

Resume of Service Career

JOHN BESAW, Lieutenant Colonel (Retired)

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Military Schools Attended:

- Recruiting Commanders Course
- Command and General Staff College
- Korean Language/Culture Course
- Infantry Officer Advanced Course
- Special Warfare School
- Ranger School
- Airborne School
- Infantry Officer Candidate School

Major Duty Assignments:

1989 to 1991	Strategist/Contingency Plans Branch Chief
1987 to 1989	Director, Human Resource Development Division
1987 to 1987	Defense Language Institute, Monterey, CA
1985 to 1987	Battalion Commander
1983 to 1985	Chief, Protocol Office
1982 to 1983	Commander, HQ Company, Eighth Army
1981 to 1982	Operations Officer
1978 to 1981	Commander, Recruiting Area
1977 to 1978	BBA, University of Wisconsin
1975 to 1977	Commander, C Company, 28 th Infantry
1974 to 1975	Training Officer, 8 th Infantry Division
1974 to 1974	Infantry Officer Advanced Course
1971 to 1973	Logistics, 1-18 th Infantry
1969 to 1971	5 th Special Forces Group, Vietnam
1967 to 1969	Training

Decorations and Awards:

- Legion of Merit (2)
- Bronze Star (2)
- Purple Heart
- Meritorious Service Medal (3)
- Air Medal
- Army Commendation Medal (2)
- Army Achievement Medal
- Combat Infantryman Badge

Regimental Affiliation:

1st Special Forces (Airborne)