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We are the premier mounted maneuver force comprised of the best trained, best led, best equipped, and most lethal Tankers and Scouts in the world. Soldiers first, we are experts in the art of maneuver warfare; mounted and dismounted reconnaissance and security operations; and the employment of combined arms and joint capabilities on the battlefield.

Armor and cavalry troopers thrive in conditions of ambiguity, uncertainty, and complexity; comfortable away from the main body --- out front or on the flanks --- and decisive when leading it. We operate with a mission command mentality always seeking opportunities to seize, retain, and exploit the initiative; creating and preserving freedom of action for our force while denying the enemy options.

Armor and cavalry leaders combine the superior capabilities of our equipment with the ingenuity of our Troopers to find, fix, close with and destroy the enemies of our nation through combinations of mobility; precise, lethal, and overwhelming firepower; and devastating shock effect.

Armor branch is a team of teams ready to fight and win anytime, anywhere, under any conditions of battle.

# FORGE THE THUNDERBOLT!



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# United States Army Armor School Fort Benning, Georgia















# **United States Army Armor School**



# <u>Mission</u>

The US Army Armor School trains, develops, educates and inspires the world's most agile and adaptive Armor and Cavalry leaders, Soldiers and formations to win in complex environments by closing with and destroying our Nation's enemies using fire, maneuver, and shock effect.



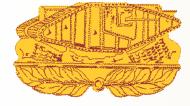
# <u>Vision</u>

The US Army Armor School must provide the requisite training that provides a Soldier, NCO, or Officer the fundamental knowledge, skills, and attributes to arrive at their assigned unit prepared to lead by example on day one.

# **Historical Branch Insignia**



Paragraph 36, Change 1 to War Department Special Regulations No. 42, dated 29 December 1917, stated that "the insignia on the collar of the coat for Tank Service would be a conventionalized tank, 1 inch high, with the number of the regiment attached to the bottom". The approved design was a front view of a French tank



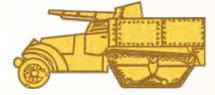
The insignia approved in 1917 was not well received and a new design was announced for the Tank Corps per Change 2 to Service Regulation 42, dated 7 May 1918. The new design showed the side view of a Mark VIII Tank above two stylized dragons breathing fire over a wreath. War Department Circular 72, dated 16 March 1921, eliminated the insignia of the Tank Corps.



When the Tank Corps was abolished, tankers assigned to the Infantry were authorized this insignia from October 1921 until February 1923.



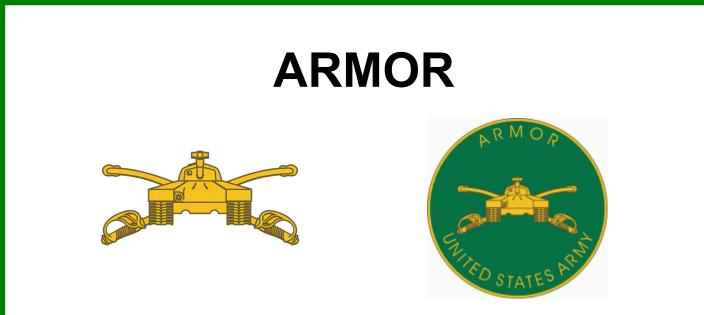
In a letter dated 21 March 1922, The Adjutant General approved a new design for Infantry (Tanks). Change 2, AR 600-35, dated 28 March 1922, prescribed the insignia for Infantry (Tanks) to be "The Infantry insignia with tank superimposed.



Change 15, AR 600-35, dated 13 March 1943, added the insignia for Tank Destroyer Forces. This change specified the design was a "75-mm gun, motor carriage M3, in gold color metal." The insignia was rescinded by Change 2, AR 600-35, dated 28 November 1944.



A new insignia for the Armored Forces was authorized by War Department Circular 56, dated 25 February 1942. This insignia was the side-view of the Mark VIII Tank used in World War I. The insignia was continued in use until the Armor Branch was established in February 1951. The new insignia was the result of the Army Reorganization Act of 1950 as announced in Army Bulletin No. 9. The Armored Forces and Cavalry were combined into a single branch called Armor. The Armored Forces insignia was no longer used; however, the Cavalry was continued in use as a collar insignia for personnel assigned to Cavalry Units.



**Branch Insignia:** The front view of an M-26 tank, gun slightly raised, superimposed on two crossed cavalry sabers in scabbards, cutting edge up, 13/16 inch in height overall, of gold color metal.

The Armor insignia, approved in 1950, consists of the traditional crossed sabers (originally adopted for the cavalry in 1851) on which the M-26 tank is superimposed. The design symbolizes the traditional and current roles of armor.

**Branch Plaque:** The plaque design has the branch insignia, letters and border in gold. The background is green.

**<u>Regimental Insignia</u>**: Personnel assigned to the Armor branch affiliate with a specific regiment and wear the insignia of the affiliated regiment.

**<u>Regimental Coat of Arms</u>**: There is no standard armor regimental flag to represent all of the armor regiments. Each regiment of armor has its own coat of arms which appears on the breast of a displayed eagle. The background of all the armor regimental flags is yellow.

Branch Colors: Yellow. 65002 cloth; 67108 yarn; 123 PMS.

In March 1855, two regiments of cavalry were created and their trimmings were to be of "Yellow". In 1861, the designation of dragoon and mounted rifleman disappeared, all becoming Cavalry with "yellow" as their colors. Armor was assigned the colors green and white by circular 49 on 21 February 1947. When the Cavalry branch was abolished, the present Armor was assigned the former Cavalry color yellow by SR 600-60-1 dated 26 October 1951.

**Birthday:** 12 December 1776. The Armor branch traces its origin to the Cavalry. A regiment of cavalry was authorized to be raised by the Continental Congress Resolve of 12 December 1775. Although mounted units were raised at various times after the Revolution, the first unit in continuous service was the United States Regiment of Dragoons, organized in 1833. The Tank Service was formed on 5 March 1918. The Armored Force was formed on 10 July 1940. Armor became a permanent branch of the Army in 1950.

http://www.tioh.hqda.pentagon.mil/branches/Armor.htm



**<u>Collar Insignia</u>**: Two crossed sabers in scabbards, cutting edge up, 11/16 inch in height, of gold color metal.

The cavalry insignia was adopted in 1851. Officers and enlisted personnel assigned to cavalry regiments, cavalry squadrons or separate cavalry troops are authorized to wear the cavalry collar insignia in lieu of their insignia of branch when approved by the MACOM commander. Some of the armor and aviation units are designated cavalry units.

**Branch Plaque:** The plaque design has the Cavalry insignia and rim in gold. The background is white and the letters are scarlet.

**<u>Regimental Insignia</u>**: Personnel assigned to cavalry units affiliate with a specific regiment of their branch or cavalry unit and wear the insignia of the affiliated regiment.

**Regimental Coat of Arms**: Each cavalry regiment has its own coat of arms that is displayed on the breast of a displayed eagle. The background of all cavalry flags is yellow.

**Colors:** Although cavalry is not a branch, yellow is used as a branch color for personnel assigned to cavalry units. In March 1855, two regiments of cavalry were created and their trimmings were to be "yellow." In 1861, the designation of dragoon and mounted rifleman disappeared, all becoming cavalry with "yellow" as their colors. Yellow was continued as the color for cavalry units subsequent to abolishment as a branch. Although the regimental flags for cavalry units are yellow, the troop guidons are red and white without an insignia on the guidon.

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# THE ARMOR SCHOOL INSIGNIA



This original triangular Armor insignia was designed in 1918 and was worn by the World War I Tank Corps and subsequent tank units of the Infantry. The colors of the shoulder patch were blue for Infantry, red for Artillery, and yellow for Cavalry-the three basic components of Armor. The insignia symbolized the union of the three forces. The basic design and combination of colors remain in today's Armor insignia. In 1940, the superimposed figures, taken from the shoulder insignia of the 7th Cavalry Brigade (Mechanized), were added to the triangular design. The tank track stands for mobility and armor protection, the gun represents firepower, and the lightning bolt denotes shock effect. These triple characteristics of the tank are embodied in Armor's striking power.

The Armor shoulder sleeve insignia was originally approved on 21 October 1954. It was redesignated for The Armor School on 26 June 1956. The insignia was amended on 16 July 1957 to change the wording in the description of the tab. On 3 December 1964 the insignia was redesignated for the U.S. Army Armor School. The shoulder sleeve insignia was again amended on 5 November 1970 to revise the design to make the insignia and tab one piece.

#### **US ARMY ARMOR BRANCH-KEY DATES**

12 December 1776	Branch birth date—Continental Congress authorizes establishment of regiment of light dragoons.
1832	Congress authorizes establishment of Regiment of Mounted Rangers.
1833	Congress authorizes establishment of the Regiment of US Dragoons.
1836	Congress authorizes establishment of the 2d Regiment of Dragoons.
1846	Regiment of Mounted Riflemen created.
1855	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2d Cavalry Regiments created.
1861	Consolidation of dragoon, mounted riflemen, and cavalry regiments into Cavalry Corps and all mounted units redesignated as the 1 <sup>st</sup> through 6 <sup>th</sup> US Cavalry Regiments.
26 January 1918	US Tank Corps established.
1918	Camp Knox, Kentucky, established as a Field Artillery Training Center.
1920	National Defense Act of 1920 abolishes Tank Corps and assigns responsibility for tank development to Infantry.
1928	Experimental Mechanized Force established at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland.
1930	Mechanized Force created at Fort Eustis, Virginia.
1931	Army implements new mechanization policy that permits cavalry development of a mechanized component.
1931	Mechanized Force disbanded; remnant element renamed Detachment for Mechanized Cavalry and Camp Knox, Kentucky, becomes home of mechanized cavalry.
1932	Installation status of Camp Knox improved to Fort Knox with permanent assignment of combat troops and start of infrastructure development.
1933	1 <sup>st</sup> Cavalry Regiment (Mechanized) arrives at Fort Knox, Kentucky.
10 July 1940	Army authorizes creation of the Armored Force at Fort Knox as a "service test" to centralize mechanized development.
1942	Office Chief of Cavalry abolished.
1943	Armored Force redesignated Armored Command.
1944	Armored Command redesignated as Armored Center.
1945	Armored Center inactivated.

#### **US ARMY ARMOR BRANCH-KEY DATES**

1946	Armored Center reactivated.
1948	Organization of the first armored cavalry regiments.
1948	Current Armor School crest approved.
28 June 1950	Army Organization Act establishes Armor as separate branch of Army.
1957	Army adopts the Combat Arms Regimental System.
1968	194 <sup>th</sup> Separate Armor Brigade stationed at Fort Knox.
1972	Main Battle Tank Task Force established at Fort Knox to develop requirements for new tank, which becomes the Abrams tank.
1973	Training and Doctrine Command established and triggers fundamental shift in nature and scope of training throughout Army
1973	Arab-Israeli October War triggers changes in Army doctrine and increased emphasis upon platforms capable of fighting on highly mechanized battlefield.
1980	Fielding of the M1 Abrams tank begins.
1981	Fielding of the M2/M3 Bradley Fighting Vehicle begins.
1990	Army authorizes fielding of HMMWV to all maneuver battalion scout Platoons.
1992	Battle Labs established by TRADOC to promote closer integration of science, industry, and combat developments.
1992	First light armored cavalry regiment created when 199 <sup>th</sup> Separate Motorized Infantry Brigade reflagged as the 2d Armored Cavalry Regiment.
1994	Force XXI initiated with emphasis upon heavy force development.
1994	Desert Hammer VI becomes first test of prototype Armored brigade at the National Training Center.
1995	Fort Knox hosts Advanced Warfighting Experiment Focused Dispatch, which demonstrates ability to integrate virtual and live training.
1995	Brigade combat team from the 4 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Division selected to serve as the permanent experimental force (EXFOR) for Army digitization activities.
1997	Task Force XXI Advanced Warfighting Experiment.
1997	Division Advanced Warfighting Experiment.
1999	Army Transformation initiatives begin.
1999-2000	Fort Knox hosts Platform Performance Demonstration to assess available vehicles for use in new medium brigade, later designated the Stryker Brigade Combat Team.
11 September 2001	Terrorist attacks upon the World Trade Center and Pentagon.

#### **US ARMY ARMOR BRANCH-KEY DATES**

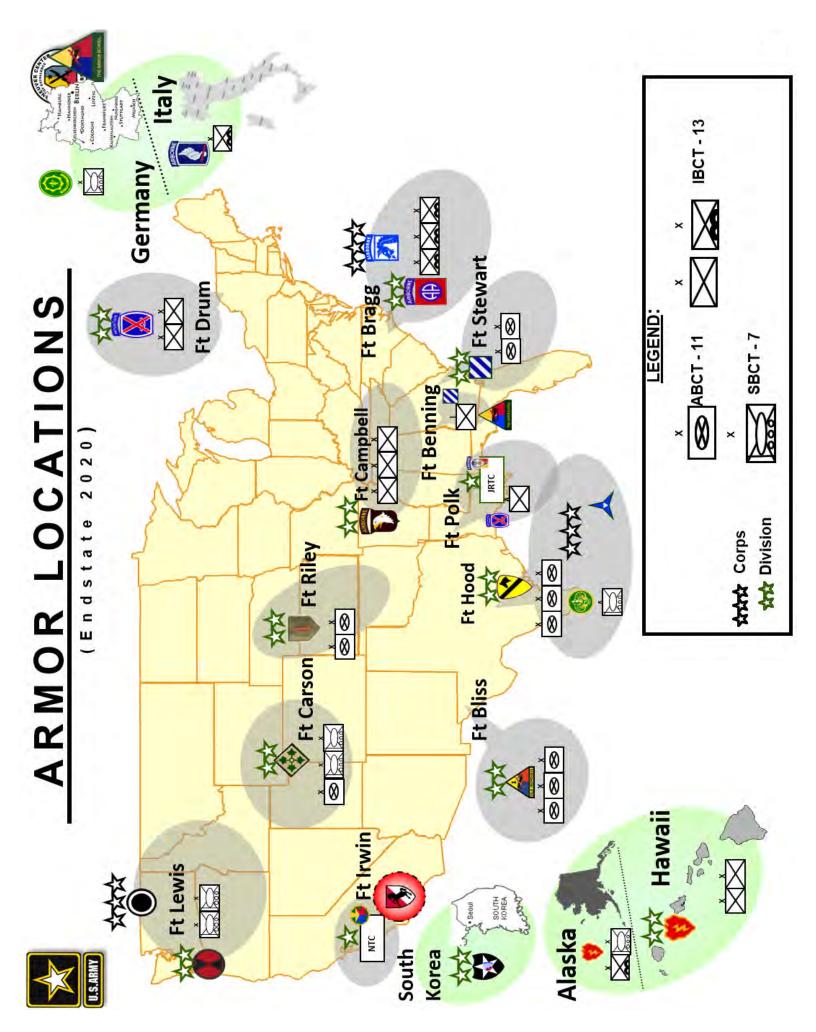
2001	Operation Enduring Freedom begins.
19 March 2003	Operation Iraqi Freedom begins.
2003	Modularity initiative restructures Army around Brigade Combat Teams (BCT) as the principal maneuver elements.
2005	BRAC announcement to relocate the Armor School to Fort Benning, Georgia as part of the Maneuver Center of Excellence.
7 July 2010	The 45th Chief of Armor and Armor School Commandant assumes duty on Fort Benning, Georgia.
28 March 2011	The first Cavalry Leaders Course begins on Fort Benning.
8 June 2011	The first Armor Basic Officer Leadership Course (BOLC) begins on Fort Benning.
10 June 2011	Armor School brigades case unit colors for Fort Knox departure.
20 June 2011	Armor School brigades uncase unit colors on Fort Benning.
21 July 2011	The first 19D Cavalry Scout One Station Unit Training course begins on Fort Benning.
5 August 2011	The first 19K Armor Crewman One Station Unit Training course begins on Fort Benning.
17 October 2011	The first Army Reconnaissance Course begins on Fort Benning.
7 - 10 May 2012	The Inaugural Sullivan Cup Best Tank Crew Gunnery competition is conducted on Fort Benning.
2 - 5 March 2013	The Inaugural Gainey Cup Best Scout Team competition is conducted on Fort Benning (Later Best Scout Squad).
1 October 2013	MCoE reorganizes into the University design with training brigades focused and aligned specifically for Initial Military Training and Functional Training.
24 September 2013	The first Donn A. Starry Writing Award is presented in the Marshall Auditorium of McGinnis-Wickam Hall to CPT Anthony M. Formica.
1 December 2016	The first Gender Integrated Armor BOLC course graduates with 52 male and 13 female Armor Branch Second Lieutenants.



20 June 2011 Uncasing Ceremony on Fort Benning, Georgia



1 December 2016 First Gender Integrated Armor BOLC Graduation



#### **RESERVE COMPONENT**

The Reserve Components (RC) of the United States Army are the US Army National Guard (ARNG) and the US Army Reserve (USAR). The nation's security requirements in the past decade have clearly demonstrated that the Army National Guard and the Army Reserve are full partners in America's Total Army. The Guard and Reserve quickly transformed from the role of Strategic Reserve Forces to Operational Reserves, serving in Operations Noble Eagle, Enduring Freedom, and Iraqi Freedom. More than 225,000 Reserve Component Soldiers were mobilized and have served in direct combat with another 150,000 Soldiers mobilized in mission support roles across the globe. In all theaters, Reserve Component Citizen-Soldiers served with distinction and answered the nation's call to defend the ideals of freedom and democracy.

#### THE ARMY NATIONAL GUARD



The Army National Guard is our nation's oldest military force. It traces its lineage to the three Regiments formed in the Massachusetts Bay Colonies in 1636. National Guard Soldiers are Citizen-Soldiers, who fulfill dual roles as ordinary citizens and as members of the Armed Forces of the United States. The ARNG's Citizen-Soldiers have been mobilized and fought in every one of our Nation's wars. The Guard is a community-based military organization and, as such, is prepared to assist cities and towns in times of natural or man -made disaster. The Guard has a unique distinction in that it must be prepared to respond to both State and Federal missions.

Today the ARNG, as part of the U.S. Army, is transforming itself to better prosecute overseas contingency operations while remaining a ready and relevant force that is prepared to defend our homeland and provide emergency relief against natural disasters. The ARNG is transforming into a modular force that will provide more flexible, responsive, and capabilities-based units that will seamlessly integrate into the larger Army. As the Army transforms itself from the Current Force to the Future Force, so will the Army National Guard.

The map illustrates the primary building block of the modular force, the Brigade Combat Team (BCT). The ARNG Armored BCTs (ABCT) have both 19Ds and 19Ks serving in their Combined Arms Battalions (CAB) and Cavalry Squadrons. Infantry BCTs (IBCT) and Stryker BCTs (SBCT) have 19Ds serving in their Cavalry Squadrons.

#### THE ARMY RESERVE



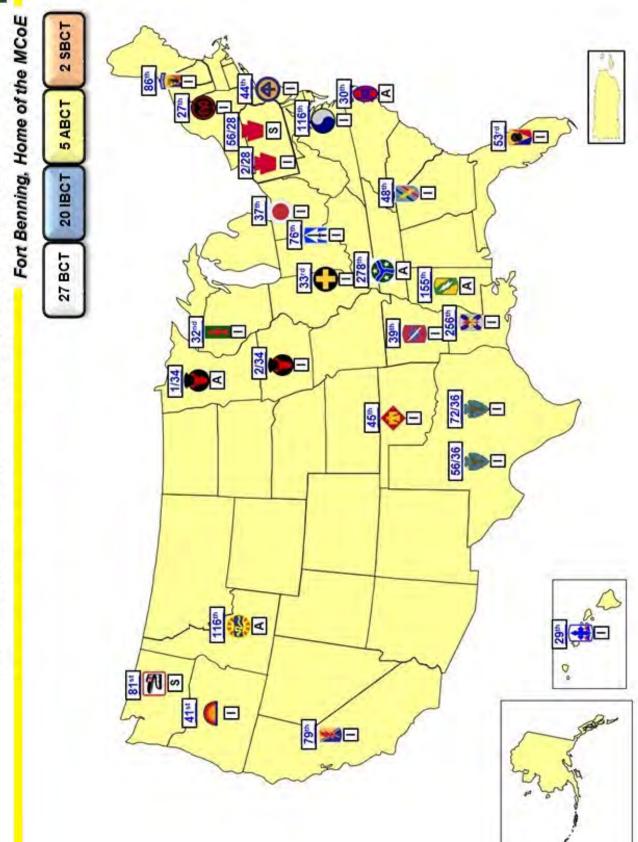
The US Army Reserve was organized in 1908 to provide a pool of physicians to support the Medical Department of the US Army in response to shortages in the Spanish-American War. From those modest beginnings, the Reserve has grown to a force of over 200,000 unit members who serve in all branches of the Army in combat, combat support, and combat service support units. The USAR's 100th Division (Institutional Training) directly supports the Armor and Cavalry force by providing Officers and NCOs who train Soldiers at the US Armor Center. The USAR also has Training

Support Brigades and Battalions that integrate Active, Guard, and Reserve Soldiers into a training support element that supports ARNG and USAR Units collective training for mobilizations.



# **ARNG BCT Locations**







# CHIEFS OF ARMOR

#### Thunderbolt 6"



1. MG Adna R. Chaffee, Jr. 2. MG Jacob L. Devers 3. MG Alvan C. Gillem, Jr. 4. MG Charles L. Scott 5. MG Hugh Gaffey 6. MG John W. Leonard 7. MG William G. Livsey 8. BG Thomas L. Harrold 9. MG Ira P. Swift 10. MG David G. Barr 11. BG A.R. Walk 12. MG Issac D. White 13. MG John H. Collier 14. MG George W. Read, Jr. 15. MG Charles V. Bromley 16. BG William H. Wood 17. MG John L. Ryan, Jr. 18. MG W. Paul Johnson 19. MG Samuel L. Meyers 20. MG Joseph E. Bastion, Jr. 21. MG Andrew J. Boyle 22. BG Albin F. Irzyk 23. MG Alexander D. Surles, Jr. 24. MG J. W. Sutherland, Jr. 25. MG Richard L. Irby 26. MG W. R. Desobry 27. MG Donn A. Starry 28. MG John W. McEnery 29. MG Thomas P. Lynch 30. MG Louis C. Wagner, Jr. 31. MG Frederic J. Brown III 32. MG Thomas H. Tait 33. MG Thomas C. Foley 34. MG Paul E. Funk 35. MG Larry R. Jordan 36. MG Lon E. Maggart 37. MG George H. Harmeyer 38. MG Burwell B. Bell III 39. MG Steven Whitcomb

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#### Thunderbolt 6"



MG Terry L. Tucker
 MG Robert M. Williams
 MG Donald M. Campbell, Jr.
 COL David A. Teeples
 MG James M. Milano
 BG Theodore D. Martin\*
 BG Thomas S. James Jr.
 BG Paul J. Laughlin
 BG Leopoldo A. Quintas
 BG Dennis S. McKean
 BG John S. Kolasheski
 BG David A. Lesperance
 BG Kevin D. Admiral
 BG Thomas M. Feltey

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\*First Chief of Armor and Armor School Commandant on Fort Benning, Georgia



#### ARMOR CENTER and SCHOOL CSMs "Thunderbolt 7"

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1. SGM Carson I. Cassidy 2. SGM S.G. Poe 3. CSM Daniel J. Mulcahey\* 4. CSM W.H. Strickland 5. CSM D.F. Ernest 6. CSM F. Cillo 7. CSM Arnold E. Orr 8. CSM B.G. Belcher 9. CSM H.F. Wren 10. CSM W.R. Price 11. CSM John W. Gillis 12. CSM John M. Stephens 13. CSM Jake C. Fryer 14. CSM Richard L. Ross 15. CSM Ronnie W. Davis 16. CSM David L. Lady 17. CSM Carl E. Christian 18. CSM William J. Gainey 19. CSM George DeSario 20. CSM Otis Smith 21. CSM John W. Troxell 22. CSM Ricky W. Young\*\* 23. CSM Miles S. Wilson 24. CSM Michael S. Clemens 25. CSM Alan K. Hummel 26. CSM Kevin J. Muhlenbeck 27. CSM Tony T. Towns 28. CSM Levares J. Jackson

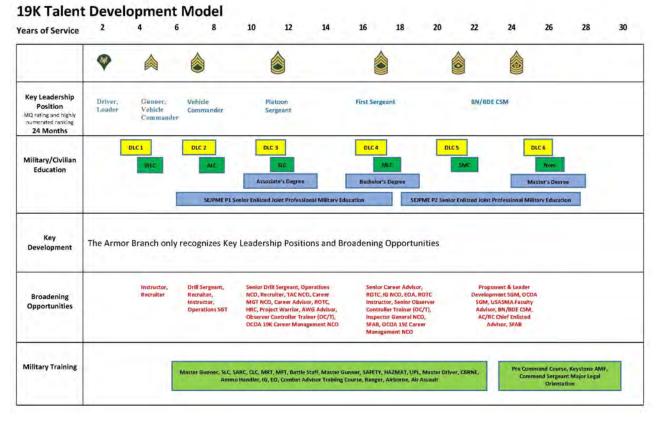
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- \* First Armor Center and Post CSM on Fort Knox, KY
- \*\* First Armor School CSM on Fort Benning, GA

## **CMF 19 Career Development**

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The opportunities to enhance Soldier's careers are numerous. Though not carved in depleted uranium, these charts show the normal timeline for an Armor/Cavalry Soldier's career progression based on enhancement opportunities. It is key to understand that a Soldier should not receive an assignment to a specialty area prior to completing the developmental requirements for his rank (see DA Pam 600-25, https://www.milsuite.mil/book/groups/smartbook-da-pam-600-25).



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#### **ARMOR OFFICER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

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#### **ARMOR TALENT MANAGEMENT STORYBOARD**

INTELLIGENCES: Bodily-Kinesthetic, Interpersonal, Spatial

**SKILLS**: Armor officers are leaders of teaAR who are experts in combined arAR, reconnaissance, and security operations. They possess the technical and tactical competence, social and cultural awareness, and oral and written communications skills needed to cultivate trust, and teamwork. Armor officers are responsible for training their units for combat to defeat lethal, adaptive enemies in all types of terrain. Armor officers lead their tank formations, closing with and destroying the enemy, as well as lead scouts conducting reconnaissance and security. They are physically fit and mentally tough, prepared to succeed under the most adverse conditions. They are leaders who possess a flexibility of mind, able to utilize multiple technologies to devise solutions to complex and dynamic challenges. Armor officers are comfortable making decisions in ambiguous environments, developing courses of action, determining and mitigating risks, then precisely and effectively communicating plans to accomplish the task or mission.

KNOWLEDGE: The Armor branch desires officers with academic backgrounds that span the entire spectrum of disciplines and majors offered at our nation's undergraduate institutions. Broad individual experiences contribute to the success of the branch.

RELEVANT TRAINING / EXPERIENCE: Leadership role in team athletics; Cadet Troop Leading Time / Leader Development Time (CTLT / CLDT) with Tank / Scout PL; Company / Troop CDR; Armor or Basic Training/OSUT units; Staff Officer (not all inclusive). Prior enlisted time in a Maneuver branch.

RELEVANT CERTIFICATIONS / ACCREDITATIONS: Scout Leader's Course; Bradley Commander and Gunner Course; Stryker Scout Commander Course; Ranger; Airborne; Air Assault; Maneuver Leader Maintenance Course.

**BEHAVIORS:** (In addition to foundational)

> COOPERATION / TEAMWORK > INITIATIVE > PROBLEM SOLVING > RESULTS ORIENTED

#### TALENT PRIORITIES:

1. MENTALLY TOUGH: Stress tolerant and emotionally mature. PerforAR well even under extreme psychological duress.

2. PHYSICALLY FIT: Physically tough, gritty, and tenacious. PerforAR well even under extreme physiological duress.

3. COMMUNICATOR: Precise, efficient, and compelling in both written and spoken word.

4. TECHNOLOGICALLY ADEPT: Understands and comfortably uses the latest technologies.

5. PROBLEM SOLVER: Able to choose between best practices and unorthodox approaches to reach a solution. Accomplishes the task.

6. INNOVATIVE: Creative, inquisitive, and insightful. Easily identifies new solutions and catalyzes change.

> SELF AWARE

#### Armor Branch Medal of Honor Recipients Civil War

- Adams, Private James F., Company D, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Anderson, Private Charles W., Company K, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- Anderson, Sergeant Everett W., Company M, 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Anderson, Corporal Thomas, Company I, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Arnold, Captain Abraham K., 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Bates, Sergeant Norman F., Company E, 4th Iowa Cavalry
- Baybutt, Private Philip, Company A, 2d Massachusetts Cavalry
- Beaumont, Major and Assistant Adjutant General Eugene B., Cavalry Corps, Army of the Mississippi
- Bebb, Private Edward J., Company D, 4th Iowa Cavalry
- Benjamin, Corporal John F., Company M, 2d New York Cavalry
- Betts, Lieutenant Colonel Charles M., 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Bickford, Corporal Henry H., Company E, 8th New York Cavalry
- Bieger, Private Charles, Company D, 4th Missouri Cavalry
- Birdsall, Sergeant Horatio L., Company B, 3d Iowa Cavalry
- Blackmar, Lieutenant Wilmon W., Company H, 1st West Virginia
- Bliss, Captain George N., Company C, 1st Rhode Island Cavalry
- Blunt, First Lieutenant John W., Company K, 6th New York Cavalry
- Boehm, Second Lieutenant Peter M., Company K, 15th New York Cavalry
- Bonebrake, Lieutenant Henry G., Company G, 17th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Boon, Captain Hugh P., Company B, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Bourke, Private John G., Company E, 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Boury, Sergeant Richard, Company C, 1st West Virginia
- Bowen, Corporal Chester B., Company I, 19th New York Cavalry (1st New York Dragoons)
- Brewer, Private William J., Company C, 2d New York Cavalry
- Bringle, Corporal Andrew, Company F, 10th New York Cavalry
- Bruner, Private Louis J., Company H, 5th Indiana Cavalry
- Bruton (Braton), Captain Christopher C., Company C, 22d New York Cavalry
- Burke, Private Thomas, Company A, 5th New York Cavalry
- Cadwell, Sergeant Luman L., Company B, 2d New York Veteran Cavalry
- Caldwell, Sergeant Daniel, Company H, 13th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Calkin, First Sergeant Ivers S., Company M, 2d New York Cavalry
- Campbell, Private James A., Company A, 2d New York Cavalry
- Capehart, Major Charles E., 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Capehart, Colonel Henry, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Capron, Sergeant Horace Jr., Company G, 8th Illinois Cavalry
- Carey, Sergeant James L., Company G, 10th New York Cavalry
- Carman, Private Warren, Company H, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- Carr, Colonel Eugene A., 3d Illinois Cavalry
- Chandler, Quartermaster Sergeant Stephen E., Company A, 24th New York Cavalry
- Clancy, Sergeant James T., Company C, 1st New Jersey Cavalry

- Cockley, First Lieutenant David L., Company L, 10th Ohio Cavalry
- Cole, Corporal Gabriel, Company I, 5th Michigan Cavalry
- Collins, Corporal Harrison, Company A, 1st Tennessee Cavalry
- Compson, Major Hartwell B., 8th New York Cavalry
- Cosgriff, Private Richard H., Company L, 4th Iowa Cavalry
- Crocker, Private Ulric L., Company M, 6th Michigan Cavalry
- Crowley, Private Michael, Company A, 22d New York Cavalry
- Cunningham, First Sergeant Francis M., Company H, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Custer, Second Lieutenant Thomas W., Company B, 6th Michigan Cavalry
- Davidsizer, Sergeant John A., Company A, 1st Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Davis, Major Charles C., 7th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Di Cesnola, Colonel Louis P., 4th New York Cavalry
- Dodds, Sergeant Edward E., Company C, 21st New York
  Cavalry
- Donaldson, Sergeant John, Company L, 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Dorley, Private August, Company B, 1st Louisiana Cavalry
- Dougherty, Private Michael, Company B, 13th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Downey, Private William, Company B, 4th Massachusetts Cavalry
- Duffey, Private John, Company B, 4th Massachusetts Cavalry
- Dunlavy, Private James, Company D, 3d Iowa Cavalry
- Elliott, Sergeant Alexander, Company A, 1st Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Elliott, Sergeant Russell C., Company B, 3d Massachusetts Cavalry
- Elise, First Sergeant William, Company K, 3d Wisconsin Cavalry
- Evans, Private Coron D., Company A, 3d Indiana Cavalry
- Fanning, Private Nicholas, Company B, 4th Iowa Cavalry
- Farnsworth, Sergeant Major Herbert E., 10th New York Cavalry
- Ferrier, Sergeant Daniel T., Company K, 2d Indiana Cavalry
- Fox, Sergeant Henry M., Company M, 5th Michigan Cavalry
- Furness, Captain Frank, Company F, 6th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Galloway, Commissary Sergeant John, 8th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Gause, Corporal Isaac, Company E, 2d Ohio Cavalry
- Gifford, Private David L., Company B, 4th Massachusetts
  Cavalry
- Goheen, First Sergeant Charles A., Company G, 8th New York Cavalry
- Goodrich, First Lieutenant Edwin, Company D, 9th New York Cavalry
- Grebe, Captain M.R. William, Company F, 4th Missouri Cavalry
- Gribben, Lieutenant James H., Company C, 2d New York Cavalry

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- Gwynne, Private Nathaniel, Company H, 13th Ohio Cavalry
- Hadley, Sergeant Cornelius M., Company F, 9th Michigan Cavalry
- Hanford, Private Edward R., Company H, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Harris, First Lieutenant Moses, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Hart, Private William E., Company B, 8th New York Cavalry
- Harvey, Corporal Harry, Company A, 22d New York Cavalry
- Hastings, Captain Smith H., Company M, 5th Michigan Cavalry
- Hays, Private John H., Company F, 4th Iowa Cavalry
- Healey, Private George W., Company E, 5th Iowa Cavalry
- Hedges, First Lieutenant Joseph, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Heermance, Captain William L., Company C, 6th New York Cavalry
- Hickey, Sergeant Dennis W., Company E, 2d New York Cavalry
- Higby, Private Charles, Company F, 1st Pennsylvania
- Hills, Private William G., Company E, 9th New York Cavalry
- Hoffman, Corporal Henry, Company M, 2d Ohio Cavalry
- Holmes, Private William T., Company A, 3d Indiana Cavalry
- Holton, First Sergeant Charles M., Company A, 7th Michigan Cavalry
- Hooper, Corporal William B., Company L, 1st New Jersey
- Houlton, Commissary Sergeant William, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Hughey, Corporal John, Company L, 2d Ohio Cavalry
- Hunterson, Private John C., Company B, 3d Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Jordan, Corporal Absalom, Company A, 3d Indiana Cavalry
- Kelly, Sergeant Daniel, Company G, 8th New York Cavalry
- Kelly, Private Thomas, Company A, 6th New York Cavalry
- Kenyon, Sergeant John S., Company D, 3d New York Cavalry
- Kenyon, Private Samuel P., Company B, 24th New York Cavalry
- Kerr, Captain Thomas R., Company C, 14th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Kimball, Private Joseph, Company B, 2d West Virginia
- Kuder, Second Lieutenant Andrew, Company G, 8th New York Cavalry
- Ladd, Private George, Company H, 22d New York Cavalry
- Landis, Chief Bugler James P., 1st Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Lanfare, First Lieutenant Aaron S., Company B, 1st Connecticut Cavalry
- Larimer, Corporal Smith, Company G, 2d Ohio Cavalry
- Leslie, Private Frank, Company B, 4th New York Cavalry
- Locke, Private Lewis, Company A, 1st New Jersey
- Lonsway, Private Joseph, Company D, 20th New York Cavalry
- Lorish, Commissary Sergeant Andrew J., 19th New York Cavalry (1st New York Dragoons)
- Lucas, Private George W., Company C., 3d Missouri Cavalry
- Lyman, Quartermaster Sergeant Joel H., Company B, 9th New York Cavalry
- Lyon, Corporal Frederick A, Company A, 1st Vermont Cavalry
- Madison, Sergeant James, Company E, 8th New York Cavalry
- Mandy, First Sergeant Harry J., Company B, 4th New York Cavalry
- Marsh, Private Charles H., Company D, 1st Connecticut Cavalry
- McElhinny, Private Samuel O., Company A, 2d West Virginia Cavalry

- McEnroe, Sergeant Patrick H., Company D, 6th New York Cavalry
- McKeever, Private Michael, Company K, 5th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- McWhorter, Commissary Sergeant Walter F., Company E, 3d West Virginia Cavalry
- Meach, Farrier George E., Company I, 6th New York Cavalry
- Meyer, Captain Henry C., Company D, 24th New York Cavalry
- Miller, Private Frank, Company M, 2d New York Cavalry
- Miller, Private John, Company H, 8th New York Cavalry
- Miller, Captain William E., Company H, 3d Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Morgan, Corporal Richard H., Company A, 4th Iowa Cavalry
- Morris, Sergeant William, Company C, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- Myers, Private William H., Company A, 1st Maryland Cavalry
- Neville, Captain Edwin M., Company C, 1st Connecticut Cavalry
- Niven, Second Lieutenant Robert, Company H, 8th New York Cavalry
- Norton, Second Lieutenant Elliott M., Company H, 6th Michigan Cavalry
- Norton, Lieutenant John R., Company M, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- Norton, Sergeant Llewellyn P., Company L, 10th New York Cavalry
- O'Brien, Private Peter, Company A, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- O'Connor, Private Timothy, Company E, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Packard, Private Loron F., Company E, 5th New York Cavalry
- Palmer, Musician George H., 1st Illinois Cavalry
- Palmer, Colonel William J., 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Parks, Private Henry Jeremiah, Company A, 9th New York Cavalry
- Payne, Corporal Irvin C., Company M, 2d New York Cavalry
- Peirsol, Sergeant James K., Company F, 13th Ohio Cavalry
- Pitman, Sergeant George J., Company C, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- Platt, Private George C., Troop H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Pond, Private George F., Company C, 3d Wisconsin Cavalry
- Pond, First Lieutenant James B., Company C, 3d Wisconsin Cavalry
- Porter, Commissary Sergeant Ambrose, Company D, 12th Missouri Cavalry
- Porter, Sergeant William, Company H, 1st New Jersey Cavalry
- Powell, Major William H., 2d West Virginia Cavalry
- Power, Private Albert, Company A, 3d Iowa Cavalry
- Preston, First Lieutenant and Commissary Noble D., 10th New York Cavalry
- Putnam, Sergeant Edgar P., Company D, 9th New York Cavalry
- Ranney, Assistant Surgeon George E., 2d Michigan Cavalry

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#### **Civil War**

- Read, Lieutenant Morton A., Company D, 8th New York Cavalry
- Reynolds, Private George, Company M, 9th New York Cavalry
- Rhodes, Private Julius D., Company F, 5th New York Cavalry
- Richardson, Private William R., Company A, 2d Ohio Cavalry
- Riley, Private Thomas, Company D, 1st Louisiana Cavalry
- Robinson, Private James H., Company B, 3d Michigan Cavalry
- Rodenbough, Captain Theophilus F., Captain, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Rohm, Chief Bugler Ferdinand F., 16th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Rowand, Private Archibald H. Jr., Company K, 1st West Virginia
- Rutherford, First Lieutenant John T., Company L, 9th New York Cavalry
- Sagelhurst, Sergeant John C., Company B, 1st New Jersey Cavalry
- Savacool, Captain Edwin F., Company K, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- Scanlan, Private Patrick, Company A, 4th Massachusetts Cavalry
- Schmal, Blacksmith George W., Company M, 24th New York Cavalry
- Schmidt, First Sergeant Conrad, Company K, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Schoonmaker, Colonel James M., 14th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Schorn, Chief Bugler Charles, Company M, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Schwenk, Sergeant Martin, Company B, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Scofield, Quartermaster Sergeant David H., Company K, 5th New York Cavalry
- Seward, Wagoner Griffin, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Shahan, Corporal Emisire, Company A, 1st West Virginia Cavalry
- Shepherd, Private William, Company A, 3d Indiana Cavalry
- Shields, Private Bernard, Company E, 2d West Virginia Cavalry
- Slusher, Private Henry C., Company F, 22d Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Smith, Colonel Charles H., 1st Maine Cavalry
- Southard, Sergeant David, Company C, 1st New Jersey Cavalry
- Sova, Saddler Joseph E., Company H, 8th New York Cavalry
- Sowers, Private Michael, Company L, 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry Spillane, Private Timothy, Company C, 16th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Spurling, Lieutenant Colonel Andrew B., 2d Main Cavalry
- Stewart, First Sergeant George W., Company E, 1st New Jersey Cavalry
- Streile, Private Christian, Company I, 1st New Jersey Cavalry
- Swan, Private Charles A., Company K, 4th Iowa Cavalry
- Sweeney, Private James, Company A, 1st Vermont Cavalry
- Taylor, First Lieutenant Anthony, Company A, 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Thaxter, Major Sidney W., 1st Maine Cavalry
- Thomas, Major Hampton S., 1st Pennsylvania Veteran Cavalry
- Thomson, First Lieutenant Clifford, Company A, 1st New York (Lincoln) Cavalry
- Tibbets, Private Andrew W., Company I, 3d Iowa Cavalry
- Titus, Sergeant Charles, Company H, 1st New Jersey Cavalry
- Toban, Sergeant James W., Company C, 9th Michigan Cavalry
- Tobie, Sergeant Major Edward P., 1st Maine Cavalry
- Tompkins, Sergeant Aaron B., Company G, 1st New Jersey Cavalry

- Tompkins, First Lieutenant Charles H., 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Traynor, Corporal Andrew, Company D, 1st Michigan Cavalry
- Tribe, Private John, Company G, 5th New York Cavalry
- Tweedale, Private John, Company B, 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Vanderslice, Private John M., Company D, 8th Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Walsh, Corporal John, Company D, 5th New York Cavalry
- Ward, Private Nelson W., Company M, 11th Pennsylvania
- Warfel, Private Henry C., Company A, 1st Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Wells, Chief Bugler Thomas M., 6th New York Cavalry
- Weston, Major John F., 4th Kentucky Cavalry
- Whitaker, Captain Edward W., Company E, 1st Connecticut Cavalry
- Wilson, Sergeant Charles E., Company A, 1st New Jersey Cavalry
- Winegar, Lieutenant William W., Company B, 19th New York Cavalry (1st New York Dragoons)
- Woodbury, Sergeant Eri D., Company E., 1st Vermont Cavalry
- Woods, Private Daniel A., Company K, 1st Virginia Cavalry
- Young, Sergeant Andrew J., Company F, 1st Pennsylvania Cavalry
- Young, Sergeant Cavalry M., Company L, 3d Iowa Cavalry

#### **Indian Wars**

- Alchesay, Sergeant, Indian Scouts,
- Anderson, Private James, Company M, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Aston, Private Edgar R., Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Austin, Sergeant William G., Company E, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Ayers, Private James F., Company H., 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Babcock, First Lieutenant John B., 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Bailey, Sergeant James E., Company E, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Bancroft, Private Neil, Company A, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Barrett, First Sergeant Richard, Company A, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Beauford, First Sergeant Clay, Company B, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Bergerndahl, Private Frederick, Band, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Bertram, Corporal Heinrich, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Bessey, Corporal Charles A., Company A, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Bishop, Sergeant Daniel, Company A, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Blair, First Sergeant James, Company I, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Blanquet, Indian Scouts
- Bowden, Corporal Samuel, Company M, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Bowman, Sergeant Alonzo, Company D, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Boyne, Sergeant Thomas, Company C, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Bradbury, First Sergeant Sanford, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Branagan, Edward, Company F, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Brant, Private Abram B., Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Bratling, Corporal Frank, Company C, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Brett, Second Lieutenant Lloyd M, 2d U.S. Cavalry

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- Brogan, Sergeant James, Company G, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Brophy, Private James, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Brown, Sergeant James, Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Burke, Farrier Patrick J., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Burnett, Second Lieutenant George R., 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Callen, Private Thomas J., Company B, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Canfield, Private Heth, Company C, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Carpenter, Captain Louis H., Company H, 10th U.S. Cavalry
- Carr, Private John, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Carroll, Private Thomas, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Carter, Private George, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Carter, Second Lieutenant Robert G., 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Carter, First Lieutenant William H., 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Chapman, Scout Amos, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Cheever, First Lieutenant Benjamin H. Jr., 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Chiquito, Indian Scouts
- Clark, Private Wilfred, Company L, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Clark, Second Lieutenant Powhatan H., 10th U.S. Cavalry
- Cody, Scout William F., 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Comfort, John W., Company A, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Connor, John, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Corcoran, Corporal Michael, Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Co-rux-te-chod-ish (Mad Bear), Sergeant, Pawnee Scouts, U.S. Army
- Craig, Sergeant Samuel H., Company D, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Crandall, Private Charles, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Crist, Sergeant John, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Criswell, Sergeant Banjamin C., Company b, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Cruse, Second Lieutenant Thomas, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Cubberly, Private William G., Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Cunningham, Corporal Charles, Company B, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Daily, Private Charles, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Daniels, Sergeant James T., Company L, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Dawson, Trumpeter Michael, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Day, Second Lieutenant Matthias W., 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Day, First Sergeant William L., Company E, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Deary, Sergeant George, Company L, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Deetline, Private Frederick, Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Denny, Sergeant John, Company C, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Dickens, Corporal Charles H., Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Dixon, Scout William, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Dodge, Captain Francis S., Troop D, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Donahue, John L., Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Donavan, Sergeant Cornelius, Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Dougherty, Blacksmith William, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Dowling, Corporal James, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Eldridge, Sergeant George H., Company C, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Elsatsoosu, Corporal, Indian Scouts
- Elwood, Private Edwin L., Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry

- Emmet, Second Lieutenant Robert Temple, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Factor, Private Pompey, Indian Scouts
- Falcott, Sergeant Henry, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Farren, Private Daniel, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Feaster, Private Mosheim, Company E, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Ferrari, Corporal George, Company D, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Fichter, Private Hermann, Company F, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Foley, Sergeant John H., Company B, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Folly, Private William H., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Foran, Private Nicholas, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Forsyth, First Sergeant Thomas H., Company M, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Foster, Sergeant William, Company F, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Gardiner, Private Peter W., Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Gardner, Private Charles, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Garland, Corporal Harry, Company L, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Garlington, First Lieutenant Ernest A., 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Gates, Bugler George, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Gay, Private Thomas H., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Geiger, Sergeant George, Company H, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Georgian, Private John, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Given, Corporal John J., Company K, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Glavinski, Blacksmith Albert, Company M, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Glover, Sergeant T.B., Troop B, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Glynn, Private Michael, Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Godfrey, Captain Edwin S., Captain, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Golden, Sergeant Patrick, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Goldin, Private Theodore W., Troop G, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Goodman, Private David, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Greaves, Corporal Clinton, Company C, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Green, Sergeant Francis C., Company K, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Green, Major John, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Gresham, First Lieutenant John C., 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Grimes, Sergeant Edward P., Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Gunther, Corporal Jacob, Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Hall, Private John, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Hall, First Lieutenant William P., 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Hamilton, Private Frank, Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Hamilton, Private Mathew H., Company G, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Hanley, Sergeant Richard P., Company C, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Harding, Blacksmith Mosher A., Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Harrington, Private John, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Harris, Sergeant Charles D., Company D, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Harris, Private David W., Company A, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Harris, Private William M., Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Haupt, Corporal Paul, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Heartery, Private Richard, Company D, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Heise, Private Clamor, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry

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- Higgins, Private Thomas P., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Hill, Sergeant Frank E., Company E, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Hill, First Sergeant James M., Company A, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Hillock, Private Marvin C., Company B, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Himmelsback, Private Michael, Company C, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Hinemann, Sergeant Lehmann, Company L, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Hobday, Private George, Company A, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Holden, Private Henry, Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Hooker, Private George, Company K, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Hoover, Bugler Samuel, Company A, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Hornaday, Private Simpson, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Howze, Second Lieutenant Robert L., Company K, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Hubbard, Private Thomas, Company C, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Huff, Private James W., Company L, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Huggins, Captain Eli L., 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Hutchinson, Sergeant Rufus D., Company B, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Hyde, Sergeant Henry J., Company M, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Jackson, Captain James, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Jetter, Sergeant Bernhard, Company K, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Jim, Sergeant, Indian Scouts
- Johnson, Sergeant Henry, Company D, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Jones, Farrier William H., Company L, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Jordan, Sergeant George, Company K, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Kay, Private John, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Keating, Corporal Daniel, Company M, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Keenan, Trumpeter Bartholomew T., Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Keenan, Private John, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Kelley, Private Charles, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Kelsay, Indian Scouts
- Kerr, Captain John B., 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Kerrigan, Sergeant Thomas, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Kilmartin, Private John, Company F, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Kirk, First Sergeant John, Company L, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Kirkwood, Sergeant John A., Company M, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Kitchen, Sergeant George K., Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Knaak, Private Albert, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Knight, Sergeant Joseph F., Troop F, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Kosoha, Indian Scouts
- Kyle, Corporal John, Company M, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Larkin, Farrier David, Company F, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Lawrence, Private James, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Lawton, Sergeant John S., Company D, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Lenihan, Private James, Company K, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Leonard, Sergeant Patrick J., Company C, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Leonard, Private William, Company L, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Lewis, Private William B., Company L, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Little, Bugler Thomas, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Lohnes, Private Francis W., Company H, 1st Nebraska Cavalry

- Lowthers, Private James, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Loyd, Sergeant George, Company I, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Lytle, Sergeant Leonidas S., Company C, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Machol, Private, Indian Scouts
- Mahers, Private Herbert, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Mahoney, Private Gregory, Company E, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Martin, Sergeant Patrick, Company G, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Matthews, Corporal David A., Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- May, Sergeant John, Company L, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- McBride, Private Bernard, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- McBryar, Sergeant William, Company K, 10th U.S. Cavalry
- McCabe, Private William, Company E, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- McCarthy, First Sergeant Michael, Troop H, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- McClernand, Second Lieutenant Edward J., 2d U.S. Cavalry
- McDonald, Corporal James, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- McGann, First Sergeant Michael A., Company F, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- McKinley, Private Daniel, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- McMasters, Corporal Henry A., Company A, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- McMillan, Sergeant Albert W., Company E, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- McNally, First Sergeant James, Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- McNamara, First Sergeant William, Company F, 4th U.S. Cavalry McVeagh, Private Charles H., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Meaher, Corporal Nicholas, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Mechlin, Blacksmith Henry W.B., Company H, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Merrill, Sergeant John, Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Miller, Private Daniel H., Company F, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Miller, Private George W., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Mitchell, Corporal John J., Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Moquin, Corporal George, Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Moran, Private John, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Morgan, Second Lieutenant George H., 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Moriarity, Sergeant John, Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Morris, First Sergeant James L., Company C, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Morris, Corporal William W., Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Mott, Sergeant John, Company F, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Moylan, Captain Myles, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Murphy, Private Edward, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Murphy, Corporal Edward F., Company D, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Murphy, Private Jeremiah, Company M, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Murphy, Corporal Philip, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Murphy, Corporal Thomas, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Murray, Sergeant Thomas, Company B, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Myers, Sergeant Fred, Company K, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Nannasaddie, Indian Scouts

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- Nantaje (Nantahe), Indian Scouts
- Neal, Private Solon D., Company L, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Neder, Private Adam, Company A, 7th U.S. Cavalry

#### Armor Branch Medal of Honor Recipients Indian Wars

- Neilon, Sergeant Frederick S., Company A, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Newman, First Sergeant Henry, Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Nihill, Private John, Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Nolan, Richard J., Company I, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- O'Callaghan, Sergeant John, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Oliver, First Sergeant Francis, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- O'Neill, Corporal William, Company I, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- O'Regan, Private Michael, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Orr, Private Moses, Company A, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Osborne, Sergeant William, Company M, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- O'Sullivan, Private John, Company I, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Paine, Private Adam, Indian Scouts
- Parnell, First Lieutenant William R., 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Payne, Trumpeter Isaac, Indian Scouts
- Pengally, Private Edward, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Pennsyl, Sergeant Josiah, Company M, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Phife, Sergeant Lewis, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Philipsen, Blacksmith Wilhelm O, Troop D, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Phillips, Private Samuel D., Company H, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Phoenix, Corporal Edwin, Company E, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Platten, Sergeant Frederick, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Poppe, Sergeant John A., Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Porter, Farrier Samuel, Company L, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Pratt, Blacksmith James, Company I, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Pym, Private James, Company B, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Raerick, Private John, Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Ragnar, First Sergeant Theodore, Company K, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Rankin, Private William, Company F, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Reed, Private James C., Company A, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Richman, Private Samuel, Company E, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Roach, Corporal Hampton M., Company F, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Robbins, Private Marcus M., Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Robinson, First Sergeant Joseph, Company D, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Roth, Private Peter, Company A, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Rowalt, Private John F., Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Rowdy, Sergeant, Company A, Indian Scouts
- Roy, Sergeant Stanislaus, Company A, 7th Cavalry
- Russell, Private James, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Ryan, First Sergeant Dennis, Company I, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Sale, Private Albert, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Schnitzer, Wagoner John, Troop G, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Schroeter, Private Charles, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Scott, Private George D., Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Scott, Private Robert B., Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Shaffer, Private William, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Sharpless, Corporal Edward C., Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Shaw, Sergeant Thomas, Company K, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Sheerin, Blacksmith John, Company C, 8th U.S. Cavalry

- Shingle, First Sergeant John H., Troop 1, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Sergeant Andrew J., Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Corporal Charles E., Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Corporal Cornelius C., Company K, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Private George W., Company M, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Private Otto, Company K, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Private Theodore F., Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Private Thomas, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Private Thomas J., Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Private William, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Smith, Private William H., Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Snow, Trumpeter Elmer A., Company M, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Spence, Private Orizoba, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Springer, Private George, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Stance, Sergeant Emanuel, Company F, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Stanley, Private Eben, Company A, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Stanley, Corporal Edward, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Stauffer, First Sergeant Rudolph, Company K, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Steiner, Saddler Christian, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Stickoffer, Sadler Julius H., Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Stivers, Private Thomas W., Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Stokes, First Sergeant Alonzo, Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Strayer, Private William H., Company B, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Strivson, Private Benoni, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Sullivan, Private Thomas, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Sullivan, Private Thomas, Company E, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Sumner, Private James, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Sutherland, Corporal John A., Company L, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Taylor, Sergeant Bernard, Company A, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Taylor, First Sergeant Charles, Company D, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Taylor, Corporal Wilbur N., Company K, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Tea, Sergeant Richard L., Company H, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Thomas, Sergeant Charles L., Company E, 11th Ohio Cavalry
- Thompson, Private George W., Company C, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Thompson, Sergeant John, Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Thompson, Private Peter, Company C, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Tolan, Private Frank, Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry Toy, First Sergeant Frederick E., Company C, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Tracy, Private John, Company G, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Trautman, First Sergeant Jacob, Company I, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Turpin, First Sergeant James H., Company L, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Varnum, Captain Charles A., Company B, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Veuve, Farrier Ernest, Company A, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Voit, Saddler Otto, Company H, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Vokes, First Sergeant Leroy H., Company B, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Von Medem, Sergeant Rudolph, Company A, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Walker, Private Allen, Company C, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Walker, Private John, Company D, 8th U.S. Cavalry

#### **Armor Branch Medal of Honor Recipients** Vera Cruz 1914

#### **Indian Wars**

- Walley, Private Augustus, Company I, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Ward, Private Charles H., Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Warrington, First Lieutenant Lewis, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Watson, Corporal James C., Company I, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Watson, Private Joseph, Company F, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Weaher, Private Andrew J., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Weiss, Private Enoch R., Company G, 1st U.S. Cavalry
- Welch, Sergeant Charles H., Company D, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Welch, Sergeant Michael, Company M, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- West, First Lieutenant Frank, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Widmer, First Sergeant Jacob, Company D, 5th U.S. Cavalry
- Wilder, First Lieutenant Wilber E., 4th U.S. Cavalry •
- Wilkens, First Sergeant Henry, Company L, 2d U.S. Cavalry
- Williams, First Sergeant Moses, Company I, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Wills, Private Henry, Company C, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Wilson, Private Benjamin, Company M, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Wilson, Sergeant William, Company I, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Wilson, Corporal William O., Company I, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Windolph, Private Charles, Company H, 7th U.S. Cavalry
- Windus, Bugler Claron A., Company L, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Winterbottom, Sergeant William, Company A, 6th U.S. Cavalry •
- Witcome, Private Joseph, Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Woodall, Sergeant Zachariah, Company I, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Woods, Sergeant Brent, Company B, 9th U.S. Cavalry
- Wortman, Sergeant George G., Company B, 8th U.S. Cavalry
- Yount, Private John P., Company F, 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Ziegner, Private Hermann, Company E, 7th U.S. Cavalry

#### War with Spain 1898

- Baker, Sergeant Major Edward L. Jr., 10th U.S. cavalry
- Bell, Private Dennis, Troop H, 10th U.S. Cavalry
- Church, Assistant Surgeon James Robb, 1st U.S. Volunteer Cavalry .
- Heard, First Lieutenant John W., 3d U.S. Cavalry
- Lee, Private Fitz, Troop M, 10th U.S. Cavalry •
- Thompkins, Private William H., Troop G, 10th U.S. Cavalry
- Wanton, Private George H., Troop M, 10th U.S. Cavalry

#### Philippine Insurrection 1899-1902

- Batson, First Lieutenant Matthew A., 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Henderson, Sergeant Joseph, Troop B, 6th U.S. Cavalry
- Kennedy, Second Lieutenant John T., 6th U.S. Cavalry
- McGrath, Captain Hugh J., 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Miller, First Lieutenant Archie, 6th U.S. Cavalry •
- Mosher, Second Lieutenant Louis C., Philippine Scouts
- Nisperos, Private Jose B., 34th Company, Philippine Scouts ٠
- Quinn, Private Peter H., Company L, 4th U.S. Cavalry
- Wilson, Second Lieutenant Arthur H., 6th U.S. Cavalry

Gaujot, Captain Julien E., Troop K, 1st U.S. Cavalry •

#### World War I

- Call, Corporal Donald M, 344th Tank Battalion, Tank Corps •
- Roberts, Corporal Harold W., Company A, 344th Tank Battalion, • Tank Corps

#### World War II\*

- Boyce, Second Lieutenant George W.G. Jr., 112th Cavalry • Regimental Team
- Burr, Staff Sergeant Herbert H., Company C, 41st Tank Battalion, 11th Armored Division
- Burt, Captain James M., Company B, 66th Armored Regiment, 2d Armored Division
- Christensen, Second Lieutenant Dale Eldon, Troop E, 112th Cavalry Regiment
- Dietz, Staff Sergeant Robert H., Company A, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, 7th Armored Division
- Fields, First Lieutenant James H., 10th Armored Infantry, 4th • Armored Division
- Fowler, Second Lieutenant Thomas W., 1st Armored Division
- Gammon, Staff Sergeant Archer T., Company A, 9th Armored Infantry Battalion, 6th Armored Division
- Harris, Second Lieutenant James L., 756th Tank Battalion •
- Hendrix, Private James R., Company C, 53d Armored Infantry Battalion, 4th Armored Division Kelly, Corporal Thomas J., Medical Detachment, 48th Armored Infantry Battalion, 7th Armored Division
- Kisters, Second Lieutenant Gerry H., 2d Armored Division
- Knight, First Lieutenant Jack L., 124th Cavalry Regiment, Mars • Task Force
- Lee, First Lieutenant Daniel W., Troop A, 117th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron
- Minue, Private Nicholas, Company A, 6th Armored Infantry Battalion, 1st Armored Division
- Rivers, Staff Sergeant Ruben, Company A, 761st Tank Battalion •
- Sadowski, Sergeant Joseph J., 37th Tank Battalion, 4th Armored • Division
- Thorne, Corporal Horace M., Troop D, 89th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, 9th Armored Division
- Turner, Private First Class George B., Battery C, 499th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 14th Armored Division
- Whittington, Sergeant Hulon B., 41st Armored Infantry Regiment, 2d Armored Division
- Zussman, Second Lieutenant Raymond, 756th Tank Battalion 1st Cavalry Division Medal of Honor recipients are not listed here, since the division was organized and employed as an infantry rather than an armor or cavalry formation.

#### **Armor Branch Medal of Honor Recipients**

#### Korean War\*

- Kouma, Master Sergeant Ernest R., Company A, 72d Tank Battalion
- Turner, Sergeant First Class Charles W., 2d Reconnaissance Company, 2d Infantry Division

1st Cavalry Division Medal of Honor recipients are not listed here, since the division was organized and employed as an infantry rather than an armor or cavalry formation.

#### Vietnam

- Alvarado, Specialist Fourth Class Leonard, Company D, 2d Battalion, 12th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Duran, Sergeant Jesus, Company E, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Fritz, Captain Harold A., Troop A, 1st Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment
- Johnson, Specialist Fifth Class Dwight H., Company B, 1st Battalion, 69th Armor, 4th Infantry Division
- Marm, First Lieutenant Walter Joseph Jr., Company A, 1st Battalion, 7th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- McKibben, Sergeant Ray, Troop B, 7th Squadron (Airmobile), 17th Cavalry
- McWethy, Specialist Fifth Class Edgar Lee Jr., company B, 1st Battalion, 5th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Monroe, Private First Class James H., Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Patterson, Sergeant Robert Martin, Troop B, 2d Squadron, 17th Cavalry
- Port, Sergeant William D., Company C, 5th Battalion, 7th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Poxon, First Lieutenant Robert Leslie, Troop B, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Santiago-Colon, Specialist Fourth Class Hector, Company B, 5th Battalion, 7th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Skidgel, Sergeant Donald Sidney, Troop D, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Sprayberry, Captain James M., Company D, 5th Battalion, 7th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Steindam, First Lieutenant Russell A., Troop B, 3d Squadron, 4th Cavalry, 25th Infantry Division
- Stewart, Staff Sergeant Jimmy G., Company B, 2d Battalion, 12th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile)
- Taylor, Captain James Allen, Troop B, 1st Cavalry, Americal Division
- Wickam, Corporal Jerry Wayne, Troop F, 2d Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment
- Yano, Sergeant First Class Rodney J.T., Air Cavalry Troop, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment

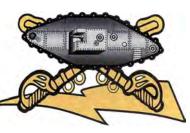
#### Afghanistan

- Carter, Specialist Ty M., B Troop, 3d Squadron, 61st Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division
- Monti, Sergeant First Class Jared C., Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 3d Squadron, 71st Cavalry Regiment, 3d Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division
- Romesha, Staff Sergeant Clinton L., Bravo Troop, 3d Squadron, 61st Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

## **Armor Recognition Programs**

#### **Excellence in Armor (EIA)**

Effective 1 June 2020, the Excellence in Armor (EIA) program will sunset for operational units, and become a TRADOC only program executed by both 194th and 316th Brigades. With the introduction of the Expert Soldier Badge (ESB), we wanted to help reduce the burden of evaluations and assessments expected. Those 19-series personnel who receive the ESB can receive the EIA designation by submitting request to the Armor School. Soldiers attending One Station Unit Training (OSUT) in the rank of Private to Sergeant, as well as Lieutenants in Armor Basic Officer Leader Course will be eligible to receive the award.



#### Armor Officer / Enlisted Project Warrior

The Project Warrior is a program designed to spread the knowledge and expertise developed by the best Armor officers and NCOS to the Armor force. While Officers are selected from the Combat Training Centers (CTC), NCOs are selected from the operational force to be assigned for 18-24 months at a CTC as an Observer/Controller. Officers receive a follow-on assignment to Fort Benning to serve as Maneuver Captain Career Course Small Group Instructors (SGI). NCOs receive a follow-on assignment to Fort Benning to fill key instructor positions in Armor BOLC or Maneuver SLC, or to become a Maneuver Doctrine writer. Project Warrior Officers are identified by annotation in Section X of their Officer Record Brief (ORB). NCOs selected for the Project Warrior program will have a Personnel Development Skill Identifier (PDSI) of **P4W** annotated in Section I of their Enlisted Records Brief (ERB).



#### Armor and Cavalry Leadership Award

The Armor and Cavalry Leadership Award is presented annually to promote, sustain, and recognize excellence in leadership in Armor and Cavalry units. The award also recognizes individuals who exhibit excellence in leadership or training, or who make significant contributions to the force. The Armor and Cavalry Combat Leadership Trust Fund located at the US Army Armor School, Fort Benning, Georgia finances the award program.

#### Army Career Tracker (ACT)

ACT is an Army leadership development tool that provides a single point of entry for career management and development for enlisted and officers. ACT pulls information from training, education, and experiential learning sources and presents a common training picture as well as a consolidated course catalog. ACT provides a personalized, consolidated history of all recorded education, training, and assignments in a simple-to-use interface.



## **Armor Recognition Programs**

#### MG Adna R. Chaffee Jr. Award (Legends of Armor)

The Legends of Armor is an annual award which recognizes the finest Soldiers, who have made long lasting contributions, within the Armored Force. This is the highest honor presented on behalf of all

Eligibility: Retired Officers or Noncommissioned Officers who served in the Armor or Cavalry Branch regardless of time period or component. Nominees must be retired from active service for a minimum of five years. Nominees must have served admirably and retired in good standing. Historical nominees must have served in WWII or prior.

Criteria. Each nomination will be considered across the following criteria:

- Contributed to the transformation of the mounted force to fight and win in Armored combat.
- Offered a vision for the future of the mounted warfighting force that significantly improved lethality, mobility, and survivability.
- Developed innovations in equipment, materiel, or doctrine that significantly enhanced the effectiveness of the mounted element of the combat arms.
- Exemplified professional excellence in demeanor, correspondence, and leadership on issues relevant to mounted warfare.
- Displayed a zeal for Soldiering through leadership skills, and recognized the sacrifice and achievements of subordinates.

	Country	Date of Enshrinement
GEN George S. Patton Jr.	USA	1995
GEN Field Marshal Erwin Rommel	Germany	1995
MG Israel Tal "Talik"	Israeli Defence Forces	1996
MG Moshe "Musa" Peled	Israeli Armour Corp	1997
GEN Creighton W. Abrams	USA	1998
GEN Donn A. Starry	USA	2005
GEN Frederick M. Franks	USA	9-Sep-2014
MG Adna R. Chaffee Jr.	USA	1-May-2015
GEN David D. McKiernan	USA	18-Aug-2015
BG Samuel D. Rockenbach	USA	2-May-2018
GEN William S. Wallace	USA	2-May-2018
SMA William A. Connelly	USA	2-May-2018
BG Casimir Pulaski	USA/Poland	1-May-19
LTG Paul E. Funk	USA	1-May-19
CSM Benjamin C. Palacios	USA	1-May-19

# **Armor Recognition Programs**

#### GENERAL FREDERICK M. FRANKS, JR WRITING AWARD

#### **CRITERIA AND EVALUTATION**

GEN Fred M. Franks Jr. Writing Award will evaluate and recognize outstanding contributors, from across the Army, who demonstrate clarity and vision on the future of the Armor force through clear and concise writing.

Officers, NCOs, Soldiers and DA Civilians write about the future of the Armor branch and offer insightful, forward-thinking concepts to improve the force.

The applicant will offer ideas and recommendations for improvement within Doctrine, Organization, Training, Materiel, Leadership, Personnel, Facilities, and Policy (DOTMLPF-P) for consideration and/or implementation by the Chief of Armor.

The selection board consists of, but is not limited to, representatives from the following organizations: USAARMS HQ, Office of the Chief of Armor, Armor Historian and **ARMOR** magazine.

The winning manuscript will be announced annually during Fort Benning's Armor Week.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

Open to all active and reserve component Soldiers and Department of the Army Civilians. Soldiers of all ranks, regardless of Area of Concentration (AOC) or Military Occupational Specialty (MOS), are eligible for nomination.

#### **AWARDS**

Enshrinement will include the production a professional portrai including significant contributions and a biography, which will be displayed at Armor School Headquarters at Fort Benning.

#### AWARDEES:

Inaugural 2019 Writing Award: MAJ Nathan A. Jennings







# Sullivan Cup Best Tank Crew Winners

- 2012: 1st Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, 2nd ABCT, 1st Armored Division SFC Ryan Dilling, SGT Shaffer, PFC Backer, PFC Braun
- 2014: 2nd Battalion, 69th Armored Regiment, 3rd ABCT, 3d Infantry Division SFC Grider, SPC Whiteman, SGT Luu, PFC Carter
- 2016: 1st Battalion, 252nd Armored Regiment, 30th ABCT, NC ARNG 1LT Johnathan Dupre, SGT Curtis Bowen, SPC Brandon Sinor, PFC Philip Hill
- 2018: 3d Battalion, 67th Armored Regiment, 2nd ABCT, 3d Infantry Division SFC Johnathan Werner, CPL Justin Harris, PV2 Brandon Zacher, PV2 Dekken Sanders



## Gainey Cup Best Scout Squad Winners

- **2013: 1st Battalion, 40th Cavalry Regiment, 4th IBCT (Abn), 25th Infantry Division** SSG Zachary Adkins, SSG Justin Miller, SPC Mithcell Sanderson, PFC Joseph Calderon
- 2015: 4th Squadron, 2nd Cavalry Regiment, U.S. Army Europe (USAREUR) SSG Kyle Cooper, SGT Cesar Cavazos, SPC Glen Gianello, SPC Joshua Castro, PFC Justin Cope, PFC Daniel Casillas
- 2017: 1st Squadron, 1st Cavalry Regiment, 2nd ABCT, 1st Armored Division SSG Eric Atkinson, SGT Zachary Diglio, SGT Joseph Main, PFC Timothy Wood, PFC Ryan French, PV2 Jeremy Blevins
- 2019: 5th Squadron, 73d Cavalry Regiment, 1st IBCT, 82d Airborne Division SSG Brooks, SGT Kain, SGT Wuhlte, SPC Cheek, SPC Lamaita, SPC Thurman, SPC Hanback, SPC Hyland

# Armor Heritage

#### The United States Cavalry and Armor Association



The aim and purpose of the U.S. Cavalry and Armor Association is to disseminate knowledge of the military art and sciences, with special attention to mobility in ground warfare; to promote professional development of its members; and to preserve and foster the spirit, the traditions and solidarity of Armor and Cavalry in the Army and Marine Corps of the United States.

#### Order of Saint George Awards Program

Membership in The United States Cavalry and Armor Association's distinguished military Order of Saint George is limited to only the very best of Tankers, Cavalrymen, Marines and their military and civilian supporters. Awards include:



The Saint George: Black, Bronze, Silver and Gold Medallions

The Saint Joan D'Arc and Emerald Medallions



The Noble Patron of Armor and Gold Noble Patron of Armor Medallions

#### The National Armor and Cavalry Heritage Foundation

The National Armor and Cavalry Heritage Foundation is working to build the National Armor and Cavalry Museum which will honor our mounted forces in a multidimensional facility that will be designed to support military training while also entertaining and engaging a broad spectrum of the public. Particular emphasis will be on the military family and the parents and families of serving military.





# Order of St. George Gold Medallion Recipients

1986 GEN James Polk 1986 LTG Robert Baer 1986 MG Ernest Harmon 1986 COL Jimmy Leach 1987 GEN Donn Starry 1987 MG Lawrence Schlanser 1988 GEN Bruce Clark 1988 COL Hap Haszard 1988 1SG Patrick J. Rocco 1989 GEN William A. Knowlton 1989 LTG William R. Desobry 1989 LTG Julius W. Becton Jr. 1989 CSM William Price 1990 GEN Glenn Otis 1990 BG Philip Bolte 1991 GEN Michael Davison 1991 MG George Patton 1992 COL William Marshall 1992 CSM Donald E. Horn 1993 COL Jim Spurrier 1994 BG Albin F. Irzyk 1994 LTC Burton Boudinot 1995 MG Edward Bautz 1995 MG Elmer L. Stephens 1995 COL Fred Greene 1996 MG Ronald J. Fairfield 1996 MG Robert J. Sunnell 1997 LTG Walter F. Ulmer Jr. 1997 MG Thomas H. Tait 1997 Mr. Richard P. Hunnicut 1998 LTG Frederic J. Brown 1998 MG Stan Sheridan 1998 CSM John Stephens 1999 MG Peter McVey 1999 COL Donald W. Williams 1999 Dr. Lewis Sorley 2000 LTG John J. Yeosock 2000 MG James C. Smith 2000 BG John C. Bahnsen 2001 LTG Paul E. Funk 2001 Mr. George F. Hofmann 2001 Mr. Jack Eubanks (NPA) 2002 GEN Gordon R. Sullivan 2002 CSM Don Devine

2003 LTG John W. Woodmansee Jr. 2003 LTG Dave R. Palmer 2004 LTG David K. Doyle 2004 COL Donald E. Appler 2005 GEN Crosbie E. Saint 2006 MG George H. Harmeyer 2006 MG Thomas P. Lynch 2007 MG Thomas F. Cole 2007 SGM Christopher N. Trammell 2008 MAJ Jerry Headley 2008 SMA Jack Tilley 2009 LTG Larry R. Jordan 2009 CSM Jake Fryer 2010 GEN Ronald H. Griffith 2010 GEN John H. Tilelli 2010 LTG John B. Sylvester 2010 MG Terry L. Tucker 2010 LTC Michael M. Turner 2010 CSM George DeSario 2010 COL (CH) Larry Haworth (NPA) 2011 CSM William Joe Gainey 2011 COL William Hansen 2012 BG John S. Crow 2012 LTC William Bewley 2013 COL James G. Snodgrass 2013 CSM Carl Christian 2014 COL Robert Westholm 2014 LTC Philip Linn 2014 Mrs. Joanne Patton (NPA) 2015 MG Robert Goff 2015 CSM Dennis Webster 2015 Mr. Jody Harmon (NPA) 2016 GEN Frederick M. Franks Jr. 2016 SMA Kenneth O. Preston 2017 COL Alan Mosher 2017 SGM Don Wicks 2018 COL David M. Cowan 2018 CSM Otis Smith 2019 LTG John Caldwell 2019 CSM Joe T. Hill 2019 CSM Rick W. Young 2019 Mr. Allen Hathaway (NPA)



#### History of "Old Bill"

The portrait above by artist Frederic Remington was originally titled "The Cavalryman". In 1898 Remington visited the camp of the 3rd Cavalry at Tampa, Florida where the regiment was staging for the Santiago campaign. The artist, on his way to cover the war in Cuba for Harper's Weekly, was a close friend of Captain Francis H. Hardie, commander of 3d Cavalry's Troop G.

During his visit, Remington's attention was drawn to Sergeant John Lannen. A superb rider and an imposing figure, Lannen impressed Remington as the epitome of the cavalryman. With Hardie's approval, the artist made several rough sketches of the white-haired, white-mustached noncommissioned officer.

From these sketches Remington later executed the now famous drawing portraying a cavalryman mounted on his horse with a carbine cradled in his arms. Remington presented this drawing to the Cavalry Association in 1902. In January 1903, this drawing appeared on the cover of the Cavalry Journal where it stayed for forty years.

With nearly 30 years of service and close to retirement, Sergeant Lannen succumbed to yellow fever in Cuba. Sergeant Lannen's birth name was William Carroll and this may be the source for the print's current nickname "Old Bill".

Always a branch of great esprit, and highly conscious of history and tradition, the Cavalry took the Remington masterpiece to its heart. Although the drawing left the front cover of the Cavalry Journal in mid 1942, it appears to this day as a trademark of the United States Army's mobility in war.

#### **IAMARMOR**

I came of age as a mounted arm of decision at Cowpens, during our war of independence- surprising Tarleton's brigade and driving them from the battlefield. I later served as a commander's eyes and earslocating, probing, and dispersing the enemy throughout the War of 1812 and into the American Civil War. The exploits of Forrest, Mosby, Custer, Sheridan, Stuart, and other proponents of fast-moving decisive warfare and tactics, developed and refined, strengthened the Union beyond Appomattox and the hostile hour.

On Europe's Western Front in 1918 my fledgling Tank Corps was the mechanized force that helped bring victory, Over There. After World War I, I matured as a tank organization, crafting combined arms teams with Tankers and Infantrymen. At Fort Knox, I pioneered a new type of organization built around the tank. Through hard work and large-scale maneuvers, I developed revolutionary principles of organization, command and control, and battlefield operations that became the foundation of today's Armor.

In 1941 I battled the Japanese defiantly in the Philippines. I rose above defeat at Kasserine Pass to drive the Germans from North Africa. I freed Sicily and contributed to Italy's liberation from Fascism. In my Sherman tanks I doggedly pushed beyond Normandy, defeating elite German forces. In the snow and ice of the Ardennes, I blocked the German offensive and relieved Bastogne. I crossed the Rhine River at Remagen and loosened the tyrant's grasp on Germany. I led the American columns as they raced through northern Italy after the fall of Rome. I pursued the Germans in their retreat from France, and linked up with our Russian allies at Torgau.

War in Korea came as a surprise in 1950, when my Shermans again saw service defending the Pusan Perimeter. I beat back North Korean attacks before leading the United Nations counteroffensive that drove to the North Korean capital. When the Chinese intervened, I protected the columns of UN Soldiers during their withdrawal. For the rest of the war, I ensured no communist offensive would break our lines and secured South Korea's freedom. In my jeep, Chaffee tanks, and halftracks, I secured our flanks and rear area, always probing for mines and enemy infiltrators.

In Vietnam I hunted the Viet Cong and NVA with my M48s, M113s and Sheridans. On desolate roadways I defeated ambushes. I drove through the jungles, clearing safe trails, destroyed his safe havens and defeated him wherever I found him. I developed new counterinsurgency tactics that drew the enemy to fight—and lose. I protected convoys, conducted cordon and search missions, and hunted the enemy wherever he went-day and night.

During the Cold War, in my M60 mount I stood guard along West Germany's borders- a reminder to the Soviet horde that any invasion would meet formidable resistance. The Fulda Gap was my sector and Germany became my second home. I was the tripwire to provide early warning of any Warsaw Pact invasion and disrupt hostile forces, while my American and NATO brethren practiced Airland Battle and rehearsed their battle plans.

In 1991 I took my M1 Abrams and Bradleys to war, tasked to liberate Kuwait from Iraqi occupation and secure the Saudi kingdom. I fought the Republican Guard and left them shattered at the foot of Medina Ridge. My presence was enough to make Iraqi units surrender en masse. I led the advance of the VII Corps through the sandstorms and Iraqi defenses, leaving in our wake the smoke plumes of many enemy armored vehicles. At 73 Easting, I drove through Iraqi defenses and overran their positions without stopping.

In 1995, I crossed the Sava River into Bosnia to enforce the peace. In 1999, I accompanied NATO forces when they entered Kosovo to protect another emerging nation from the horrors of civil war. I served in Bosnia and Kosovo and along the Macedonian border to preserve peace in the Balkans.

I was the steel wave that crossed into Iraq in March 2003. I battled my way to Baghdad and conducted the Thunder Runs that toppled Saddam's evil regime. I set the stage for the birth of a new Iraq. I shaped the battlefield and set the conditions for victory. I fought militias, insurgents, and terrorists in the desert and in the cities. I bled to make a better tomorrow for Iraq. I used my scout skills to find terrorists wherever they lurked. I was an emissary of democracy but I used my combat skills to crush those who sought to sow the seeds of chaos and anarchy.

I helped build and train the Afghan National Army, and together we took the fight to the Taliban in the mountains of Afghanistan. I trained their scouts and mounted soldiers, and showed them how best to employ their Russian vehicles and weapons. Through my actions and sacrifice I showed the Afghans an alternative to a future of poverty and violence.

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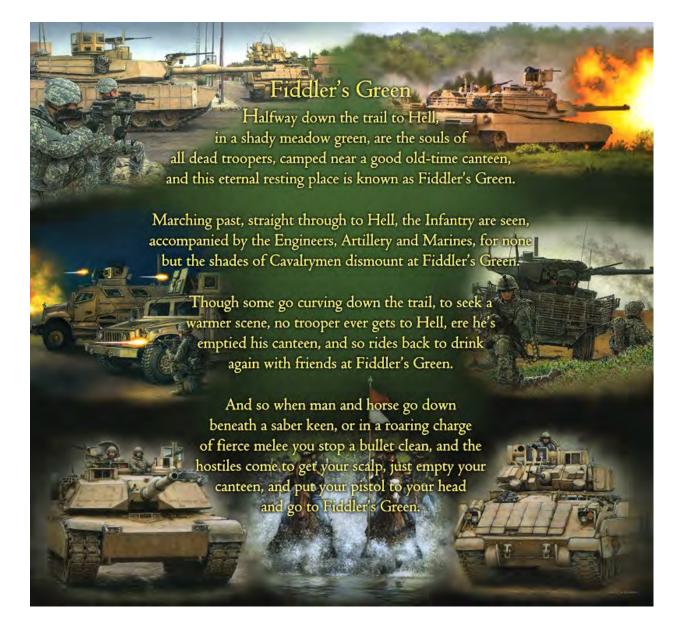
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