

Lynne A. (Highsmith) Daley
Lieutenant Colonel, U.S. Army Retired

A native of Philadelphia, PA, LTC Daley holds a BS and MS degree in Business Education from Shippensburg University (PA). She was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the United States Army Signal Corps through the Shippensburg University Army ROTC program and entered active duty in January 1985. As a Signal Corps officer, Lynne provided tactical and strategic communications to the Warfighters during peacetime and combat operations. Throughout a distinguished 22-year military career, Lynne served in numerous leadership and nominative assignments from Platoon Leader to Battalion Commander.

Military Service Highlights include:

- Selected one of five Signal Corps officers to represent the U.S. Army at the U.S. Marine Corps Command and Control Systems Course at Quantico, Virginia: a one-year advanced officer training program.
- Served as Company Commander, D Company/426th Signal Battalion, 35th Signal Brigade. During the Gulf War, forward deployed into Iraq with the 18th Airborne Corps ground assault units. Awarded the Bronze Star for Valor during the Gulf War.
- Served as an Executive Support/Communications Officer for the Secretary of Defense.
- Chosen to participate in the Joint Officer Internship Program, serving as a Legislative Liaison Officer for the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.
- Executive Officer, 36th Signal Battalion, Taegu, Korea.
- Deputy Commander of the Global Network Operations and Security Center, Defense Information Systems Agency.
- Tactical Support Officer for US Army Pacific. Recognized as Staff Officer of the Year for exceptional service.
- Battalion Commander of 30th Signal Battalion. Overhauled base telecommunications infrastructure. Deployed troops and Command & Control systems to Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.
- Selected to attend the Army Senior Service College.

LTC Daley received many Service awards, medals, badges and campaign ribbons during her exceptional military career, including the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal (2nd Award), Meritorious Service Medal (4th Award), Joint Commendation Medal (2nd Award). She also earned the Parachutist Badge and the Secretary of Defense, Joint Chief of Staff, and Army Staff Identification Badges.

In 2006, LTC Daley retired from active military service as a Lieutenant Colonel and started her civilian career with the Bank of America. She is a Senior Vice President, Senior Technology Business Solutions Manager supporting the Global Human Resource application portfolio. At Bank of America, She is actively involved in Employee Networks supporting veterans and the military community. She served as the Co-Lead for the MD/DC/NoVA Military Support & Assistance Group Chapter and helped to establish the Global Technology & Operations Military Advisory Leadership Council, which develops strategies and tactics to attract, hire/on-board, develop, and retain military veteran talent for Bank of America. She also serves as a mentor supporting the professional development of veterans at Bank of America.

In 2013, LTC Daley was recognized as a Woman of the Year by the National Association of Professional Women for demonstrating excellence and dedication within her profession. She has a passion for supporting her community, church, and philanthropic organizations like the Shippensburg University Foundation. She is a lifetime member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporate; former Vice President of the Delta Education and Public Service Foundation of Prince William County, Virginia; and a current a member of the Shippensburg Alumni Association Board of Directors.