

BIOGRAPHY

MAJOR GENERAL STORY C. STEVENS
Commanding General

US Army Aviation Research and Development Command
St. Louis, Missouri

Story Crandall Stevens was born in Dayton, Kentucky, on 24 February 1927. He graduated from Terrace Park High School in Ohio and began his military career at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. After successfully completing Officer Candidate School, he was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Artillery Branch in May of 1946.

He served with the 6th Division Artillery, Army of Occupation, in Korea through the summer of 1947. He was then released from Active Duty with the 393d Field Artillery Battalion. He subsequently received flight training and served as an Army Aviator in Korea and Japan with the First Cavalry Division.

General Stevens was released from Active Duty in 1953 to complete his college education. He graduated from Purdue University in 1954, receiving a BS in Chemical Engineering. He then returned to Active Duty with the Corps of Engineers, received rotary wing training and served in California and Alaska with the 30th Engineer Group (TOPO).

In 1957 and 1958 General Stevens attended graduate school at the Georgia Institute of Technology and received a BS and MS in Aeronautical Engineering. While at Georgia Tech he was integrated into the Regular Army Transportation Corps. He attended the Command and General Staff College in 1960 and was subsequently assigned to the Department of Mechanics, United States Military Academy, where he served as an Assistant Professor of Thermodynamics and Fluid Mechanics until 1964.

Following his tour of duty at West Point, General Stevens was assigned to the Army Concept Team in Vietnam. In 1965 he returned to the United States to the Army Materiel Command. A year later he was reassigned to the Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army where he served as a Systems Analyst and Chief of the Aviation Division in the Weapons Systems Analysis Directorate.

In 1969 he returned to Vietnam and commanded the 58th Transportation Battalion (Aircraft Maintenance and Supply) and served as Deputy Group Commander, 34th Group. He returned to Washington in 1970 and was assigned as Chief of Airmobility Division, Directorate of Research Development and Engineering, HQ USAMC. He attended the National War College in 1971; upon completion, he served as the Comptroller, HQ, Military Traffic Management & Terminal Service, Washington, DC, until

July 1973, at which time he assumed command of the 1st Support Brigade with the additional duty of Community Commander, Mannheim. In July 1974, he was reassigned as Commander, Kaiserslautern Army Depot Complex.

In July 1975, General Stevens returned to the United States where he was assigned as the Deputy Commanding General for Acquisition, US Army Aviation Systems Command. On 9 June 1976 General Stevens was assigned as the Deputy Commanding General, US Army Aviation Systems Command. As of 1 July 1977 General Stevens was promoted to Major General and assumed command of the US Army Aviation Research and Development Command.

PERSONAL DATA

Date and Place of Birth - 24 February 1927, Dayton, Kentucky

Family: Wife - Margaret E.

Children - David, Robert, Deborah, Richard

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED

US Army Engineer School - Engineer Officer Basic Course - 1954

US Army Transportation School - Transportation Officer Advanced Course - 1959

US Army Command and General Staff College - 1960

National War College - 1972

EDUCATIONAL DEGREES

Purdue University - Bachelor of Science - Chemical Engineering

Georgia Institute of Technology - Bachelor of Science, Master of Science -
Aeronautical Engineering

CHRONOLOGICAL LIST OF PROMOTIONS

TEMPORARY (AUS)

PERMANENT (RA)

Second Lieutenant	10 May 1946	
First Lieutenant	11 Sep 1950	3 Jun 1958
Captain	20 Jul 1954	30 Jan 1959
Major	1 Dec 1961	14 Jun 1967
Lieutenant Colonel	12 Jan 1966	6 Sep 1972
Colonel	30 Nov 1970	3 May 1976
Brigadier General	20 Jun 1975	8 Aug 1977
Major General	1 Jul 1977	

AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

WWII Victory Medal

American Campaign Medal

United Nations Service Medal

Army of Occupation Medal (Japan)

National Defense Service Medal

Armed Forces Reserve Medal

Army Aviator Badge (Senior)

AM - (Air Medals #1-13)

Bronze Star Medal (w/1 Oak Leaf Cluster)

Vietnam Service Medal

Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal

Parachutist Badge

Distinguished Flying Cross

Legion of Merit (1-2 Oak Leaf Clusters)

Meritorious Unit Commendation

Meritorious Service Medal

Army Commendation Medal

Korean Service Medal

Army General Staff Identification Badge

5 Overseas Service Bars

Armed Forces Honor Medal 1st Class

<u>CHRONOLOGICAL LIST OF ASSIGNMENTS</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
Officer Candidate, Officer Candidate School, Ft. Sill, OK	10 Jan 46	9 May 46
Platoon Leader, Field Artillery Training Center, Ft. Knox, KY	10 May 46	7 Aug 46
Motor Officer, HQ Battery, 1st Field Artillery Battalion, Asiatic-Pacific (Korea)	8 Aug 46	17 Dec 46
Reconnaissance Officer, HQ Battery, 1st Field Artillery Battalion, Asiatic-Pacific (Korea)	18 Dec 46	20 Jan 47
Special Service Officer and Athletics & Recreation Officer, HQ, 6th Division Artillery, Asiatic-Pacific (Korea)	21 Jan 47	18 Aug 47
USAR Service not on Active Duty - Student at Purdue University	19 Aug 47	10 Sep 50
Reconnaissance Officer, B Battery, 393d Field Artillery Battalion Company, Ft. Rucker, AL	11 Sep 50	15 Feb 51
Executive Officer, 393d Field Artillery Battalion Company, Ft. Polk, LA	16 Feb 51	22 Feb 51
Assistant S-3, 393d Field Artillery Battalion Company, Ft. Polk, LA	23 Feb 51	30 Mar 51
Reconnaissance Officer, B Battery, 393d Field Artillery Battalion Company, Ft. Polk, LA	1 Apr 51	18 Nov 51
Student, Primary Fixed Wing Training, San Marcos AFB, TX	19 Nov 51	5 Apr 52
Student, Advanced Fixed Wing Training, Ft. Sill, OK	6 Apr 52	27 Aug 52
Army Aviator, Far East Command (Japan & Korea)	28 Apr 52	24 Jul 53
USAR Service not on Active Duty - Student at Purdue University	25 Jul 53	19 Jul 54
Student, Engineer Officer Basic Course Ft. Belvoir, VA	20 Jul 54	27 Oct 54
Student, Helicopter Pilot School, Gary AFB, TX, and Ft. Rucker, AL	28 Oct 54	20 Feb 55

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	FROM	TO
Helicopter Pilot, 30th Engineer Group, Ft. Scott, California and Alaska	21 Feb 55	13 Oct 55
S-4, 521st Engineer Company (TOPO Aviation) Sharpe General Depot, CA	14 Oct 55	26 Dec 56
Student, Georgia Institute of Technology	27 Dec 56	6 Jan 59
Student, Transportation Officer Advance Course, Ft. Eustis, VA	7 Jan 59	21 Oct 59
Assistant S-3 Officer, 40th Transportation Battalion, Ft. Eustis, VA	22 Oct 59	5 Jan 60
Student, Command & General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas	6 Jan 60	22 Jun 60
Instructor, Department of Mechanics, USMA, West Point, NY	23 Jun 60	30 Jun 61
Assistant Professor, Department of Mechanics, USMA, West Point, NY	1 Jul 61	14 Jun 64
Student, UH-1A Pilot Training, Ft. Rucker, AL	15 Jun 64	29 Jun 64
Project Officer, ACTIV, Vietnam	30 Aug 64	29 Sep 65
Aeronautical Engineer, Combat Survivability Office, AMC, Washington, DC	30 Sep 65	9 Aug 66
Aircraft Weapons Systems Analyst, Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army, Washington, DC	10 Aug 66	19 Feb 67
Operations Research Analyst, Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army, Washington, DC	20 Feb 67	15 Sep 67
Chief, Aviation Systems Group, Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army, Washington, DC	16 Sep 67	14 Jan 68
Operations Research Analyst, Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army, Washington, DC	15 Jan 68	29 Mar 69
Aircraft Maintenance Officer Course, Ft. Eustis, VA	1 Apr 69	18 Aug 69
Battalion Commander, 58th Transportation Battalion, Vietnam	19 Aug 69	8 Feb 70

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	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
Assistant to the Commander, 34th General Support Group, Vietnam	9 Feb 70	21 Feb 70
Deputy Commander, 34th General Support Group, Vietnam	22 Feb 70	3 Sep 70
Chief, Air Systems Division, Dir for RD&E, AMC, Washington, DC	4 Sep 70	8 Aug 71
Student, National War College, Washington, DC	9 Aug 71	16 Jun 72
Special Assistant to the Comptroller, MTMTS, Washington, DC	17 Jun 72	25 Jun 72
Comptroller, MTMTS, Washington, DC	26 Jun 72	28 Jul 73
Commander, 1st Support Brigade, US Army Europe, Germany & Community Commander, Mannheim, Germany	29 Jul 73	1 Jul 74
Deputy Community Commander, Mannheim, Germany	1 Jul 74	25 Jul 74
Commander, Kaiserslautern Army Depot, Germany	25 Jul 74	7 Jul 75
Deputy Commanding General for Acquisition, US Army Aviation Systems Command, St. Louis, MO	7 Jul 75	8 Jun 76
Deputy Commanding General, US Army Aviation Systems Command, St. Louis, MO	9 Jun 76	30 Jun 77
Commander, US Army Aviation Research and Development Command, St. Louis, MO	1 Jul 77	