

# **BIOGRAPHY**



## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### CHAPLAIN, COLONEL(S) G. LLOYD WOODBURY

Chaplain, Col(s) G. Lloyd Woodbury is the Command Chaplain, U.S. Air Forces Central Command, Southwest Asia. He advises and represents the AFCENT Commander on all aspects of the Chaplain Corps mission in direct support of all operations to include Operations ENDURING FREEDOM, INHERENT RESOLVE, RESOLUTE SUPPORT, and FREEDOM'S SENTINEL. He provides functional oversight and ensures pastoral care to Chaplain Corps personnel supporting 28,500 Airmen in 14 locations in the area of responsibility covering Central and Southwest Asia. He develops theater-specific policies and procedures, and establishes and validates Chaplain Corps manpower requirements. He coordinates with CENTCOM and joint counterparts to ensure appropriate war fighter support.

Chaplain Woodbury is a native of Charleston, South Carolina. He was ordained as a Southern Baptist minister in 1988 and entered active duty in the Air Force in November 1994. He has served as Protestant Chaplain, Senior Protestant Chaplain, Division Chief, Wing Chaplain and Staff Chaplain.



#### **EDUCATION**

- 1986 Bachelor of Arts (Religion), Charleston Southern University, Charleston, S.C.
- 1988 Chaplain Candidate Orientation Course, Maxwell AFB, AL.
- 1990 Master of Divinity degree, The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, KY.
- 1991 Chaplain Orientation Course, Maxwell AFB, AL.
- 1992 Air Force Officer Orientation Course, Lackland AFB, TX.
- 2000 Squadron Officer Orientation Course, Maxwell AFB, AL.
- 2003 Chaplain Intermediate Course, Maxwell AFB, AL.
- 2008 Air Command Staff College (Distance Learning)
- 2008 Wing Chaplain Course, Maxwell AFB, AL.
- 2012 Senior Leader Development Course, Ft. Jackson, SC.
- 2012 Air War College (Distance Learning)

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

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1. April 1988 – June 1990	Chaplain Candidate, Air Reserve Personnel Center, Denver, CO.
2. June 1990 – November 1994	Reserve Chaplain, Air Reserve Personnel Center, Denver, CO.
4. August 1998 – July 2000	Protestant Chaplain, 39 <sup>th</sup> Air Base Wing, Incirlik AB, TU
5. July 2000 – July 2003	Protestant Chaplain, 377 <sup>th</sup> Air Base Wing, Kirtland AFB, NM
6. July 2003 – July 2005	Senior Protestant Chaplain, 36 <sup>th</sup> Air Base Wing, Andersen AFB, GU
7. July 2005 – July 2008	Senior Protestant Chaplain, United States Air Force Academy, CO
8. July 2008 – January 2010	Wing Chaplain, 50 <sup>th</sup> Space Wing, Schriever AFB, CO
9. January 2010 – March 2013	Wing Chaplain, 27 <sup>th</sup> Special Operations Wing, Cannon AFB, NM
10. May 2013 – June 2015	Staff Chaplain, AMC HC, Scott AFB, IL
11. June 2015 – Present	Command Chaplain, U.S. Air Forces Central Command, Al Udeid AB, QT

#### MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters

Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters

Air Force Achievement Medal

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

Meritorious Unit Award with one oak leaf cluster

AF Outstanding Unit Award with Valor Device with four oak leaf clusters

AF Organizational Excellence Award

National Defense Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal

Iraqi Campaign Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

Nuclear Deterrence Operations Service Medal

AF Overseas Ribbon Short with one oak leaf cluster

Air Force Expeditionary Service Ribbon with Gold Border

AF Longevity Service with four oak leaf clusters

AF Training Ribbon

## EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant March 10, 1988
First Lieutenant June 28, 1990
Captain November 11, 1994
Major February 1, 2004
Lieutenant Colonel May 1, 2010
Colonel TBD