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Born in September 1941. Entire College Education in Gudivada College. While Studying MA LLB, Joined the Army and became an Officer in June1962 in the Infantry. While in the Army studied Msc and got Phd. Actively participated in the Wars Of 1962 at Heights over -11,000 Feet, in 1965 in the Desert sector and in 1971 one of the First Four Officers, leading the Fighting Troops, entering Jessore (Bangladesh) and lead the advance over eleven days upto Khulna. Was part of the Force which took Surrender of Pakistani Troops in Khulna Area (Bangladesh). Was part of an Inter-ministerial Three Member Team (Only One from the Armed Forces) to the Government of Maldives to Re Vamp their Security after the Coup in that Country. Was Part of the First Joint working Group on China to Discuss Border Issues with China. The Team lead by the Foreign Secretary, Additional Secretary of Defense and Self (Only Member from the Armed Forces) Was Guest of Honor at The 'Edinburgh Festival' in Scotland. Was Honored with "Friend Of Singapore" NCC" in a Ceremony Held at Singapore by the Then Deputy Prime Minister and later the PM of Singapore (Mr. Lee Hsien Loong). Was Decorated with-'Param Visishta Seva Medal' and 'Ati Visishta Seva Medal' by the President of India. After a Service of 39 Years and Five Months retired from the Army, as DG NCC (National Cadet Corps).