



### **1<sup>st</sup> Sgt. Isaiah L. Brown**

Isaiah L. Brown enlisted in the U.S Army on Apr. 9, 1998. He attended Basic Combat Training at Fort Sill, Okla. and Advanced Individual Training as a Patriot Missile Operator Maintainer at Fort Bliss, Texas. His first duty station was Suwon, Korea with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion 43<sup>rd</sup> Air Defense Artillery where he served as a Patriot launcher crewmember.

Brown has served in a multitude of positions ranging from Patriot missile crewmember to first sergeant at the following duty locations: 6-52<sup>nd</sup> ADA, Ansbach, Germany, which included a Middle East deployment; Warriors Leadership Course instructor and operations noncommissioned officer at the NCO Academy, Fort Bliss; 1<sup>st</sup> ADA in Okinawa, Japan during the stand-up and activation of the first Patriot battalion in the region; and military science instructor, training and operations NCO, and senior military instructor at Central Washington University Reserve Officers' Training Corps.

His awards include the Meritorious Service Medal (with two oak leaf clusters), the Army Commendation Medal (with three OLC) the Army Achievement Medal (with two OLC), the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal, and the Air Assault Badge. His education includes a bachelor of science in business administration, an associates of arts in business, and he is currently pursuing a masters in educational leadership.

He is married to Sara Brown of El Paso, Texas. Together they have five children: Uryan, Trinity, Oceana, Tarese and Tiana.