



**SGM Derek Day**  
**Sergeant Major**  
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Sergeant Major (SGM) Derek M. Day was born in Ottawa, Kansas. He enlisted in the Army in 2006 and attended Basic Combat Training (BCT) at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. He attended Advanced Individual Training (AIT) at Fort Bliss, Texas as Military Occupational Specialty (MOS) 14J, Air Defense C4I operator. He reclassified to MOS 25D, Cyber Network Defender, in 2015.

His previous assignments include: 5-52 Air Missile Defense BN, 2-6 Air Defense Artillery BN, 4-5 Air Missile Defense BN, 1st Space Company, Cyber Protection Brigade, 4th Infantry Division, and V Corps.

SGM Day's military schools include Sergeant's Major Academy (Class 74), Master Resilience Trainer, Host Based Security System, Cyber Network Defender course, Certified Ethical Hacker, Space Operations Course, Cadre Training Course, and Basic Instructor Training. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity from the University of Maryland University College and a Master of Science in Cybersecurity from Western Governor's University as well as multiple technical certifications.

His awards and decorations include; Meritorious Service Medal, 2 Oak Leaf Clusters; Army Commendation Medal, 4 Oak Leaf Clusters; Army Achievement Medal, 3 Oak Leaf Clusters; Meritorious Unit Citation; Army Good Conduct Medal, 5 Knots; National Defense Service Medal; Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal; Global War on Terrorism Service Medal; NCO Professional Development Ribbon, 5 Awards; Army Service Ribbon; Overseas Service Ribbon, 4 Awards; and the Army Basic Space Badge. He is also a Sergeant Audie Murphy Club Inductee.

SGM Day is married with three children.