

Biographical Sketch

Name: Louis Roosevelt Clark, Basic Branch, Air Defense

Born: 26 January 1935, Elgin, TX

Civilian Education: BS in Mathematics from Prairie View A&M College
MS in Public Admin from Shippensburg State College

Military Education: Advance Course - 68
Armed Forces Staff College - 74
Defense Procurement Management Course - 74
Army War College - 82
IG Orientation Course - 82

Awards and Decorations: Bronze Star Medal
Meritorious Service Medal (4th OLC)
Army Commendation Medal
Vietnam Service Medal - 3 Campaigns
Senior Parachute Badge

Civilian Honors: Kentucky Colonel - 73
Honorary Chief of Police, Shively, KY - 73
Commendation for 8(a) Program Participation - 75

Summary of Overseas Assignments: Germany 1964-1967
Vietnam 1967-1968
Germany 1969-1971
Korea 1971-1972
Germany 1977-1981
Germany 1982-1984

I entered active duty in 1959, and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant of Artillery from OCS in 1962. From 1962-1964, I served as Platoon Leader and Battery XO in the 82d Airborne Division Artillery, Fort Bragg, North Carolina. My first tour in Germany included assignments as Assistant Team Commander and Team Commander, 42d USA Artillery Detachment, and S-4, 5th U.S. Army Artillery Group. In 1967 and 1968 I served in the Republic of Vietnam as a Battery Commander and as Assistant Operations Officer in the 1st Bn (AW)(SP) 44th Artillery. I returned to Germany in 1969 to serve as Operations Officer and Executive Officer of the 1st Bn (CV)(SP) 59th ADA, 8th Infantry Division. I served a tour in the Republic of Korea as S-4 and Executive Officer, 4th Bn (Herc), 44th ADA, prior to reporting in 1972 to the U.S. Army Recruiting Main Station, Louisville, KY. After performing duties as XO and Commander of the Louisville Recruiting Main Station, Louisville, KY, I reported to Fort Bliss, TX to serve as Chief of Procurement Division, Headquarters Command. I returned to Germany for the third time in 1977, and served first as the Community DIO, U.S. Army Support Group, Norddeutschland, and in 1979 I assumed command of the 2d Bn (CV)(SP) 60th Air Defense Artillery, a Battalion in the 32d Air Defense Command. After a year at the U.S. Army War College, I returned to Germany for a fourth time in 1982, and served as an Inspector General for the command. I am currently serving as a Director at the Air Defense Artillery School, Fort Bliss, TX.

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