

**BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH FOR THE FIELD ARTILLERY
OCS HALL OF FAME
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1ST BATTALION, 78TH FIELD ARTILLERY
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DATE: 29 March 1999

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RANK: Colonel
USA Ret.

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DOR: 1 August 1989

DSN:

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OCS CLASS # 125-66 DATE COMMISSIONED: 1 November 1966

PRESENT OCCUPATION: Professional Photographer

ADDRESS: Manager, Commercial and Construction Section
Sisson Studios, Inc.
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BRIEF RESUME OF DUTY ASSIGNMENTS:

Cmding Officer, Det. A4612, 46th SF Co., Nam Pung, Thailand, 1967
Btry Cdr, A Btry, 2nd Bn, 320 FA, 101st Abn. Div, B-ham, RVN, 1970
Btry Cdr, C Btry, 3rd Bn, 37th FA, 7th Corps Arty, Herzo, FRG, 1974-75
Opns Off. Milwaukee DRC, USA Recruiting Cmd, 1976-77
Bn XO, 2 Bn, 321st FA, 82nd Abn Div. Ft. Bragg, N.C., 1981
Div. IG, 82nd Abn Div, Ft. Bragg, N.C., 1982
Bde XO, 18th Corps Arty, Ft. Bragg, N.C., 1983
Bn Cdr, 2nd Bn, 83rd FA, 5th Corps Arty, Babenhausen, FRG, 1984-86

Chief, G3 Tng., 5th Corps, Frankfurt, FRG, 1987

Chief, Acc., Reserve Appts, Mgt. Div, PERSCOM, Alex. VA 1989-92

AWARDS and DECORATIONS:

Legion of Merit	1 st Oak Leaf Cluster
Bronze Star Medal	Valor and Service
Defense Meritorious Svc Medal	1 st Award
Meritorious Svc Medal	3 rd Oak Leaf Cluster
Air Medal	2 nd Award
ARCOM	1 st Award
CIB	Vietnam
Master Parachutist Badge	

GENERAL REMARKS: Supported for 25 of his 31 military years by his wife Terri Lee (Grodt) Lempke. Now married 30 years.

Service Schools: USAWC, 88; USACGSC, 79; USAFAAC, 69; OCS, 66

Published Works:

"Reflections," A Pictorial Look at Kewanee, Illinois, USA 1998

"Command Climate: The Rise and the Decline of a Military Concept"
MSP, USAWC, 1988

"Ridgway's Leadership Legacy," Military Review, Nov. 1988

"Ridgway's Leadership Legacy," Ft. Bragg Paraglide, 7 Jun 89

Senior Rater's Remarks from BG Fred Marty, V Corps Artillery Commander, 1986....."Exceptionally outstanding, clearly the best battalion commander among 9 in V Corps Artillery. He is an enthusiastic, dynamic leader who commands by personal example and demonstrated competence. His infectious, charismatic leadership style permeates the battalion; the organization excels. He understands soldiers, knows how to talk to them, care for them, and lead them. Widely respected for his tenacity as a trainer, he is tactically and technically proficient."

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