Master Sergeant Felix N. Quiles USASMDC/ARSTRAT Senior Career Counselor

Master Sgt. Felix N. Quiles was born in Newark, N.J., and raised in Puerto Rico where he graduated high school. He enlisted in the United States Army in 1991 and completed Basic Training and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Benning, Ga., as in infantryman.

Master Sgt. Quiles has served in the Army more than 18 years in various assignments throughout the United States and overseas, to include 3rd Battalion, 5th Calvary Regiment, Kirchgoens, Germany; 101st Soldier Support Battalion, 2nd Battalion, 44th Air Defense Artillery Regiment and 101st Corps Support Group all out of Fort Campbell, Ky., where he became an Army career counselor; 602nd Aviation Support Battalion, Camp Stanley, Korea; 114th Signal Battalion, Raven Rock Mountain Complex, Blueridge, Pa., and 4th Brigade Combat Team and 4th Battalion, 64th Armor Regiment, 3rd Infantry Division, Fort Stewart, Ga. Master Sgt. Quiles deployed twice with the 4-64 Armor Battalion in support of Operation



Iraqi Freedom 05-06 (OIF III) from January 2005-January 2006 and Operation Iraqi Freedom 07-09 (OIF V) from November 2007-December 2008.

Master Sgt. Quiles' military education includes OSUT (One Station Unit Training, (Basic and AIT)) and two weeks of 11M Bradley Fighting Vehicle Course, Air Assault Course, Career Counselor Course, Transition NCO Course, Primary Leadership Development Course, Basic and Advance Noncommissioned Officer Course.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters, Army Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster, Army Achievement Medal with one silver oak leaf cluster and two bronze oak leaf clusters, Good Conduct Medal (6th Award), National Defense Service Medal with bronze star, Iraqi Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer's Development Ribbon with numeral 3, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon with numeral 4, Valorous Unit Award. He has earned the Career Counselor Identification Badge, Combat Action Badge, Air Assault Badge, and the German Marksmanship Qualification badge (gold award).

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