

# Biography

*Mr. Thomas Bovee*

Military Airdrop Systems Technician, Rigger Loft  
U.S. Army Parachute Team, "Golden Knights"



## Personal Statistics

Hometown: Pierrepont Manor, New York  
School Attended: Genesee Community College

## Biographical Sketch

Mr. Tom Bovee is a Military Airdrop Systems Technician serving on the Parachute Team as the Master Parachute Rigger in charge of maintaining and servicing the team's parachutes.

Since enlisting in the Army in 1992, Bovee has served with Corps Support Command, 7th Special Forces Group, 528th Special Operations Support Battalion, 82d Airborne Division, Joint Special Operations Command, and the Airborne and Special Operations Test Directorate. He retired from active duty in 2015.



Since learning to sky dive in 2001, Bovee has become an experienced and accomplished jumper. He is airborne qualified, has earned his High Altitude Low Opening wings, better known as HALO. He has also earned several instructor ratings such as HALO Jumpmaster, Static Line Jumpmaster, and the Master Parachutist badge.

Tom has also earned civilian ratings of free fall Instructor with the United States Parachute Association. He is an FAA certified Master Parachute rigger. Bovee has logged more than 950 free fall parachute jumps, and 100 military static line jumps.

When not working for the Knights Bovee enjoys fishing and hunting.

