

Robert Benjamin

Private 1st Class, United States Army

Born: September 4, 1960

Years Served: 1988 to 2020 – CENTCOM-Kuwait, Iraq, Afghanistan

Medals/Awards:	Legion of Merit	8/22/2020
	Bronze Star Medal	3/27/2012
	Meritorious Service Medal	2017, 2015, 2004
	Army Commendation Medal	2010, 2008, 2005, 1997, 1991
	Army Achievement Medal	1999, 1996, 1992
	Afghanistan Campaign Medal	5/12/2012
	Iraq Campaign Medal	6/4/2004
	NATO Medal	5/12/2012
	Combat Action Badge	1/8/2006
	Meritorious Unit Commendation	2016, 2011
	CT OCS Hall of Fame	7/13/2021

Robert Benjamin enlisted in the United States Army in 1988 at the age of 27 and served in CENTCOM-Kuwait, Iraq, and Afghanistan. Distinct recollections of service include: Improvised explosive device (IED) bomb on March 9, 2004, detonated on the main supply routes in support of military operations and humanitarian operations (vic MSR Tampa/MSR Irish); Rocket attacks in Kandhar and Bagram; Commander of 773rd TC, 354th Trans. BN, 167th CSSB, 655th RSG; Deputy Commander, 316th ESC, 310th ESC. Interim Commander, 310th ESC and Distribution Management Chief, 4th ESC/Joint Sustainment Command-Afghanistan.