



Command Sergeant Major Tod L. Glidewell
Command Sergeant Major of the Aviation Branch

Command Sergeant Major Tod L. Glidewell entered the United States Army and completed Basic Training at Fort Jackson, SC, in July 1981. After completion of basic training, he attended Advanced Individual Training at Fort Eustis, Virginia, where he completed the UH-60 Helicopter Repairman course.

Sergeant Major Glidewell's assignments include Fort Devens, Massachusetts; 210th Aviation Battalion, Fort Kobbe, Panama; 1/10th Aviation Battalion, Fort Rucker, Alabama; 2/2nd Aviation Battalion Camp Stanley, Republic of Korea; 9/101st Aviation Regiment, United States Army Garrison, 101st Airborne Division (AASLT), 4/101st Aviation Regiment Fort Campbell, Kentucky; Aviation Company, 1st Support Battalion, El Gorah, Egypt; 8/101st Aviation Regiment, Fort Campbell, Kentucky; United States Army Sergeants Major Academy, Fort Bliss, Texas; 8/101st Aviation Regiment and Headquarters Company, 101st Combat Aviation Brigade, Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

Sergeant Major Glidewell served in numerous capacities in the Aviation Maintenance Logistics community as he rose from Aircraft Mechanic to Command Sergeant Major. His most recent assignments include Command Sergeants Major of the 8/101st Aviation Regiment (AVIM). Command Sergeant Major Glidewell recently returned from his second tour in OIF where he deployed with the first fully transformed Combat Aviation Brigade, 101st Combat Aviation Brigade.

Sergeant Major Glidewell's education includes over 30 military and civilian courses to include all levels of the Noncommissioned Officer Education System, First Sergeant Course, Defense Equal Opportunity Course, Technical Inspector Course, Air Assault School and Battle Staff. Sergeant Major Glidewell is a graduate from the United States Army Sergeants Major Academy, Class 50.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star Medal (One Oak Leaf Clusters), the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal (Two Oak Leaf Cluster), the Army Commendation Medal (Four Oak Leaf Clusters), the Army Achievement Medal (One Silver Oak Leaf Cluster), the Good Conduct Medal (Eighth Award), the National Defense Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, the Korean Defense Service Medal, the Humanitarian Service Medal, the Noncommissioned Officers Professional Development Ribbon (Fourth Award), the Army Service Ribbon, the Overseas Service Ribbon (Fourth Award), Multinational Force and Observers Medal (Second Award) and Meritorious Unit Award (Two Oak Leaf Clusters). Command Sergeant Major Glidewell also holds the Combat Action Badge, the Master Aviation Badge and the Air Assault Badge.