Biography

Staff Sergeant Todd Beckel

Demonstration Parachutist, Black Demonstration Team U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"



Personal Statistics

Hometown: Massilon, Ohio

School Attended: Tuslaw High School

Biographical Sketch

SSG Todd Beckel is an Airborne Infantryman serving as a demonstrator on the Black Demonstration Team. This is his third year on the team.

Beckel enlisted into the Army in 2003 and following his initial entry training he was sent to the 325th Airborne Infantry Regiment for two years, then finally the 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment on Ft Bragg, North Carolina.

In October 2006, Beckel attended the rigorous Assessment and Selection Program. Upon completion of the program, he was knighted and assigned to the Black Demonstration Team

Prior to making the Army Parachute Team he has earned his Combat Infantryman's Badge; as well as a number of medals from his service in support of the Global war on Terrorism.

In his own time, Todd Beckel has also completed over 1,200 freefall jumps, but in addition to skydiving, he also enjoys fishing and scuba diving.



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