



Artillery OCS Hall of Fame

Colonel Thomas M. Stenger Class 31A-67

Colonel Stenger's first duty assignment was with 1st Battalion, 2nd Artillery in Germany, where he served in a variety of assignments including Battalion Motor Officer, Battery Executive Officer and Battery Commander.

During an extended tour in Vietnam from July 1969 to September 1971, he served as Assistant Operations Officer, 1st Battalion, 40th Artillery and then Liaison Officer, 108th Artillery Group. He later commanded Battery A, 1st Battalion, 83rd Field Artillery and then served as Liaison Officer, 1st Battalion, 21st Field Artillery prior to assuming command of Battery A, 1st Battalion, 21st Field Artillery.

Colonel Stenger completed the Field Artillery Advanced Course and then served with the Staff and Faculty Battalion at Fort Sill as an Artillery Tactics Instructor, Training Extension Course Military Author and finally the Team Chief of the Field Artillery School Brigade Mobile Training Team.

As a member of the US Army Reserve, he served in successive assignments with the 4003rd U.S. Army Garrison, Ardmore, Oklahoma Detachment One as the Storage Division Chief, Assistant Maintenance Officer, Plans and Operations Officer and Maintenance Division Chief.

He later served in the 95th Division (Training) as Executive Officer 3rd Battalion, 89th Regiment, 402nd Field Artillery Brigade. After serving as Field Artillery Exercise Team Chief for the 95th Division, he Commanded the 4th Battalion, 89th Regiment, 402nd Field Artillery Brigade. He then served as Deputy Chief of Staff, Training, 122nd U.S. Army Reserve Command, North Little Rock, Arkansas. He later Commanded the 4013th U.S. Army Garrison at Bossier City, Louisiana and culminated his career as Commander of the 363rd Corps Support Group in San Marcos, Texas.

Colonel Stenger's decorations include the Silver Star, the Bronze Star with "V" Device and three Oak Leaf Clusters, The Meritorious Service medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters and the Air Medal with Numeral 15.