



Chief Warrant Officer 4

Michael L. Coppock

Chief Warrant Officer 4 (CW4) Michael Coppock joined the Army in September 1992. He attended Basic Training at Fort Leonard Wood, MO, and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Sam Houston, TX, eventually being awarded the Military Occupational Specialty 91B, Combat Medical Specialist. Mr. Coppock served in the Regular Army from 1992 – 1997 as a combat medic in the 13th Engineers (Light) at Fort Ord, CA, the 14th Engineers at Fort Lewis, WA and 1/68 Armor at Fort Carson, CO, where he deployed to Kuwait in support of Operation Intrinsic Action in 1995. In November of 2002, Mr.

Coppock joined the Colorado Army National Guard and began his service there as a communications NCO (31U) with the 947th Engineers, as well as a TAC NCO with the Recruit Sustainment Program from 2004-2006. In 2007, Mr. Coppock attended the first Colorado reserve component Warrant Officer Candidate School class.

Mr. Coppock began his Warrant Officer career assigned to the Colorado Army National Guard G6 as the Telecom Manager. In 2009, Mr. Coppock was selected for an Active Guard Reserve (AGR) position within the 169th Field Artillery Brigade to manage and maintain communications assets within the BDE. He deployed with the 169th FAB in 2016-2017 in support of Operation Inherent Resolve and Operation Spartan Shield. While deployed, he was responsible for ensuring reliable communications with several HIMARS firing points and radar locations throughout the theater of operations, including six different countries.

Mr. Coppock is a graduate of Warrant Officer Senior Staff Education, holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Networking from Regis University, and a Master's of Science in Information Technology Management, with a specialization in Cyber Security, from Colorado State University.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (1 OLC), Army Commendation Medal (4 OLC), Army Achievement Medal (1 OLC), Army Good Conduct Medal, Army National Guard Components Achievement Medal (1 OLC), National Defense Service Medal (1 star), Southwest Asia Service Medal, Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal (with 'M' and hour-glass), Army NCO Professional Development Ribbon (2), Army Service Ribbon, Army Overseas Service Ribbon, Army Reserve Components Overseas Training Ribbon (2), Colorado National Guard Long Service Medal, Colorado National Guard State Emergency Service Ribbon, Colorado National Guard Foreign Deployment Service Ribbon (1 star), Army Meritorious Unit Citation, Colorado National Guard Adjutant General's Outstanding Unit Award with Gold Frame, and the Air Assault Badge.

Mr. Coppock is married to his wife of 25 years, Desiree, and lives in Monument, Colorado. They have three daughters; Alexia, Karis, and Kaitlyn.