



**Command Sergeant Major Rounds
1st Battalion 507TH Parachute Infantry Regiment**

CSM Rounds was born in Mayersville, MS. He enlisted in the Army as an 11C, Indirect Fire Infantryman and he completed Basic Training and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Benning, GA March 1990.

CSM Rounds has served at the following assignments: 1-87th IN BN 10th Mountain Division, Fort Drum, NY; 3-502nd IN BN 101st Airborne Division, Fort Campbell, KY; 1-9th IN (M) 2ND Infantry Division, Korea; 2-58th IN BN, Fort Benning, GA (Drill Sergeant); 1-10th Cavalry Regiment 4th Infantry Division (M) Fort Hood, TX; Joint Readiness Training Center Observer Controller (O/C) Fort Polk, LA; 1st Brigade Troops Battalion 3rd Infantry Division (M), Fort Stewart, GA. CSM Rounds was a First Sergeant for three companies: Delta and Alpha Company 3-69 AR; and Alpha Company 2-7 IN. He graduated from the USASMA Class 60 Fort Bliss, TX. After graduating, he was assigned to the 3-509th Parachute Infantry Regiment as the Operations Sergeant Major and as a Security Forces Advisor Deputy Chief for 4TH BCT (ABN) 25th ID JBER, AK. CSM Rounds was then assigned as the Directorate Sergeant Major and Test Parachutist for the Airborne and Special Operations Test Directorate Fort Bragg, NC.

CSM Rounds' awards include: Bronze Star Medal (3rd Award); Meritorious Service Medal (4rd Award); Army Commendation Medal (7th Award); Army Achievement Medal (12th Award); Good Conduct Medal (8th Award); National Defense Service Medal (with Bronze Star); Iraq Campaign Medal Campaign Star; Afghanistan Campaign Medal Campaign Star; Korean Defense Service Medal; Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal; Global War on Terrorism Service Medal; Humanitarian Service Medal; NCO Professional Development Ribbon (4); Army Service Ribbon; Army Overseas Service Ribbon (5); NATO Medal; Army Superior Unit Award (3); Navy Unit Commendation Award; Meritorious Unit Commendation Award; Drill Sergeant Badge; Combat Infantryman's Badge; Expert Infantryman's Badge; Parachutist's Badge, Senior Parachutist's Badge, Master Parachutist's Badge, Air Assault Badge, Ranger Tab, Thai and Bronze German Jump Wings. CSM Rounds is a recipient of the Order of Saint Maurice, and he is a member of the prestigious Sergeant Audie Murphy Club.

CSM Rounds' Military education includes: Primary Leadership Development Course (PLDC), Basic Non-Commissioned Officers Course (BNOC), Advanced Non-Commissioned Officers Course (ANOC), First Sergeant Course, United States Army Sergeants Major Academy (Residence) Class 60, Combat Lifesavers Course, Light Infantry Leaders Course, Mobile Retentions Course, Anti-Terrorism Force Protection II Course, Combatives Level I, Counterterrorism Course, Cold Weather Orientation Course, Military Security Advisor Course (MASA), Infantry Mortar Leaders Course, Drill Sergeant Course, Airborne School, Air Assault School, Jumpmaster Course, Ranger School, TRADOC BDE/BN Pre-Command Course, and the Pre-Command Course at Fort Leavenworth KS. CSM Rounds has obtained a Bachelor of Science Degree in Liberal Arts from Excelsior College.