

Chief Master Sergeants are individually to be regarded as people -

Who cannot be bought:

Whose word is their bond:

Who put character above wealth:

Who possess opinions and will:

Who are larger than their vocations:

Who will not lose their individuality in a crowd:

Who do not hesitate to take chances:

Who will be as honest in small things as great ones:

Who will make no compromise with wrong:

Whose ambitions are not confined to their own selfish desires and interests:

Who are true to their friends through good report and evil

report, in adversity as well as prosperity:

Who do not believe that shrewdness, cunning and

hard-headedness are the best qualities for winning success:

Who are not ashamed or afraid to stand for the truth when it is unpopular, who can say "no" with emphasis, although all the world is saying "yes"