company, Ft. Gillem, Ga. He served as Senior Psychological Operations Sergeant for the 310th Psyop Company, Forest Park, Ga. He served as an Automated Log Specialist, OPFOR NCO and Observer Controller for the 3-345th (TS) (CS/CSS) Fort Gillem, Ga. He served as 1st Sergeant for the 310th Psychological Operations Company in Forest Park, Ga. During Operation Enduring Freedom he was deployed to Afghanistan as 1st Sergeant with the 310th

Psyop Company. He is presently the Command Sergeant Major for the 844th Engineer Battalion in Knoxville, Tn., while serving this deployment with the Gulf Region South as the District Command Sergeant Major.

His military schools include: Multichannel Equipment Operator Course, Intelligence Analyst Course, Security Managers Course, Conventional Physical Security Course, Joint Psychological Operations Course, S2 Combat Operations Course, Psychological Warfare Course, Basic Non Commissioned Officer Course, Advanced Commissioned Course, Automated Logistical Specialist Course, First Sergeant School, First Line Leaders Training Course, Single Channel Ground & Airborne Radio System Assistant Instructor Course and the Contracting Officer Course. He is a graduate of the non-resident Sergeant Major Academy.

CSM Thrasher's military awards and decorations include: the Army Good Conduct Medal, the Army Achievement Medal with three oak leaf clusters, the Army Commendation Medal, the Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal (3rd award), National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Star, Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Armed Forces Medal with gold hour glass and M Device, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, the Army Service Ribbon and the Noncommissioned Officer Professional Development Ribbon.

CSM Thrasher is currently enrolled and pursuing his B.S. degree in Business Administration.

CSM Thrasher is married to the former Sheila Renae Whitaker of Jonesboro, Ga. They have two children.