



## Staff Sergeant Benjamin Keel

Integrated Avionics Specialist



Staff Sergeant Benjamin Keel is an integrated avionics specialist for the F-22 Raptor Demonstration Team and a member of the 192nd Aircraft Maintenance Squadron. As an avionics specialist, he is responsible for ensuring the aircraft's communication, navigation, RADAR, and electrical/environmental systems are operational. He represents the Virginia Air National Guard, the United States Air Force, and the Department of Defense at more than 20 air shows annually. His mission is to ensure the demonstration team has a quality aircraft available to perform a safe demonstration so that millions of spectators can see the F-22 Raptor's air superiority. Staff Sergeant Keel enlisted into the Air Force on October 05, 2017. He is from Dover, Tennessee and a 2007 Graduate of Stewart County High School. During his time in High School he participated in football.

### Assignments

- May 2011 – May 2016: Aircraft Avionics Technicians, HMM 774, NAVSTA Norfolk, VA
- Oct 2017 – Present: Integrated Avionics Specialist, 192nd AMXS, JBLE, Va.