



## **100<sup>th</sup> Commemoration Message from the Chief, United States Army Reserve**

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On April 23, 2008, the Army Reserve will commemorate its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, marking a century of service by America's Warrior-Citizens. We can look with pride upon our wonderful history of achievement, which began in 1908 with a small reserve medical unit and the great idea to leverage civilian skills in support of our national security mission. Since then, the Army Reserve has grown into an incredibly successful and mutually beneficial partnership with the American people, who we all serve.

Throughout this anniversary year, the Army Reserve will conduct a wide variety of events and activities designed to commemorate this historic occasion. Through these activities, we seek to honor and thank our Army Reserve Soldiers and Veterans for one hundred years of service and sacrifice.

We will also be marking this historic milestone in 2008 by thanking the people who support the continued service of our Army Reserve Soldiers: members of our Families, military and civilian co-workers, employers, and friends and neighbors in our communities throughout America. As every Soldier can attest, the Army Reserve could not exist without their vital support.

To all of our Soldiers who make the Army Reserve what it is today, a skill-rich, operational force that enables the world's greatest Army to succeed, thank you for your patriotism, your dedication and service. Stay strong.

Sincerely,

Lieutenant General Jack C. Stultz  
Chief, Army Reserve / Commander, United States Army Reserve Command