

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 now, Give'em the gun!

(Give'er the gun hey!)

Down we dive, spouting our flames

from under

Off with one helluva roar!

We live in fame or go down in flame.

Hey!

Nothing will stop the US Air Force!

RETIREMENT CEREMONY

in honor of

Senior Master Sergeant
LaTanya M Rogers



COMBAT READINESS
TRAINING CENTER
GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI
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15 NOVEMBER 2024



SENIOR MASTER SERGEANT LATANYA ROGERS

Senior Master Sergeant LaTanya Rogers served at the Combat Readiness Training Center (CRTC), Gulfport, Mississippi, as the Superintendent of Services and provided support in the clinic for Public Health.

In March of 1990, after completing her third year of college, SMSgt Rogers joined the Alabama Air National Guard. Upon graduating from Basic Training, she attended technical school at Lowry AFB, Denver, Colorado. From there she went on to serve at the 187th Fighter Wing Dannelly Field, Montgomery, Alabama. While serving at the 187th, as a Services Specialist, she graduated with a Pre-medical Laboratory Technology/Biology degree, from Alabama State University.

After serving eleven years in the Alabama Guard, SMSgt Rogers transferred over to the Air Force Reserves at Keesler AFB, Biloxi, Mississippi. She dedicated twenty years to the Force Support Squadron, during which she pursued and completed her studies in business administration, ultimately earning her MBA from William Carey University, Gulfport, Mississippi. After serving at Keesler AFB, she then returned to the Air National Guard to complete her Air Force career, with a total of 34 years proudly served.

Also, during her military career, SMSgt Rogers deployed to Niamey, the largest city of the West African country of Niger, in support of Operations JUNIPER MICRO, JUNIPER SHELD, ODYSSEY RESOLVE. Her exemplary execution of military duty, contributions, and outstanding achievement during this deployment earned her the Air Force Commendation medal.



SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Entrance of Official Party

National Anthem
Nevaeh Jasper

Invocation
James Lee, U.S. Army
Retired Owner of J. Lees
Gourmet BBQ Sauce

Recognition of Family and
Dignitaries

Service History
&
Awards/Presentations
Retirement

Honoree's Remarks *Senior
Master Sargent Retired
LaTanya Rogers*

Benediction

Departure of Official Party

Narrator
CMSgt Michael Jamison

Proffer
SMSgt Demetrius Baldwin