



**General Ann E. Dunwoody**  
**14 November 2008 - 7 August 2012**

Ann E. Dunwoody was born on 14 January 1953. She received a direct commission as a Quartermaster officer in 1975, after graduating from the State University of New York at Cortland. She later earned a Master of Science Degree in Logistics Management from the Florida Institute of Technology in 1988 and a Master of Science Degree in National Resource Strategy from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces in 1995.

General Dunwoody's command assignments include the 226th Maintenance Company Fort Sill, Oklahoma; 5th QM Detachment (ABN) Kaiserslautern, Germany; the 407th Supply and Service Battalion/782d Main Support Battalion (MSB) Fort Bragg, North Carolina; the 10th Division Support Command (DISCOM) Fort Drum, New York; the 1st Corps Support Command Fort Bragg, North Carolina; the Military Traffic Management Command (MTMC)/Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command (SDDC) Alexandria, Virginia; and the Combined Arms Support Command (CASCOM) Fort Lee, Virginia. She most recently served as AMC's Deputy Commanding General.

General Dunwoody's key staff assignments include 82d Division Parachute Officer; Strategic Planner for the Chief of Staff of the Army (CSA); Executive Officer to the Director, Defense Logistics Agency; and Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics G-4. She deployed with the 82d as the Division Parachute Officer for Desert Shield and Desert Storm from September 1990 to March 1991, and in 2001, as 1st COSCOM Commander she deployed the Log Task Force in support of OEF1 and stood up the Joint Logistics Command in Uzbekistan in support of CJTF-180. As Commander of SDDC, she supported the largest deployment and redeployment of U.S. forces since WWII.

On 14 November 2008, General Dunwoody became the first female four-star general in United States history and assumed the duties as the Commanding General of AMC. She relinquished her command on 7 August 2012.

Her awards and decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; Defense Superior Service Medal; Legion of Merit with two Oak Leaf Clusters; Defense Meritorious Service Medal; Meritorious Service Medal with Silver Oak Leaf Cluster; Army Commendation Medal; the Army Achievement Medal; the National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Star; SWASM (2 campaign stars); and the Kuwait Liberation Medal. Her badges include the Master Parachutist Badge and the Parachute Rigger Badge.

General Dunwoody has been recognized as a 2001 Distinguished Alumni for the State University of New York at Cortland, the 2004 recipient of the National Defense Transportation Association's DoD Distinguished Service Award, the 2007 recipient of the Military Order of the World Wars (MOWW) Distinguished Service Award, the 2009 recipient of the Association of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces Eisenhower Award, and is the 2011 recipient of the National Collegiate Athletic Association's Theodore Roosevelt Award. She received an honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters from the State University of New York at Cortland in 2009 and an honorary Doctorate of Military Science from Norwich University in 2010. She was inducted into the Quartermaster Hall of Fame in June 2012.

General Dunwoody officially retired from the U.S. Army on 1 October 2012.