



U.S. ARMY SPECIAL OPERATIONS AVIATION COMMAND BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER 5 DAVID F. GREENWOOD

Command Chief Warrant Officer

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CW5 David Greenwood was born in Baltimore, Maryland in 1967. He attended Elon College and University of Maryland, before enlisting in the US Army in 1990. He attended Basic training at Fort Dix, New Jersey, and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Eustis, Virginia. His assignments as a 67R, AH-64A Apache Helicopter Repairer, include 3-6 Cavalry and the Apache Training Brigade at Fort Hood, Texas. CW5 Greenwood applied to the US Warrant Officer Flight Training Program and attended Warrant Officer Candidate School at Fort Rucker, Alabama in 1992. He has a Masters in Business Administration (MBA) from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in 2015.

CW5 Greenwood's early assignments include 3-17th Cavalry Squadron and 1-25th Attack Helicopter BN at Fort Drum, New York, and 3/4 Cavalry Squadron at Fort Hood, Texas and Schofield Barracks, Hawaii as an Aeroscout and Kiowa Warrior Maintenance Test Pilot and Maintenance Examiner.

In 2000, CW5 Greenwood applied, assessed, and was selected for assignment to the 160th Special Operations Aviation Regiment (Airborne). Attending AH-6 Officer Green Platoon in 2001, he was assigned to B Company, 1-160th as a Basic Mission Qualified pilot in April 2002. Subsequent assignments within the 160th SOAR (A) include Special Mission Unit Liaison Officer (Forward), Regimental Standardization Officer, and Flight Lead. In 2015, CW5 Greenwood was selected and assigned to the 82nd Airborne Division's Combat Aviation Brigade as the Command Chief Warrant Officer.

CW5 Greenwood has multiple deployments in support of the Global War on Terror and other Overseas Contingency Operations. His awards include the Silver Star, Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star, the Meritorious Service Medal (w/2 OLC), the Air Medal (w/ "V" device and numeral 15), Army Commendation Medal (w/4 OLC), Combat Action Badge, Master Army Aviator Badge, Parachutist Badge, and the Air Assault Badge.

CW5 Greenwood has been married for 25 years to the former Tiffany Layne Survant of Temple, Texas. They have three sons, Thomas (23), a former Army Ranger, Matthew (22), currently serving 82nd Airborne Division, and Charles (20), who is attending college in Tennessee.