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Army Pvt. Joe W. Tinsley has graduated from Basic Combat Training at Fort Knox, Ky.

During the nine-week training period, the trainee received instruction in drill and ceremony, weapons, rifle marksmanship and bayonet training, chemical warfare, field training and tactical exercises, armed and unarmed combat, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history, traditions, and core values.

He is the son of Joe Tinsley of Madisonville and Sherri Crofford of Crockett.

Tinsley is a 2004 graduate of Madisonville High School.