

Chief Culinary Specialist John F. Backman

Command Chief

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CSC John F. Backman is a native of Albuquerque, NM. He enlisted in the Coast Guard in July of 2003. His previous assignments include, CGC OSAGE, Patrol Forces Southwest Asia, Air Station Clearwater, CGC MAUI (Patrol Forces Southwest Asia), Sector Portland Oregon, CGC FIR, and Food Service Specialist “A” School at Training Center Petaluma, California.

CSC Backman’s awards include Coast Guard Commendation Medal, four Coast Guard Achievement Medals with “O” device, and other personal and service related awards. He has earned his permanent Cutterman Insignia and unit Command Chief Silver Badge.

CSC Backman is a graduate of Class 239 of the Coast Guard Chief Petty Officer Academy.

CSC Backman is married to Jaime Backman and has two children, Emmie and Kade.