



MSgt Roland L. Cooper
12 July 1989 - 31 July 2010



U.S. AIR FORCE



Retirement Ceremony
9 July 2010
Mission Accomplished!

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Welcome Introduction
Arrival of Official Party
National Anthem and Posting of the Colors
Invocation
Remarks by Maj. Ball
Reading of Retirement Orders
Reading of Letters of Appreciation
Presentation to Mrs. Lany Cooper
Presentation of Retirement Pin
Presentation of Gifts
Flag Folding Ceremony
Presentation of Shadow Box
MSgt. Coopers Closing Remarks
Singing of the Air Force Song
Ceremony Concludes



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MSgt Roland Cooper was born in Washington DC and graduated from Suitland High School in Suitland Maryland . He joined the United States Air Force at 25 and has committed himself towards enhancing his life and those he encounters daily. He is married to his wife of 8 years Lany . He has been stationed at Holloman for the last 9 years of his Air Force Career and he and Lany will continue as Alamogordian residents .

His Air Force deployments have taken him around the world to Kuwait, Somalia, Albania, Tuzla, OMAN, BIOT Diego Garcia, Al Udeid and Joint Base Balad IRAQ in support of Operations Desert Storm to Operation IRAQI Freedom/ Enduring Freedom

ASSIGNMENTS

12 July 1989 – 31 Aug 1989 Training Lackland AFB TX
1 Sept 1989 – 3 Jan 1990 Printer system Operator School Pensacola FL
4 Jan 1990 – 4 Apr 1994 Air Force Commissary Service Loring AFB ME
23 Apr 1994 - 25 Sept 2001 DECA / 89th Services Sq Ramstein AB GE
26 Sept 2001 - 1 Aug 2010 49 Services/Force Support Sq HAFB NM

HIGHLIGHT

2009 AFSA CHAPTER 1257 PRESIDENT /2008 49 FSS BOOSTER CLUB PRESIDENT
2008 49 FSS NCO OF YEAR/ 1999 89th SERVICES BOOSTER CLUB PRESIDENT
1995 89th SERVICES SEMBACH FITNESS CENTER NCO OF THE YEAR

AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

4 AF Commendation Medals 2 AF Achievement Medals
Joint Meritorious Unit Award Meritorious Unit Award 4 AF Outstanding Unit
Award with Valor NATO Medal and Kuwait Liberation Medal

DATES OF PROMOTION

12 Jul 1989 AB 31 Aug 1989 A1C 31 Dec 1991 SrA
1 Jul 1995 SSgt 1 Jan 2002 TSgt 1 Aug 2008 Master Sergeant

THE AIR FORCE SONG

Off we go into the wild blue yonder,

Climbing high into the sun;

*Here they come zooming to meet our
thunder,*

*At 'em boys, Give 'er the gun! (Give 'er the
gun now!)*

*Down we dive, spouting our flame from
under,*

Off with one helluva roar!

We live in fame or go down in flame. Hey!

Nothing'll stop the U.S. Air Force!