

LTGEN William G. Webster, United States Army



Lieutenant General William G. Webster, Jr., USA, is currently the Deputy Commander, U.S. Northern Command, and Vice Commander, U.S. Element, North American Aerospace Defense Command (USELEMNORAD), headquartered at Peterson Air Force Base, CO. U.S. Northern Command is responsible to deter, prevent and defeat threats and aggression aimed at the U.S., its territories and interests within the assigned area of responsibility, and; as directed by the President or Secretary of Defense, provide military assistance to civil authorities during disasters. General Webster served as the USNORTHCOM Operations Officer from June 2006 to May 2007.

Among General Webster's career assignments:

1988 until June 1991 on the Joint Staff in Washington, DC. In July of 1991, General Webster assumed command of the 2-77 Armor, 4th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Colorado. From July 1993 to April 1994, he served as the Armor Task Force Trainer at the U.S. Army National Training Center in Fort Irwin, CA. He commanded the 1st Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division in Fort Hood, Texas from 1995 to 1997. General Webster was then assigned as the Assistant Division Commander (Maneuver), 3rd Infantry Division at Fort Stewart, GA and in Kuwait.

In November 1998, General Webster was assigned as the Commanding General of the National Training Center at Fort Irwin, CA. From June 2000 to December 2001, General Webster served as the Director of Training for the U.S. Army in the Pentagon. In December 2001, he reported as the Deputy J3 (Operations) for U.S. Central command at MacDill Air Force Base, FL and in the USCENCOM Area of Operations, to include Operation ENDURING FREEDOM. During the build-up in Kuwait and attack into Iraq, he was Deputy Commanding General of all ground forces for Operation Iraqi Freedom, in 2002-2003. As the Commander of the 3rd Infantry Division from 2003-2006, General Webster returned his unit from combat, reorganized and trained it, and redeployed it into Baghdad. He commanded the 40,000 men and women of Multi-National Division Baghdad in 2005-2006.

General Webster is a graduate of the School of Advanced Military Studies and the Army War College, and holds a Master's Degree in Military Art and Science. His awards include the Distinguished Service Medal, two Bronze Stars, and five awards of the Legion of Merit. General and Mrs. Webster, the former Kimberly Grugin, have three children: Marleah Webster Domergue, Sarah Webster Johnson, and Will Webster.



VETERANS DAY

Schedule of Events



10:30 a.m. Patriotic Musical Prelude

Marine Corps Diego Band Ensemble

11:00 a.m. MEMORIAL PROGRAM

— **Master of Ceremonies** —

RADM Richard K. Fontaine, USN (RET)

Vice President, R.B. Veterans Memorial Association

Introduction

Invocation

LCDR Israel Narvaez, ChC, USN

Presentation of the Colors

Color Guard
US Army, Fort Irwin, CA

Pledge of Allegiance

COL David Epstein, AUS (Ret)
Commander, General J.P. Holland Chapter, MOWW

National Anthem

Marine Corps Diego Band Ensemble

Posting of Service Flags

Members of VFW Post 7766 and
General J.P. Holland Chapter, MOWW

Introduction of Principal Speaker

Major Abraham Baum, DSC, AUS (Fmr)
President, R.B. Veterans Memorial Association

Remarks

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Retire the Colors

Color Guard, US Army, Fort Irwin, CA

Benediction

LCDR Israel Narvaez, ChC, USN

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