

US AIR FORCE SONG



Off we go into the wild blue yonder,
Climbing high into the sun;
Here they come zooming to meet our thunder,
At 'em now, Give 'em the gun!
Down we dive, spouting our flames from under,
Off with one helluva roar!
We live in fame or go down in flame. Hey!
Nothing 'll stop the U.S. Air Force!

HONORING:

Brigadier General
SEAN T. COLLINS

On his promotion to
Major General



2 June 2023

The Joint Base Anacostia Bolling Club
50 Theisen Street SW
Washington DC 20032

PROMOTION CEREMONY



**LIEUTENANT GENERAL
ROBERT I. MILLER**

Lt. Gen. Robert I. Miller is the Surgeon General, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, and also serves as the Surgeon General of the U.S. Space Force. In this role, he advises the Secretary of the Air Force, the Air Force Chief of Staff, the Space Force Chief of Space Operations and the

Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs on matters pertaining to the medical aspects of the air expeditionary force and the health of Airmen and Guardians. Lt. Gen. Miller has authority to commit resources worldwide for the Air Force Medical Service, to make decisions affecting the delivery of medical services, and to develop plans, programs and procedures to support worldwide medical service missions. He exercises significant influence over a \$6.1 billion, 44,000-person integrated health care delivery and readiness system serving 2.6 million beneficiaries at 76 military treatment facilities worldwide.

artillery, and up to 15,000 active duty, National Guard, Air Force Reserve and civilian personnel.

Lt. Gen. Miller entered active duty in 1985 as a Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences medical student. He completed his pediatric residency at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio, and his fellowship in developmental-behavioral pediatrics at Madigan Army Medical Center, Fort Lewis, Washington. He is board certified in both general pediatrics and developmental-behavioral pediatrics and is qualified in aerospace medicine. Lt. Gen. Miller has served as the chief of the medical staff at the military treatment facility and major command level, a squadron commander, group commander, a MAJCOM command surgeon, and as a combatant commander command surgeon.



**BRIGADIER GENERAL
Sean T. Collins**

Brig. Gen. Sean T. Collins is the Assistant to The Surgeon General for the Department of the Air Force, Director Space Force Medical Operations. In this role he is the champion for the Surgeon General, focused on the medical support of the Space Force Guardians. In collaboration

with the Chief of Space Operations and senior level Space Force leadership, Brig. Gen. Collins plays a key role in the overall development and establishment of policies and practices that best support Guardians as they forge a unique path in Space Operations. In addition, he serves as the ANG assistant to the Chief Nurse of the Air Force, where he assists with the creation and evaluation of policies and programs for 19,000 active-duty, Guard and Reserve nursing personnel. He interacts with Air Staff, Joint Staff, Department of Defense, Department of Veterans Affairs and civilian health care organizations to ensure the highest caliber of patient care and highly trained personnel.

Brig. Gen. Collins started his career at the 104th Fighter Wing, Barnes Air National Guard Base, where he was commissioned in the nurse corps. He has served in multiple senior leadership roles in the National Capitol Region. Prior to his current assignment, he served as the Commander, Air Force Medical Readiness Agency (AFMRA) at Head Quarters Air Force. He has broad command and leadership experience in garrison and deployed settings. General Collins earned his Masters and Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) from University of Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester.



SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

OPENING NARRATION

*Arrival Fanfare
Musical Honors*

PRESENTATION OF COLORS

Air Force Honor Guard

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Ms. Vanessa Ford

INVOCATION:

Rabbi, Maj Steven Rein

REMARKS BY PRESIDING OFFICIAL

Lt Gen Miller, DAF/SG

DECORATION PRESENTATION

*Distinguished Service Medal:
Gen Thompson
Massachusetts Medal of Merit:
Maj Gen Keefe*

PROMOTION ORDER

Lt Gen Miller

PINNING OF RANK

*Service Coat: Lt Gen Miller & Mrs. Collins
Shirt: Lt Gen Loh & Dr. Collins
Lightweight Blues Jacket: Mackenzie &
Cameron Collins
Flight Cap: Gabrielle Collins*

RE-AFFIRMATION OF OATH

Maj Gen John DeGoes

POSTING OF PERSONAL COLORS

MSgt Lupacchino & MSgt Lytle

GOD BLESS AMERICA

Ms. Vanessa Ford

REMARKS BY HONOREE

Maj Gen Collins

MUSICAL REFLECTION

Ms. Vanessa Ford

BENEDICTION

Father, Col Mongale

CLOSING NARRATION

Lt Col Molchan

AIR FORCE SONG

Air Force Band

DEPARTURE OF OFFICIAL PARTY

RECEIVING LINE