

COL Jim Coy, (Ret)

He is *married* to **Vicki**. They have three *children*, **Tim, Tricia, and Joshua**. Currently Dr. Coy is an *Associate Professor* at the **University of Missouri Hospital and Clinics** and the *Chief*, of Diagnostic *Radiology* at the **Harry S. Truman Memorial VA Hospital**. He is also an *Associate Professor* at the **Uniformed Services University of Health Sciences** in Bethesda, Maryland in the Departments of Military & Emergency Medicine and Radiology. **Jim and Vicki** are *Associate Staff* with the **Military Ministry of Campus Crusade for Christ**.

Dr. Coy *lectures* at numerous national and international meetings about **combat trauma medicine** and his *research* with **lightweight x-ray equipment** for use in military medicine. He has published numerous journal articles about these subjects.

Col. Coy retired from the military but remains a *medical consultant* for the **United States Special Operations Command** at MacDill AFB, Tampa, Florida, and the **United States Army Special Operations Command** at Fort Bragg, NC.

Dr. Coy served two years as the *national president* of the **Special Operations Medical Association**, two years as the *Missouri, state surgeon* and then two years as the *national surgeon* of the **Reserve Officers Association**.

He has been awarded the **Combat Medical Badge, Expert Field Medical Badge, Flight Surgeon Badge, Air Assault Badge, Parachute Badge, and the Israeli Parachute Badge**. His decorations include the **Legion of Merit, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Order of Military Medical Merit** which is the highest recognition of the Army Medical Regiment and the **Army Medical Department "A" Proficiency Designation** which is the very highest designation by the Army Medical Department for achievement in Military Medicine.

Jim is very active in **Promise Keepers** and **Men Without Fear**. He frequently speaks to community, church, and military groups across the nation. Dr. Coy is the author of the Eagles series books entitled *A GATHERING OF EAGLES, VALOR* and *PRISONERS OF HOPE*. Two videos/DVDs were produced about the books entitled, **VALOR** and **PRISONERS OF HOPE**. His new book is *MATTHEW A to Z + 2*. Jim and Vicki attend **New Life Community Church**.

