

JEFF STRUECKER'S BIO

Jeff Struecker confessed faith in Jesus Christ as his savior as a teenager. He enlisted in the US Army at age 18 and served for almost 23 years before retiring as a chaplain with the rank of Major.

Jeff spent most of his Army career serving in special operations units. He served in many positions in the US Army's 75th Ranger Regiment. He left active duty as a Sergeant First Class, while serving as an ROTC Instructor to become a chaplain. Jeff served as a chaplain in Airborne and Ranger units before retiring from the US Army in 2011. He was inducted into the US Army Ranger Hall of Fame in 2017.

Jeff has been deployed to combat in Panama, Kuwait, Somalia, and many tours of duty in Afghanistan and Iraq. He holds many decorations and recognitions for his military service, including the Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device for valor. He has attended many professional military schools and has received many badges to recognize his specialized military training as an Infantryman, a Paratrooper, a Ranger and a Chaplain.

Jeff is an avid runner and has completed numerous marathons and ultra-marathons. He holds a Ph.D. from the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. Jeff is also an award-winning author with many books in print.

Jeff has served churches in various different positions. He is the founding pastor of 2 Cities Church in Columbus, GA. He is married to his high school sweetheart, Dawn. They have five children and three grandchildren.