

# Biography

*Command Sergeant Major Thomas J. Holland*  
Team Command Sergeant Major  
U.S. Army Parachute Team, “Golden Knights”



## Personal Statistics

Hometown: Lancaster, Ohio  
School Attended: Amanda-Clearcreek High School

## Biographical Sketch

Command Sergeant Major Thomas Holland was raised in Lancaster, Ohio. He is a 1994 graduate of Amanda-Clearcreek High School. He entered the Army on 9 November 1994.

CSM Holland's previous assignments include; 3/504th P.I.R. at Ft. Bragg, NC; 1-508th IN (ABN), 173d ABCT, Vicenza, Italy; 5th Ranger Training Battalion, Dahlonega, GA; and Apache Company 1st Squadron, 2d Cavalry Regiment, Rose Barracks, Germany.

CSM Holland's awards and decorations include; Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device; Bronze Star Medal, 1 Oak Leaf Cluster; Meritorious Service Medal, 1 Oak Leaf Cluster; Army Commendation Medal, 4 Oak Leaf Clusters; Joint Service Achievement Medal; Army Achievement Medal, 4 Oak Leaf Clusters; Joint Meritorious Unit Award; Meritorious Unit Citation, 1 Oak Leaf Cluster; Army Superior Unit Award; Army Good Conduct Medal, 6 Knots; National Defense Service Medal, 1 Service Star; Kosovo Campaign Medal with Service Star; Afghanistan Campaign Medal with Campaign Star; Iraqi Campaign Medal with Campaign Star; Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal; Global War on Terrorism Service Medal; Humanitarian Service Medal; NCO Professional Development Ribbon, 4 Awards; Army Service Ribbon; Overseas Service Ribbon, 5 Awards; Multi-National Forces and Observer Medal; NATO Medal, 2 Awards; Ranger Tab; Combat Infantryman's Badge; Expert Infantryman's Badge; Master Parachutists Badge, Air Assault Badge, Pathfinder Badge, Russian Parachutist Badge, and Italian Parachutist Badge.



CSM Holland's military schools and education consist of; Warrior Leader Course, Advanced Leader Course, Senior Leader Course, First Sergeants Course, United States Army Sergeants Major Course, Army Force Management Course, Battle Staff Noncommissioned Officers Course, Airborne School, Air Assault School, Ranger School, Jumpmaster School, Tactics Certification Course, Total Army Instructor Training, Pathfinder School, and Mountain Warfare School. He holds an Associate's in Arts in General Studies and a Bachelor's of Science in Sports and Health Sciences (Pre-Sports Medicine) from the American Military University.

CSM Holland is married to Anett Holland and they have two children – Savannah and Jordan.

