



**Senior Chief Jacob A. Zorbaugh**  
**Command Senior Chief**  
*Sector Northern Great Lakes*



Senior Chief Jacob Zorbaugh assumed the duties and responsibilities of Command Senior Chief, Sector Northern Great Lakes, Sault Sainte Marie, MI. in July 2024. As the Command Senior Enlisted Leader, he is a direct representative to the Sector Commander on all matters and activities and serves as a command liaison to the Chief Petty Officer Mess. He is responsible for enhancing policy and strategy, outreach to the workforce, managing communications between leaders across organizational echelons, and working closely with the office of the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Coast Guard on policy development, change, and implementation of workforce initiatives.

Senior Chief Zorbaugh's previous assignments include Chief Petty Officer Academy Assistant School Chief, Petaluma, CA. Tactical Law Enforcement Team Pacific, San Diego, CA; Maritime Security Response Team, Chesapeake, VA; Patrol Forces Southwest Asia; Air Station Traverse City, MI; USCGC BUCKTHORN (WLI-642), Sault Ste. Marie, MI, and 3rd Battalion, 69th Armor Regiment, Fort Stewart, GA.

Senior Chief Zorbaugh is a graduate of the U.S. Coast Guard Chief Petty Officer Academy Class CCXLIII (243). He is currently enrolled in Joint Special Operations Forces Senior Enlisted Academy Class 57.

A native of Temperance, MI., Senior Chief Zorbaugh enlisted in the United States Coast Guard in September 2006. His personal awards include the Coast Guard Commendation Medal, four Army Commendation Medals, four Coast Guard Achievement Medals (with the operational distinguishing device), and two Commandant's Letter of Commendation Ribbons. In addition to various other personal and unit level awards, he wears the Tactical Law Enforcement insignia and the Army Combat Action insignia. He is a proud father of two daughters, Sage and Trinity.