

**Citation to accompany the award
of the
Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal**

This is to certify that the Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal has been awarded to TSgt Darren L. Hensley for volunteer service to his community from 1 Jun 1994 to 1 Jun 2002. TSgt Hensley distinguished himself through outstanding volunteer service to the Alamogordo Toy Train Depot, Alameda Park, Alamogordo New Mexico, as Train ride engineer, Tour guide, and model railroad operator. Through his professional attitude TSgt Hensley provided safe and enjoyable train rides through Alameda Park aboard one of three ¼ scale model trains. Responsible for the safety and well being of up to 30 passengers TSgt Hensley provided a high value and safe ride for the museum patrons. With his vast knowledge and excellent speaking skills he presented nearly 100 museum patrons per day, insight to the operation, construction, and enjoyment of the model railroad hobby. TSgt Hensley contributed over 1200 hours and \$400.00 to this worthy Non-profit museum. TSgt Hensley also contributed 2 hours per weekend to the Alamogordo Food Share program. His organization skills and physical fitness enabled the download and distribution of federal aid food staples to the local community families in need. TSgt Hensley continued with the Warrensburg Food Pantry upon his PCS, proving once again his willingness to support the local community through needed volunteer assistance. Using his skill and knowledge of computer systems TSgt Hensley further contributed virus eradication labor and materials to the Whiteman AFB and Warrensburg area residents and businesses. Providing countless hours of support worth well over \$4000.00. TSgt Hensley also served on the board of education for the Warrensburg Area Vocational Technical School as president and advisor, ensuring quality education is made available to the school district students. For his contributions as advisor during 2000 TSgt Hensley was recognized and WAVTS Small Business Partner of the year. The singularly distinctive accomplishments of TSgt Hensley reflect credit upon himself, and the United States Air Force.