



**COLONEL
THEODORE R. COBERLY
CLASS 20B-67**

Colonel Coberly served as a Gunnery Instructor prior to a tour in Vietnam with 5th Battalion, 27th Field Artillery. He commanded a Battery in 1st Battalion, 21st Field Artillery (Honest John) at Fort Carson, Colorado, followed by duty with the I Corps (ROK/US) Group Artillery Staff in Korea, where he served as Fire Support Coordinator/Action Officer.

Subsequent assignments were with the U.S. Army Engineer Center Brigade Operations Staff, Aide to the Commanding General, Fort Gillem, Georgia and Plans Officer U.S. Army Readiness, Region IV. In Germany, he served on the V Corps Artillery Staff and later S-3 and Executive Officer 6th Battalion, 9th Field Artillery, followed by duty in the office of Deputy Chief of Staff Operations of the Army Staff, first as an Action Officer and later Branch Chief.

At Fort Sill he commanded 2nd Battalion, 80th Field Artillery prior to attending the Army War College. He then served with the Joint Staff at the Pentagon as Chief of the Actions Division and as Secretary of the Joint Staff during Desert Shield and Desert Storm. His next assignment was Chief of Staff Military District of Washington. He later served as Chief of the Office of Defense Cooperation in Athens, Greece and culminated his career as a member of the Special Review Board, Total Army Personnel Center, Alexandria, Virginia.

Colonel Coberly's Decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Legion of Merit with Oak Leaf Cluster and the Bronze Star Medal.