

Colonel Alfred F. Green, Jr. (Class 70-43)

Colonel Green was a Distinguished Graduate of the ROTC program at Auburn University. The class graduated a year early and was required to attend the Field Artillery Officer Candidate School at Fort Sill, Oklahoma to earn their commissions. He graduated with Artillery OCS Class 70-43 on June 23, 1943. Auburn ROTC Cadets accounted for 32 of the 257 graduates. His first assignment was to attend the four-week Battery Executive Officer Course at Fort Sill.

During WW II, he served with the 9th Armored Division serving in Europe. The 9th Division participated in the relief of Bastogne and the capture of the Remagen Bridge. He was promoted to Captain and served as Aide-de-Camp to the Division Commander. After WW II he remained in the U.S. Army Reserves, rising to the rank of Colonel. He served as a Battalion Commander and later as a Bridge Commander with the 81st Army Reserve Command.

Colonel Green culminated his career as the Commander of the 1188th U.S. Army Outpost, Atlanta, Georgia and retired in 1973. He died April 1, 2004.