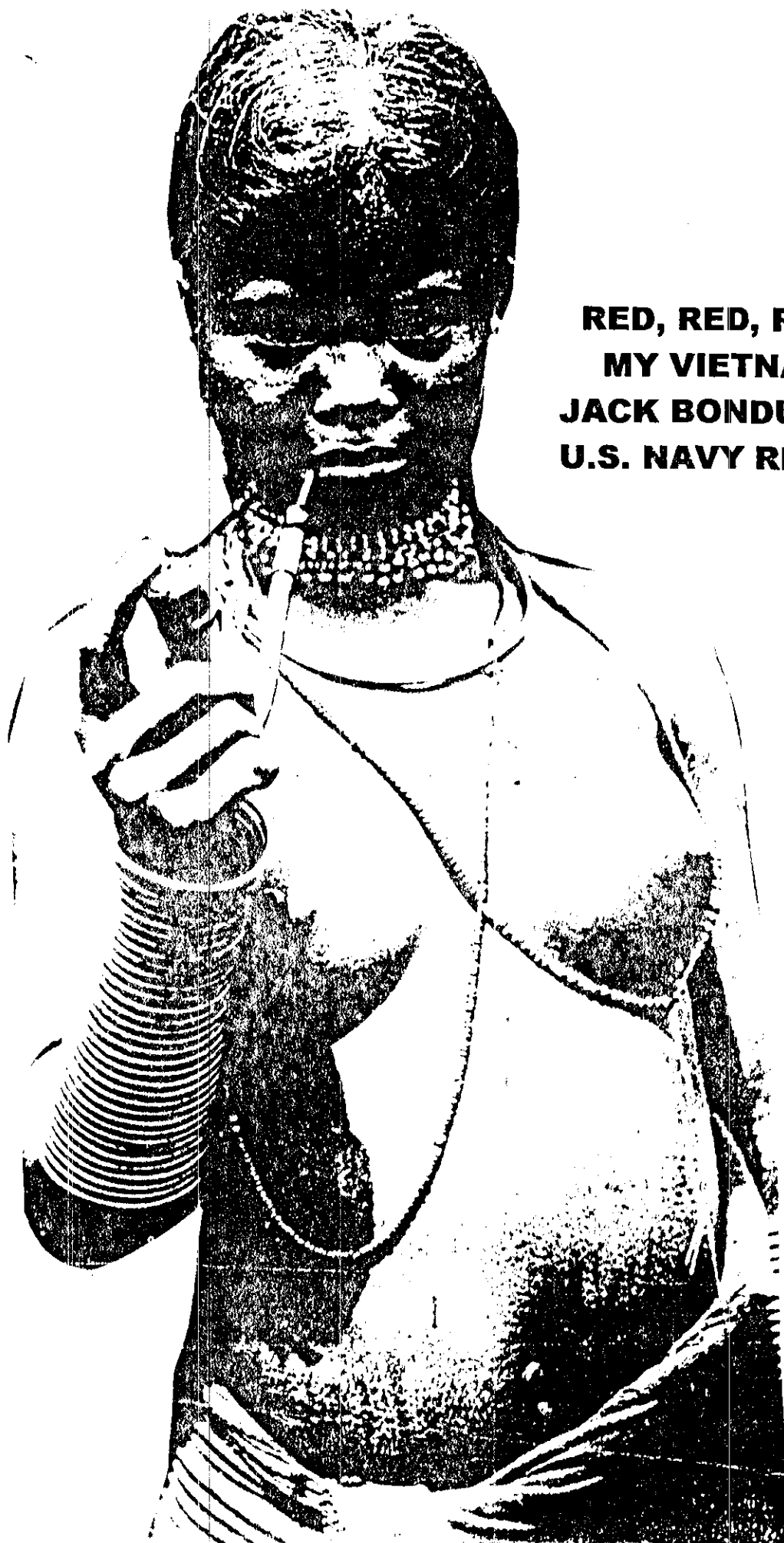


**RED, RED, RAIN**  
**MY VIETNAM**  
**JACK BONDURANT**  
**U.S. NAVY RESCUE**



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RED, RED, RAIN

SOUL, MIST, FIRE & HAIL  
OF ANOTHER FRIEND OR ENEMY  
EXPLODING AGAIN.

THEIR EYES FLASH TERROR, SORROW, PAIN.

THEN DEATH'S FINAL COURAGE.

YES THE PAIN LASTS FOREVER.

DAY & NIGHTMARES AGAIN & AGAIN

YES IT HURTS WHEN YOU GET HIT BY A FRIEND.

EXPLODING BONES, LEGS, ARMS & HEADS.

RED RAIN OF FIRE, BLOOD, GUTS, SHIT, SMELL & BRAINS.

FOREVER A SHAME.

THE BURNING RAIN

CAN'T WASH AWAY THE BLAME

WHY NOT ME?

*Jack Bondurant*

Mahalo Nui Loa & Aloha  
For My Children & Family.  
Their Love, Loss, Sacrifice &  
Future Are My Inspirations.  
My Life & The Completion  
of This Book.  
I OWE TO GOD!

RED, RED, RAIN

Sincere Thanks To Authors & Photographers For Truths About Vietnam.

Without Them No one Could Know The Truth about VIETNAM!

The Title RED, RED, RAIN.

So Many People Exploded by Mines, Boobytraps, Gernades,

Machine Guns, Mortars, Rockets, Bombs, Friendly Fire,

Harrassment & Interdiction, Frag, Murder, Suicide & Accidents.

Millions were Poisoned by Chemical Warfare Exposure.

Citizens Of Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos, America & Our Allies.

My Daily Journal, Written IN Country Vietnam 1966-1967.

Dedicated To All Veterans & Victims Of The Vietnam War.

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Friendly Fire- Targeted & Fired On By Your Own Military Forces.  
Either by Accident, Intentional, Revenge Or Cause It  
To Fall On your Own Location. The Enemy Is So Close,  
So Overwhelming In Numbers, Experience & Fire Power.

\*  
Harrassment & Interdiction- Unload All Bombs & Fire All Ammo.  
Troops, Choppers, Planes, Artillery  
Anytime, Anyplace, Any Or No Reason!  
(Neglects Fact We Are Down Here Too!)

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Frag- All Manner & Methods Of Being Murdered Intentionally By  
Ones Own (Friends & Allies) A Live Gernade In Toilet, Shower,  
Tent, Bed, Foxhole. Usually Asshole, Gung Ho To Die & Get You  
ALL Killed, Enlsited Or Jr.Officers. Or You Just Don't Like Someone!  
Or Someone Wants Your Woman, A Transfer, Property Or JOB!  
OR JUST FOR FUN!

(\*) Jack Bondurant USN SF-2 (SCUBA) USS Prarie AD-15 Destroyer Tender  
Repair Division Dive Locker

USNAWESPACFLT Yokosuka, Japan 1964

Congratulations, You will recieve an Honorable Discharge.

You earned Sincere Thanks, Respect & Excellent Recommendations  
From your Captain, Officers & Shipmates.

Your Experience & Certifications include Military Rank USN SF2 (E-5)  
Qualifications- Shipfitter, Welder, Scuba, Damage Control, Fire, Rescue,  
Ship & Boat Design, Construct, Salvage, Repair, Explosives & Demolitions  
On Destroyers, ASROC Missile Systems, Helicopter Drones, ASW Torpedos  
& Submarines Alongside AD-15 for Repair & Renovation.

Recommendations for Reenlistment, (OCS) USN Officers Candidate School  
TEMDUINS, Advanced SCUBA, SEAL, SERE, Combat Rescue, Repair, Advisor.  
Service Records Forwarded to Command NAVPHIBASE Coronado.

Confidential, Confirmed Emergency Orders, Rescue Duty Vietnam

Captains Special Thanks & Commendation

For Service as Japanese Interpreter during WESPAC Cruises. 1961-1964.

Good Luck

Captain USS Prarie AD-15

(\*) All My Records & Countless Others Were Destroyed & Altered By US Navy.

I Reproduced Exact Copies of mine In Vietnam.

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## RED RED RAIN

### MY VIETNAM

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### U S NAVY RESCUE ADVISOR DUTY

### HEARTS MINDS HANDS HELP VIETNAM

A Coronado Navphibase Commander Stated at My First Interview (1961)

"Officially the US Navy Does Not Have a Secret Service, Berets or SEALS.

President Kennedy Ordered Secret Special Forces From All US Military."

Kennedy's Orders & "Ask Not What" Inspired & Improved My Life Forever.

By 1964, Extremely Well Trained, Educated & Scheduled to Recieve

my first Honorable Discharge from the USN.

Aboard USS Prarie AD-15, Hearing My Name on the Ships Speaker System.

" Now Hear This, SF2 Bondurant Report to Captains Quarters."

(The Captains Holy Ground. I thought, this is BAD)

Running to Captains Quarters, I knocked. "ENTER"

I Saluted. "Reporting As Ordered SIR."

"At Ease Jack. This is about a Great Career Move, not Trouble."

The Captain & I Knew Each Other Well.

In Japan, I Am a Repair SCUBA Diver & Ships Japanese Interpreter. I Weld,

I SCUBA, Repair & Interpret Japanese for Admirals, Captains & Commanders

Who Need to Communicate With Local Japanese Officials, Police & Employees.

Also As Interpreter For Officers, Enlisted & Beautiful Japanese Women.

I Fear No Officer Nor Need To Respect Authority. (E-5'S Run the Navy)

I Sir & Salute Only a Few Officers I Personnaly Like & Respect.

(Officers Join the Navy & Chief's Own the Navy.)

However E-5's Run the Navy!

## **E-5'S Run The US Navy**

"Jack, Your Officers & I Approved Your Honorable Discharge & Re enlistment, With Our Best Recommendations for OCS. Congratulations & Good Luck.

These Men want to Meet YOU." Indicating an Ensign & 2 Enlisted men.

They Wore Sharp Custom Taylored US Navy Uniforms & Black Berets.

All 3 had Beards & Long Hair. I was VERY Impressed. The Ensign said,

"You Earned Excellent Recommendations for Coronado & OCS.

We will give you a Tour." These men Did Not Act & Talk Regular US Navy.

They Were more Like Civilians. We went to Coronado Navy Base.

Inside Command, Hours of answering questions about my Life, Education & the past 4 years in the US Navy & Life in America & The World in 1964.

Many Concerning How & Why I advanced in Rank, Rate, SCUBA, Welding, Fire, Rescue, Explosives, Weapons, Education & Fluent Japanese Interpreter.

I Intend to be a US Navy Mustang Scuba, Submarine Officer) My Brother Del Aboard My Ship & Dad, a WW-2 Navy Veteran Inspired My US Navy Career.

I Entered the US Navy with No Education, Some IQ, Arrogance & Ambition.

Now, SF-2, (E-5) SCUBA II. A College Level Officer Candidate Considered For Service In US Navy Special Forces Combat Rescue Operations. MY Honor!

I Worked Long & Hard past 4 years for the US Navy. I Can Retire in Only 16 years. I intend to be an Admiral! Never do I feel it SO Possible!

\*I Sought & "Earned" Respect with Officers & Enlisted the USN (Hard) Way!

( Be Familiar & Capable of accomplishing Every aspect of your Vessel!

Begin in the Bottom of the Bilge, Clean, Chip, Paint & Repair Inside & out.

Learn & Earn Your way Up. ) I Fought Tooth, Nail & Brain to Earn My E-5!

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US Navy Enlisted To Admiral Program.



(\*) **USNAVWESPACFLT NOTICE ALL ENLISTMENTS ARE EXTENDED**

**ATTENTION ALL US NAVY WESPAC PERSONNEL NEAR DISCHARGE DATE**  
**A NATIONAL EMERGENCY. FREEDOM FOR THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH VIETNAM**

NAVPHIBASE CORONADO

During Questioning, Meals & Coffee. 20 Pages Typed & Tape Recorded  
Concerning my Dive & SCUBA Experiences in USA, Hawaii, Japan & Vietnam.  
Training & Experimental Deep Scuba Dives & Submarine Escapes & Rescues.  
After Questioning We Went to a Bar in National City, California where.  
they introduced me to a crowd of Men & Women.  
Everyone Not in a Drunken Stupor Proceeded to Become So.  
The Men had Beards, Long Hair, Black Berets & Civilian Clothes.  
Several Women wore nothing except Black Berets.  
I Sincerely Enjoyed the Strip, Tits & Ass Contests on Bar & Tables.  
I was VERY Impressed! These Men & Women Treated each other  
& ME with Respect, As Equals, AS Friends. I Passed Out Drunk.  
Next morning, sharing a gallon of Hot, Black US Navy Coffee  
with the Berets Before Escort to Coronado NAVPHIBASE.

My Tour included Coronado, Training Areas, Trainees,  
Local Navy Bases, My Ships Dive, Repair & Damage Control shops,  
the New ASROC Missile & Torpedo Systems & Helicopter Drones for  
Destroyers & Submarines Scheduled for Repairs alongside USS Prarie AD-15.

After Several Flights on Huge Flying Air Planes,  
Experimental Hydrofoil Swift Boats, Small Submarines,  
High Altitude, Low Opening Parachute Jumps & Fast Armed Boats.  
All Convince me to Re enlist Immediately.  
Especially the Bar on the Beach & Women, Women, Women!  
The Commander & Medical Commander BOTH Shook my Hand  
& Handed Me Orders for Combat Rescue, Diver, Advisor Duty  
In Country Danang, Vietnam. Hearts, Minds, Hands. (My Request Approved!)

I Believe I Could Actually Save American & Vietnamese Lives  
in Vietnam & help Save America & the World from Communism.

After I Signed, the Commanders said.

" You are going to War after the Most Difficult Training of your life.  
4 years US Navy Means Get in Top Shape *BEFORE* You Start Our Training.  
You Have Top Secret Clearance or you would NOT be here Now.  
This Base & all Information are Top Secret, National Security."

After A Visit to a Fenced in Compound & Building Down Town  
San Diego & the CIA, Military Intelligence (Officials) I met there  
Sincerely Covert me! These US Navy Commanders had Power!

My Discharge & Re enlistment Processed. I am Off My Ship Today.

NO Good Byes Allowed. Pack my Sea Bag & Leave. (Sayonara)

None Allowed for My Good Friends & Shipmates of 4 Great Years.

Officers & Enlisted.

I Salute Ensign (US Flag) & Quarter Deck Watch. " Request Permission  
To Leave The Ship Sir." (Granted) I Never Felt More Strange & Alone.

(YET!)

Several weeks later I finally dumped my Sea Bag out,  
I found a 25 pound Brass Anchor my friends in Repair Division &  
Dive Locker made & marked. (Rescue Vietnam) Top Secret or not.

The Captain & Crew know I am headed for Combat Rescue Duty Vietnam.  
During WESPAC Duty in Japan, our Ships Crew is Aware (1961-1964)  
The Ships & Submarines Alongside our Ship for Repairs & Renovations  
are Made Ready For THE WAR! New Missiles, Weapons, Ammo & supplies are  
Prepared for the War in Vietnam. We are All Involved with Vietnam.  
Top Secret, Authorized OR "NOT" Include, (\*UNIDOR) for Several Years.  
US Navy Scuttle Butt (Rumors) Always Abundant if Not 100% Accurate.  
(Always) Offers 100% More Reality of The War to Come than US Navy,  
Official or Presidential Information EVER.

I Cruised California for a month, Rented an Apartment above  
the Western Union Office in National City, California, Offered by  
One of the Coronado Berets. Located Conveniently Across the Street from One  
of the Beret Bars. All You Can Drink Booze & Draft Beer, 25 Cents a Glass.

(There are several books completed about USN SCUBA, UDT, SEALS, BUDS.  
Sea, Land, Aviation Fire Fighter, Combat Rescue & US Navy Training.  
For Best Insight & Accurate Information I Suggest You Read Them All.

*\*(UNIDOR) Unless Otherwise directed. (In Lieu of Orders)  
Command, Decision & Action.*

**(\*) SPECIAL EXPEDITIONARY FORCE  
STUDIES & OBSERVATION GROUP  
HEARTS, MINDS, HANDS  
REQUIRE PERSONNEL FOR COMBAT RESCUE DUTY IN VIETNAM**

**ATTENTION US NAVY ( WES PAC ) PERSONNEL  
DUE TO HOSTILE COMMUNIST INVASION OF SOUTH VIETNAM .  
JACK BONDRANT USN SF2, CONFIRMED EMERGENCY ORDERS  
COMBAT, RESCUE, DIVER, REPAIR, DEMOLITIONS, OPERATIONS.  
OFFICERS BILLET ( E-5 & ABOVE PRIOR SERVICE CONSIDERED )  
FIRE, RESCUE, REPAIR, DIVER, DEMOLITIONS, MEDICAL  
TEMDUINS UDT SEAL SERE COMBAT RESCUE INTERPRETER  
TEMDUINS CONN COUNTERINSURGENCY, LANGUAGE, CULTURE  
CAMP PENDELTON USMC WEAPONS, EXPLOSIVES USA, VIETNAM  
ON COMPLETION CONFIRMED EMERGENCY ORDERS TRANSFER  
TEMDU 13 MONTHS NAVSUPPACT, DANANG VIETNAM- I CORPS  
ADVISOR VIETNAMESE NATIONALS EMPLOYED BY US NAVY  
AUTHORIZED USNS BERET, CIVILIAN DRESS, HAIR, BEARD  
USN-OCS & ADVANCED DIVE SCHOOLS ON RETURN CON-USA  
VOLUNTEER, IN CON, CONN TERR ,INSUR ,ADVISOR, RESCUE  
NO WEAPONS AUTHORIZED IN COUNTRY**

**CAPTAIN USS PRARIE AD-15  
CMDR USNAVPHIBASE, CORONADO, CALIFORNIA  
CAPTAIN BUCKLEW  
ADMIRAL SHARP**

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## **CORONADO NAVPHIBASE**

TEMDUINS

SCUBA, (SERE) Survival, \*Escape, Rescue, \*Evasion,  
Insurgency, Counter insurgency, Counter Terrorisim.  
US Navy Special Warfare Course For Shore Duty In Vietnam  
*\*POW Prison Camp, Evasions & Escape. Live Fire Combat Course.*

TEMDUINS

Camp Pendelton US Marine Corps Base  
Combat, Weapons, Rescue, Explosives, Traps, Mines, USA, China, Russia.

TEMDUINS

NAVAIRSTA San Diego Helicopter/ Parachute

TEMDUINS

Treasure Island US Navy Base, Vietnamese Language & Cultures  
Sea, Land, Aviation Fire Fighting, Damage Control & Combat Rescue.  
On Successful Completion,  
Report to Commanding Officer NAVSUPPACT Danang, South Vietnam

## THE COMMANDER IS RIGHT

Coronado is the Most Difficult Time in My Life. (Untill Vietnam)

(Confirming my Decision Re Enlist)

Daily a Tremoundous Amount of TV, Radio, News & Gossip About Vietnam.

17 & 18 Year Olds Returning From Vietnam in Body Bags.

Black Wreaths, MIA, KIA, POW Bumper Sticker, Candles in Windows & Funerals.

My Older Brother Del & I Served on the USS Prarie Together. (Same ship)

Welding & Scuba for the US Navy. My Brother Introduced Me To USN Secret Service. Coronado Divers & Officers His Best Friends. Dive & Drink Buddies.

A Teenager, I Couldn't Drink booze. I Tried, Near Died! MP's Arrest Me!

Begining in 1961, My Training, Education & Experience Specialized SCUBA & 4 years, Rescue, Repair SCUBA Dive Striker Led by Senior Officers & Enlisted Men I Really Didn't Know. My Brother Got Out, I was Expendable!

My Brother is Still Famous for Drinking, Fighting & Experimental Diving. Bubble Heads, Anything Goes. 1960'S US Navy Divers Research Safe Dive Limits & Create Decompression Limits & Dive Tables Still Used Today.

We Excell in Experimental & Deep Scuba Dives, Submarine Escapes & Chopper Rescues off the Coasts of California, Japan & Vietnam.

Our Ship, a Destroyer Tender also Services Submarines & Flying Boats for Dive Teams on Authorized & Unauthorized Operations in Japan & Vietnam

As a \*Striker (Junior Enlisted,) I WANNA BE a Master Diver) I Go Along for 4 years of Many Unusual Operations, Experiments, Dives & Adventures.

California, Hawaii, Japan, Hong Kong, Philippines, Borneo & Vietnam.

*\*Striker, US Navy Personnel Required to Follow Orders, Anticipate and Complete All Orders of Senior Officers & Enlisted In Charge.*

My Orders. Report to Coronado, Tell No One or you & Your Blood Line Dies!  
Convinced me. I Did Not Talk About Anything to Anyone.

"Expect Advanced Special Forces Dive & Combat Rescue Training  
for Combat Rescue, Repair Duty In Country Vietnam." I Commenced a Daily,  
Routine of Coronado Associated TEMDUINS. (Temporary Duty Instructions)  
6 months of Extreme Training Later, the Coronado Commanders said.

" You are on your way to Vietnam." "Congratulations & GOOD LUCK!"

"You are the only Man Qualified & Ready to Go Now. 4 years Prior Service,  
Japanese & Vietnamese Interpreter, PO-2, Scuba, Sniper, Explosives,  
Rescue & Counter Insurgency Experience in USA, Japan & Vietnam.

Hell You Will Be Back From Vietnam Before a Team Achieves Your Experience  
& Training Levels." (I Thought It My Honor! I Was Simply Expendable!)

I told the Commanders, "I am ready for Vietnam.

It is an Honor to Protect Democracy & Freedom For America & Vietnam"

" Jack This Billet Requires a US Navy Medical Officer.

None of the Chicken Shits are Available for the Vietnamese Commandos.

You are Recommended for Officers Candidate School & Advanced Dive Schools  
after Vietnam. A Great Career Move. Combat & Command Experience,  
No Taxes & Field Promotions. You have Friends & GOD in High Places.

This is your Confidential Confirmed Orders, your Civilian clothes,  
hair & beard authorization. You already have all Shots Required.

I Board A Commercial (Passenger) Jet to the Phillipines, wait 2 weeks  
And Hundreds Ordered On board LST'S For Vietnam, a Long Slow Voyage!

## VIETNAM

1966, DAY # 1- My Daily Journal

Aboard a LST (Flat Bottom Landing Ship) with Bow Ramps that open to load & off load. After a long slow voyage from the Philipphines.

A Vessel packed full of US Army, Navy, Marines, Coast Guard, Air Force, Special Forces, ROK Tigers, (Korean Special Forces) Vietnamese Military, Vietnamese Civilians & animals, armed vehicles, trucks, tanks, jeeps, ammo & tons of supplies. Several days of cruising slow off shore, on loading & off loading at several stops. Peaceful, Beautiful sandy beaches & mountains

A Jungle Paradise. Crowded, Colorful, Hectic, civilian & military, NO WAR.

As we Approach our landing, large combat forklifts are moving mountains of supplies, tons of Budwieser & Black Label beer. Choppers, Trucks, Jeeps, scooters, bicycles & people Busy scurrying to & fro ashore.

UNTILL!



## WELCOME TO VIETNAM

Ambush! The ship ran aground on a sand bar, a trap built by Viet Cong.  
Tiny boats & People, one bucket of sand dumped at a time & no one notices.  
Explosions, 50 foot geysers of water, fire & blood on & near the lowered  
bow ramp! People beside me are blown overboard or explode completely away.  
Rockets, Mortar, Machine gun & Small Arms fire rakes the Ship.  
G.Q. Alarm sounds. "All Hands Man Your Battle Stations!"  
Landing Personnel Off Load! This is Not a Drill!"  
Under Heavy Fire Troops, Trucks, Jeeps & People are pushed off. I Jump!  
The water is too deep. Ships props churn sand & water in full reverse  
causing a Violent Current. Under water I fight to surface for air.  
Waves hit like Tons of Steel. Drops me hard on Sand & Drags me out again.  
Another Wave Surfs me in, I crawl, roll & drag for Dry Sand.  
I made it ashore alive! Bleeding from my head & body, I can't remember  
if it happened from explosions or Surf. Slipping in & out of Consciousness.

I THANK GOD!

The Ships Big Guns are Firing at Jungle that returns Intense Fire.  
The Battle & Ship are moving away fast. Exchanging Green & Red Tracers,  
Explosions & Death! Choppers & Boats rush to pick up Survivors & Dead.  
I decide to swim out until I notice Big Sharks splash & Tear Violently  
among them. I didn't think about sharks when I was in the water.  
I would not make that mistake again! The Battle now far off.  
Choppers, Jets & Planes strafing, bombing & chasing Elite Veterans.  
A Jungle Combat Experienced, Elusive Enemy in thier own Home Jungle.  
How did Mr & Mrs Victor Charles get that much Fire Power into a Safe Zone,  
Build sand bars & Hide large attack forces near "Secret, Safe, Secure"  
Landing Beaches & Know Secret Orders of Date, Time & Place of Landings.  
Most USA Forces are Teenagers. Many Wounded & Dead Civilians & Military.  
I am a US Navy Veteran with 4 years in the Navy, 21 years old, No Prior  
Combat Experience. Certain my Orders are Death! Today My First Hint of War!  
Near by an Old Vietnamese Man & Children are watching me.  
His rifle is not pointed at me. He offers Hot Tea, Fish & Rice. I Accept.  
It got Dark so Fast. I collapsed exhausted, hurt & bruised Head to Toe.

At dawn the Vietnamese man led me to Danang, then vanished.

An all day walk through a quiet world. No sounds of a war.

Plenty of ruined evidence of War. Almost silent, Birds singing,  
people walking slow & talking low. The Women & Girls in Ao Dai,<sup>\*</sup>s  
are Extremely Beautiful. The Racial mixtures give most Females So Much  
more of Everything Beautiful!! Most Vietnamese people are so very Tiny.

How you gonna have a War when its so crowded with Women & Children?

Roads & Town are over crowded with an indescribable mass of humanity.

I report as Ordered to Camp Tien Shaw Danang, Vietnam.

Main Gate Vietnamese Guards escort me to Transient Quarters. (OGU)

Out Going Units. Personnel awaiting Orders, transfer or discipline.

OGU Is Hurry up & Wait. No Liberty, no pay, Doctors, Lawyers, Chaplin,  
Sign Wills, Shots & more Shots even if you have all Shots required.

The plague Shot is a 5 minute BIG Needle. Run around Base Clockwise.

Wait in lines of hundreds all day. Rake the Base Counter Clock wise.

Fill Body Bags, Load Body Bags, Transport Body Bags, Unload Body Bags!

Body Bags full of Dead, stored in Walk in Food Refrigerators on Base.  
Don't Forget Salt Tabs, Malaria Meds, Plague Shots & Dog Tags.  
Write Home For Kool Aide Packs so you can stand to drink the Water.  
Boil it First. RIGHT Where? No matter your service or Rank you are Shit  
in OGU. No Fresh Water Rations, Drink Beer. Preservatives make it taste  
like Formaldihide. Just wait & see. Danang, The Hospital, Air Base,  
Marines, Army & Camp Tien Shau, attacked every day! Nights are worse!  
On Base, sudden Explosions! Vietnamese & Americans Blow themselves & others  
to Hell & Nirvana. Detonate Self-Triggered Explosives Hidden on Thier body.  
Americans Commit Suicide or Murder Americans & Vietnamese.  
Riots, Mobs, Signs & Violence! USA Flags & Effigys of LBJ Burn.  
(Yankee Go Home) I Sincerely Wish I Could Go Anywhere!

DAY 25-I Arrived in Vietnam with Confirmed Orders. I still have to wait.

(Typical OGU) Now I feel like I am a Seasoned Combat Veteran.

I Survived 25 days Camp Tien Shaw, Danang, Vietnam.

USA Military Command Vietnam Designates this a "Safe Zone".

What Happens in a "UN Safe" Combat Zone? I am Very Worried.

A US Navy Officer motions me to his (OGU) Office & filled 2 glasses from a bottle in his desk. (Not a Good Sign I Thought.)

Near 5 years in US Navy & No Officer Ever did that, for any Reason.

As we Sipped His Brandy, He said. "Confirmed Confidential Orders.

The Viet Cong are not Killing Rescue, Repair Personnel YET. YET?

You Will live & Work with South Vietnamese Commandos & Civilians.

They are ALL VIET CONG! This is an Officers Billet. No Officers want it.

Keep the bottle, You WILL Need it. Carry your ID & Civilian Dress Order from Coronado Command. Leave Your uniforms & Navy Sea Bag at supply.

Supply has Vietnamese Clothes & a Medical Kit to issue you.

Confirmed Orders to Hearts, Minds, Hands, Rescue, Advisor Duty.

This is a Death Sentence! Your Reward for 4 years in the Navy.

The Vietnamese Commandos Kill every Advisor Ordered to them.

You lived in Japan, You Might Live.

You must have Powerful Friends or Enemies!" I signed, Saluted & left.

HE SCREAMED. \*"DON'T SALUTE ANYONE, THE VC WILL KNOW WHO TO KILL FIRST!"

At Base supply I exchanged my Uniforms, Boots & Sea Bag For a China Hat, Black Silk Pajamas, Tire Tread Sandals, Red Cross Patch & Medical Kit.

The Officer Gave me Exact Copies Of Orders I have had 1 YEAR!

I Couldn't Be OR Feel More Obvious & Out Of Place If I Tried!

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\*I Knew That Already!

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CONFIRMED CONFIDENTIAL ORDERS

Hearts Minds Hands

REPORT TO

Studies & Observations Group. Special Expeditionary Forces

Vietnamese Commandos, A Top Secret Counter Insurgency Force

Reporting Directly To US Military Command Vietnam

Trained By US Navy SEALs & (CIA) Central Intelligence Agency

Report to Command Officer AFDL-23 (Floating Dry Dock)

for Transportation to Confirmed Duty Station.

An Easy Boat Ride into Danang Harbor. The Command Officer Was Not!

I thought he was going to shoot me as soon as he spotted me boarding!  
His Uniform is Dirty Shorts, No Shirt, smelly Cigar & Case of Cold Beer.

From the far side of (HIS) Dry Dock he was SCREAMING, WAVING A PISTOL &  
A CAN OF BEER. Running to Me. "FUCK YOU GET THE FUCK OFF MY DRY DOCK ASSHOLE!

I HATE YOUR FUCKING BEARD, YOUR FUCKING GOOKS & YOU, GOOK FUCKER. YOU! MOST!

THEY WILL KILL YOU. IF NOT, I WILL KILL YOU! YOU ARE A TARGET ASSHOLE!

DID ANYONE MENTION WE ARE IN A CIVIL WAR? DON'T YOU KNOW? NO VIETNAMESE,  
NO FRIENDLIES, NONE! YOUR GOOKS ARE ALONGSIDE MY DRY DOCK! WAITING FOR YOU!

GET WITH YOUR FUCK GOOKS, YOU ALL STAY AWAY FROM ME! THEY'RE ALL FUCKING  
VIET CONG ASSASSINS! I SEE ANY OF YOU ON MY DRY DOCK AGAIN, COMMANDO OR NO

I WILL FUCKING SHOOT TO KILL YOU ALL MYSELF! YOU HAVE ORDERS. YOUR GOOKS  
WORK FOR THE NAVY & SEALs & KNOW WHAT TO DO. OPERATIONS & ORDERS BY RADIO.

ALL RESCUE OPERATIONS ARE TOP PRIORITY. YOU ARE A FUCKING GOOK! FUCK YOU!

HEARTS, MINDS, HANDS, HELP, MY ASS! SHIT WAR! I GOT 90 DAYS LEFT!

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I AM A FUCKING SHORT TIMER!"

After a long boat ride I located more Vietnamese & several US Navy Sailors at a Jungle Beach Camp. Black Berets, White Hats & Vietnamese working on LCM'S (Landing Craft) Barges & live aboard work aboard River Patrol Boats.

Operations Orders Combat, Rescue, Repair, Salvage, Demolitions.

If We Can't Fix, It in't Broke! Blow it up!

Secret Jungle Camps, Vietnamese Navy Commandos & Civilians,

Rescue, Repair Teams Utilize Choppers, Planes, Trucks, jeeps, boats & run the Jungle. The Vietnamese Nationals include Ethnic Vietnamese. Military, Civilians & Various Tribes Members.

Vietnamese Men, Women & Children are eating meat cooked on sticks. Several others Roll, Smoke & pass Cigarettes that resemble Brown Paper Ice Cream Cones. Everyone has guns, Cross Bows & Very Large Knives. About 100 Vietnamese Survivors. Remnants of Tribes & Families.

They Offer Meat, Rice, Smoke & Cold beer. I accept. I know the meat is dog, pig, snake & monkey. Several are cooking or being skinned.

DELICIOUS! I didn't know the Smoke is a Special Secret Blend

of Rain Forest herbs, plants, fungus & mushrooms.

Everyone Blends a Secret Recipe they enjoy sharing & Comparing.

One Puff & After I finally Stopped Coughing & Choking, someone hands me more food, smoke & cold beer. (Bam Mui Bam) 33% Alcohol or more.

Home Brew, Very Green, Ice Cold & Tasty. One smoke, one large beer.

I collapsed. I could not move or talk. (Think? Yes!)

I Thought! They Poisoned me, I'm Dead! Where did they get Ice & Cold Beer Without Preservatives in it? Why didn't the US Navy Crew & SEALS Warn ME?

I Can See, Hear, Breathe & Think, Yet I Can't Feel Anything at ALL.

No one Notices my Futile Attempt at Eye Signals for Help! I can't move!

As soon as I wake up, someone hands me more beer, food & smoke.

It feels 130<sup>0</sup> Hot & 100% Humidity. I Discover Sudden effect of green beer.

I Shit my pants. Everyone knows I would have that problem & laughingly point to cleared fields. Men Women & Children are at toilet business.

I go native first day. The Beauty & Grace of the Women is Pure Pleasure. So Tiny they appear to be Children. They aren't. Beautiful Smiles, Breast, Eyes, Faces, Curves & Bare Bodies. I lived in San Francisco, Japan, Hong Kong & the Philippines. In Vietnam the Contrasts between ancient & modern are a Shock. Cross bow, machine gun, punji stake, claymore mine.

Clean, pressed white long sleeve shirt, Dress Shoes & slacks wears a vest of Hand grenades. Camera, watch, radio don't work in the Jungle. Everyone wears & as Treasures working or not.

Most wear sun glasses. (Jungle too dark For Sun glasses)

Men & women in Camo Paint Faces, filed teeth, scar pattern Tattoos.

Weapons or machete in hand, talking with ARVN Officer dressed in clean, new uniform, shiny boots, red beret & a pocket mirror in hand to admire himself. White handkerchief held over mouth & Nose to flaunt his extreme hatred & prejudice against Vietnam Mountain Folk. Are we on the same side?

Most Americans & City Vietnamese despise mountain & country Vietnamese.

Many kill them as Viet Cong, All Bodies Count. USA Pays Dead Pretenders. Every Vietnamese always talks at the same time. Advise Friends, gifts, punji stake, booby traps, friendly fire, interdiction, enemy, road, trail, river, tiger, snake & spider are Death. Rivers are for Viet Cong, US & Tigers to Ambush. Tunnels & caves, we hide in from our own bombs,

Friendly Fire, Accidents, Enemies & American Air Attacks.



Chu Hoi, North Vietnamese Deserters, Spys & Traitors employed by our side.

Don't ever trust any of them. Great why hire them? Very confusing war!

Friend & enemy work for US Forces. Most Vietnamese have been shot at & mistreated badly by most Americans. Several have been killed or wounded by Americans. Accident, murder or just for fun. No wonder, A Civil War!

US Navy Orders, Go Native, blend in as a civilian, long hair & beard. Jungle, mines & booby traps require barefeet.

I'm 5'8" I Can't "Blend" in if I walk on my knees!

Never drink water unless you boil & Kool Aide it first. Help Vietnam Orders Rebuild Vietnamese Villages, help sick & injured. "With What?"

The only supplies we get are from Black Market, Cumshaw or stolen! By Us!

At First The Vietnamese are convinced I am an Officer.

Promised a Navy Doctor, an Officer, They Easily Dicern Who I Am & Not!

The more I try & convince them of the truth the more they trust me.

My medical skills & supplies are barely First Aid. They lead me to people Near Death & Endeavor to Teach me to preform miracles I can't. "TRY!"

We Trust the US Navy, You & America. We Love America & Freedom"

Vietnaamese like my Beard & believe I hide my true rank & idenity. Many do.

Quickie schools in combat, survival, medical & Vietnamese language, a complete waste of time. I can't speak to or understand anyone unless they know english. Pidgin helps. I thank Japanese friends who helped me understand pidgin & Japanese. Some older Vietnamese speak Japanese too. I don't know Japan is a bitter enemy of all Vietnam. Vietnam Educates me.

5 years US Navy have not prepared me for Vietnam or War.

Vietnamese & US Military mention often, Most Vietnamese are Viet Cong!

Communists, Sympathizers, Relatives, Spys. Great who is on my side?

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USA Days & Viet Cong nights. Good Fun!

AFDL-23 (FLOATING DRY DOCK)

The Dry Dock is a unique vessel, a large ship towed to locations without it's own propulsion system. Ships can float & Dry Dock inside. A Crew sinks the dry dock, winches & line handlers move ships in or out. Divers secure the blocks underneath as water is pumped out of the wall. Ships, boats, barges & dry dock soon float high & Dry. Very Dangerous! Our American & Vietnamese Teams preform every function of dry docking. 24/7. 24 hour days, 7 day weeks. Ship, Barge, landing craft, patrol boat & all Varieties of Vietnamese & American Civilian Vessels in for repairs. Repair rocket, mortar, bullet & mine damages. Snipers Lurk & Kill.

Dive, weld, build, destroy. Daily Orders to Rescue, Salvage Operations require Combat, Repair & Demolitions Teams destroy Air & River Craft.

Landing Craft & River Patrol (House boats) are converted to effecient mobile units. Combat, Rescue, Salvage, Demolitions, Scuba & Home.

Navy & Military Command Vietnam consumes most of our time with dangerous, Ocean & river trips to repair ships & barges for President LBJ & Lady bird Johnson's Company RMK-BRJ.

Money talks to Those on R & R! We get hot, hard, dangerous, constant work, bullshit & treachery in return. They Collect Thousands of Dollars to sell us out daily. Vietnamese get \$.23 P.- \$80 P. .(\$.25- \$.80 USA)

Emergency calls to Rescue operations, Top Priority situations require Rescue, salvage operations need Choppers, planes, trucks, jeeps, boats & FAST Fiber Glass River Skiffs with big out board motors. One of our US Navy Team members gets the motors from his Dad in America. Dear Old Dad soups them up & the US Navy buys them. They run FAST, Furious, Reliable & Fine.

Thanks Dad! We are Still required to complete all Legal Operations Orders!

An Order To Repair A Vessel Usually Results in Ambush, Injury & Death!

## RESCUE ONE, MAYDAY-MAYDAY

More Riots & Combat. Harbor Vessels & Choppers attacked, crashing in Flames & Explosions. Choppers full of Combat bound US Troops.

A Fighter Plane flies overhead trailing Flames & Smoke. We are close to the area it falls. We are Fast on the way when Radio Orders us to Rescue.

My First Combat Rescue. All Boats Fly Up River, taking hits & misses from Mines, Automatic Weapons, Machine Gun, Rocket & Mortar Fire.

One Rescue Boat Explodes beside us as we jump from our Boat into Deep Mud, Dirty Stink Water, struggle ashore. Run the Junglr Bare foot. Caution! TIGER, COBRA, SNAKE, SPIDER, THORN, MINE, TRAP, INFILTRATOR, TRAITOR, VIET CONG, INFECTION, DISEASE & ACCIDENTS. "Run" we have to get in & out before Viet Cong Captures downed Jet or gets us! "I THOUGHT YOU ARE CONG!"

I Thought Your Friends & You Are Viet Cong. "Not days & Never Americans."

Day one, I Realize, Vietnamese Are The Advisors, If anyone!

We locate the Burning Jet, Pilot dead. The Vietnamese open fire on Monkeys nearby. Our Next Meal. Orders are, Recover Essentials.

Body, Head, Helmet, Dog Tags, Documents. Destroy Plane, weapons & ammo.

On the chopper ride back with essentials I wonder if the Beautiful Vietnamese Woman on Board will Welcome me to Vietnam.

Near Danang, the sun sets a Giant Fire Ball on a Beautiful landscape.

Moments later it's Black Dark, it gets dark suddenly. She's All Smiles!

Before WE can get Romantic. Choppers & planes fly all around.

Green Tracer Fire Flashes Up as Red Tracers Fire Solid Rains of Bright Red Hypnotic Fire. Dozens of Battle Flares, Day Bright multi color Flares decend slowly on Parachutes. The Wierd Lights Intensify CHAOS!

Choppers & Planes Crashing, A Chopper Flying is on Fire With Bodies

(23) Falling Or Jumping Out. Too High To Survive! Rescue One.

Our enemy devastating the area. Boats, Choppers, Rescue, Salvage Teams & Survivors are Main Targets. Our Chopper hit Several Times.

They don't Kill Rescue Teams? WRONG! Pilots Ignore Self Safety.

Pilot & Crew Lowers Chopper to Water so we can Pull Survivors on board.

The Chopper will not lift, almost sinks. Uninjured Americans & Vietnamese Jump Out. Sharks, Viet Cong Barrage & All. We Swim to Boats so we can Salvage, Rescue Operations. Choppers fly to Danang Hospital & Back.

Many Americans & Vietnamese Injured & Dead. Many more were Rescued.

Several in our Teams Dead or wounded. I didn't get a chance to know them.

My First Day in Combat Rescue. I Have been in Vietnam Forever.

These Vietnamese are my People. They can kill me or let me Die Any time!

Instead, They Constantly Protect me & other Americans with thier Lives!

Our Rescue, Salvage Teams worked hard at least a month helping clear Ocean & Harbor. USN & SVN Teams join for Beer, BBQ & Vietnamese Girls! Pallets of Iced Cold Beer. It Tastes Great & gives me bad headaches. Too tired to Party or care. I want to get to our boat before it departs  
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for the Jungle Camp. Curly, Mouse, MauMau, Motosyc, DeaDave, Dong, Duc & several other Americans & Vietnamese Team Members decide to leave too. Just as we leave the table & walk outside the Bar. Hell Happened!  
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Rocket & Mortar Rounds Explode along with 50 Caliber Machine Gun Fire. Mortar Rounds Walk around! Left, Right, Short, Long, Direct! BOOM! Everyone with a weapon is Firing at nothing. The Vietnamese Disappear. I Guess they went to work for Mr & Mrs Victor Charles. Why am I Here? Vietnamese Reappear & Rescue all of us in Stolen boats & Army Trucks. Unprotected & Weaponless US Navy Rescue Teams Scramble to Find Safety. Tiny Holes Pepper my Head, Arms, Legs & Chest. I have 4 Broken Ribs & Pain! Riots & Demonstrations still Exploding. American Air Craft flown by Americans? South Vietnamese Pilots are Firing on Vietnamese Military & Civilians, USA Troops & US! Some of the Planes so low I see Pilots. Chaos, Havoc & Death, Not Caring who they Kill. Curly, Bleeding from ears, Mouth & Nose, keeps falling down. We Duck into a Small Hotel Bar.  
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Mama San Motions us to a room with 2 Very Young Beautiful Girls. BoomBoom! At First We Decline Untill Mama says Room Cost same, same. BoomBoom Or NO. Before Dawn Mama says. "You Go Now. VC Come BOOMBOOM NOW. Day Belong USA, Night Belong VC!" The Girls left to join Victor Charlies in the Next Room. We Dove out a window & hid untill Dawn. Hitched a ride to Camp Tien Shau, A Disaster area. We lost several US Navy & Vietnamese at Tables WE Shared.

25. Happy Birthday! Don't Care! Concept of Reality Disappears! I'm 22!

## Vietnam Civil war

### "YANKEE GO HOME"

Protests & Demonstrations become mobs & Riots. USA Flags & LBJ burn. American Air Craft fly the skys, streets & jungles of South Vietnam. Machine guns & Rockets blaze, choppers land, ARVN Forces Clash & WAR!. Attempting to avoid Death by Ky's ARVN Army against Thi's ARVN Army. Mobs of people riot & run screaming in panic. Bullets hit, many die. Everything seems to be burning, exploding, destroyed or damaged. ARVN Against ARVN Against Vietnamese Civilians, Americans and Viet cong. Our Own Planes Kill & Injure South Vietnamese we came here to Help. Pilots Must know Civilians, Americans & (WE) are down here too. Viet Cong use resulting CHAOS to Extreme Advantage Throughout Vietnam. ARVN Catholics Kill ARVN Buddist, Both Kill Americans & Civilians. Daily, Comments dwell on. What if they have a War & we don't come? USN & South Vietnamese Commandos & Civilians Trained by CIA, US NAVY & SEALS. LDNN Attacks, Assassins & Operations Began & Incite Vietnam's War. (Combined US Navy & Vietnamese, Rescue, (Hearts, Minds, Hands) Teams) Our Teams are required to be Assassins for Self Protection & Our Lives! Combat, Lost (Alpha) Operations, Revenge, Com shaw, Black Markets, Bounty Hunter Rewards, Body Counts, Murder & Profit! Corrupt South Vietnamese Military & Civilians Exceed Insanity by Far. Our Teams consists of approximately 100 people. With Deaths, Transfers, Lost Teams, Daily Work Orders, Rescues, Salvage, Combat & FNG we Lose & gain members Constantly. Vietnamese Teams are usually 9-10 members each. Diverse Specialties Operations Orders include US Navy in each Team. Most Americans I Know don't want to live & work with Vietnamese.

## CHANGE OF COMMAND

The Short Timer USN LT. Taylor is gone.

New Dry Dock Command US Navy LT. Threadgill Orders our Teams Transfer. Undeniable reasons include, Traitors, Informers, Sabatoge & Espionage. Incidents Througout Vietnam Indicate Vietnamese Informers in US Navy & Command Commit Deadly Acts of Betrayal Against South Vietnam & US Navy in Vietnam. Countless Teams Suffer Suicides, Murder, Sabatoge, Spys, Traitors, Friendly Fire, Accidents, Frags & Hundreds of "Lost" Missions.

This transfer is an Intentional Death Sentence for us. Unknown Traitors in Command Hate Seals & our Combined Teams. Those Afraid of Real War on R & R target Our Teams. Rumors of Cash offers to eliminate us prove true.

The SEAL Teams are our kind of people. China Beach Danang, Vietnam.

They Know how to start a War & Win it! Kill all enemies!

Our Transfers to China Beach & White Elephant "Gangsters" is intended to be a Death Sentence for our Teams. However our First Orders are Survive, Live & Kill to Survive, Don't call me Sir, Don't Ever call him Pineapple.

Refering to a Dark Silent, Man with a Stainless Steel Shotgun.

(I Will Never Consider Saying Pineapple Near This MAN With Dead Eyes)

Get Close & Personal with Your Enemies. Comshaw Your Weapons, Ammo, Food, Supplies & Transportation. You are ON Your Own. You will need it all.

You Will Travel All Areas of Vietnam, Cambodia & Laos.

This is a New War for us.

Before WE Hid & Died. Now VC Dies! IT INCITES WAR! VC against US!

Our Teams like the Seal Teams. We Never see them unless they need

Our Comshaw Experts. When they do talk to us it's always Friendly.

"Mother Fucker, Ass Hole, Cunt, I'll Rain On You, Kill Your Family,  
Eat Your Mother, Fuck Your Sisters, Cut Off Your Dick. Fuck You Get A  
Load Of Comshaw. WE Need Armor Plate Walls Welded On Our Boats Yesterday."  
(We Anticipate Thier Needs & Orders. We Usually Did IT All, YESTERDAY.)

Combined Teams Leave For The Unknown.

PAINT YOUR FACE DEATH!



Vietnam \*Civil War

Impossible to maintain US Navy Crews. None want to work & Live  
with Our Vietnamese Teams legacy & legend.

Exterminate all Assholes! USN & American Assholes First!

TO A MEMBER WE ALL AGREE WE ARE NOT HERE FOR MEDALS OR MONEY.  
AT FIRST, OFFICERS IN COMMAND INSIST WE ACCEPT PROMOTIONS  
& RECOMMENDATIONS FOR VERY HONORABLE MEDALS FROM USA & VIETNAM.  
ESPECIALLY SURVIVORS OF LONG RANGE OPERATIONS WHO MANAGE TO  
SURVIVE. DELAYS, DOWN GRADES, DENIALS, CANCELLATIONS, DISGUST,  
PAPER WORK LOST MONTHS LATER. STILL ORDERED TO STAND INSPECTION  
& PRESENTATION FOR HONORS OTHERS OWN & WEAR FOR US. Cao Ky Shows  
UP AS USUAL. A COCKY OVER DRESSED ASSHOLE BANTY ROOSTER.\*Decoys  
ALONG WITH HIS DRESS ALIKE, OUTRAGEOUS OVER CONFIDENT WIFE.  
PROBABLY ACTORS. CAO KY IS CERTAINLY A TARGET, COWARD & PRIZE.  
A MORE PRIZED TARGET, THEY SAY LBJ'S HERE. WE NEVER BELIEVE IT.  
I BEEN OVER SEAS MOST OF 7 YEARS SO I DON'T KNOW WHAT AMERICAN  
LEADERS ACTUALLY LOOK LIKE OR WHO THEY ARE. DON'T CARE, JFK DEAD!  
THE BEST MOMENT OF MY Teams Vietnam WAR IS A DAY OF Red HOT SUN,  
STANDING IN RANK WAITING HOURS. PATIENTLY, BECAUSE WE KNOW OUR  
PLAN & NO ONE ELSE DOES. WHEN LEADERS & HI COMMAND REALIZE OUR  
TEAMS QUIETLY DECLINE THE MEDALS IN FRONT OF CAMERAS & CROWD.  
THE HERD OF OFFICERS & POLITICAL LICE NEAR SHIT OUT THE MOUTH!  
DURING THE DAY AS OTHER UNITS WERE CALLED LEADERS CAME IN FILE  
TO YOUR RANK & THE OFFICER IN CHARGE WOULD SALUTE FOR ALL.  
NAMES CALLED, PERSONEL MARCH FORWARD, SALUTE, ACCEPT, SHAKE,  
SALUTE, MARCH BACK TO UNITS OWN RANKS. WAITING HOURS, WAIT MORE!  
THEY GOT TO THE FIFTH RESCUE, SALVAGE TEAM MEMBER BEFORE  
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USN COMMAND REALIZE, WE ALL SHAKE, DECLINE, SALUTE TURN & LEAVE!

## Vietnam \*Civil War

USN COMMAND, CAMERA CREWS & PRESS DON'T WANT "NO THANK YOU SIRs"

WE SNAP TO! SALUTE! SHOUT! "RESCUE ONE! NO! THANK! YOU! SIRs!"

WE LEFT EARLY, MARCHING IN SHARP UNISON. COMMAND TOOK REVENGE!

WE THOUGHT WE WOULD PULL OFF A COUP. PRESS PROTECTION, WRONG!

America & Vietnam Couldn't Care Less. We Became TOTAL Targets!

SO, WE ALL PAINT BIG RED TARGET SIGNS ON OUR BACKS & HATS!

NICE, (Big) Red Targets on Boats, Chests, Backs & Resource. (ASS)

OUR OWN SPECIAL SPELL FOR SELF PROTECTION FROM COMMAND & ENEMY

DURING SHORT & LONG DISTANCE LOST OPERATIONS TEAMS DISAPPEAR ON.

DIE OUT OF SIGHT, OUT OF MIND! COMMAND ORDERS EXPLORE RIVERS,

CLEAR ALL OBSTRUCTIONS, REPORT BY RADIO, RETURN IN 90 DAYS WITH

MAPS & PHOTOS. COUNT & STOP All Varieties Of RIVER CRAFT.

ID PEOPLE ABOARD, NOTE & TIME ALL MAJOR TRAFFIC LOCATIONS,

ARREST & DETAIN SUSPECTS, REPORT CAPTURE & ATTACK, COMMAND

ORDERS FOR PROTECTION ARE ARTILLARY & AIR COVER. RADIO IN IF YOU

HAVE PROBLEMS. US NAVY COMMAND WILL RESOLVE! RIGHT!

PREVIOUSLY, Our Day, Week or Month Long Operation Orders Kept

USN, VNN Teams in 10, 10 Person Teams. Loose Nit Tight Fit Teams.

WE THINK of Ourselves. We Work Well Seperate & Combined.

Now Our Teams are All Together. on 6 Boats. USN COMMAND Orders  
Send Us Intentionally Exposed & Open To Hostile Enemy Attack.

Actually We Are Less Worried About V C Hostility Than Commands!

V C Knows Our Plight, Locations, Personnel, Numbers, Names &  
Orders. V C KNOW We Can't & Don't Bother V C or Anyone. Comshaw!

Let Command Come Out & Show us! If We Avoid V C. V C Avoid us!

Hell Everyone Here is V C. Tiger, Cobra, bug & leech are V C.  
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Our Teams are Considered V C by Vietnamese Military, Civilians,

\*VIETNAM CIVIL WAR

CIA & USA Military Forces.

USA & SVN Corruption & Betrayals Force many South Vietnamese to be Viet Cong or at least sympathize with them & help North Vietnam. USA & SVN Military in Vietnam Fear & Hate our Vietnamese as Enemies. If we ever click a radio, we explode! Call in an air strike. RIGHT! Informers & Traitors in US Navy Command want US to target ourselves for Viet Cong & Friendly Fire. We survive on our own & try to believe we are too smart for them All. Report in? We tried! Many died! Friendly Fire, Accidents or Enemy Fire. you are still wounded or dead.

We get along Best in This "World" on our Own!

Hell everyone on our Teams are considered Viet Cong. So, be VC.

We are like the VC just to Survive. A bad Joke we all Enjoy.

We work, Eat, Sleep, live, Shit & attempt to think like Viet Cong.

Hell we are VC. What else can we be? You be VC? Me be VC? SEE!

WE BE VC? "RESCUE ONE, NO THANK YOU SIR"

We ALL want to be like USA Command & go on R&R with them for this WAR!  
(LIEN DOC NGUIA NHIA) Soldiers That Fight Underwater & Bump Into The Enemy.

VIETNAMESE NAVY COMMANDOS, VIETNAMESE CIVILIANS & US NAVY SAILORS.

*\*South Vietnam Civil War. A Violent Civil Insurrection Against American Invasion & Support Of the Junta (Puppet) Government America Installed.*

*1965, 1966, 1967, The Dark Ages Of Vietnam War.*

*TV, Radio, News & Information Censors Assure,  
America Doesn't Know Of South Vietnam's Violent Civil Rebellion  
Against Junta & American Military Forces Invasion of Vietnam.*

"WE DO"

UNITED STATES VESSELS OFF COAST & OFF GUARD IN NORTH VIETNAM WATERS.

Does America Realize Or Care The US Coast Guard Is In This War?

Road Runner & Charlie Coyote Are Sister Ships. Real Names, Numbers,  
Top Speed, Size & Weapons, TOP SECRET. Our Team Goes On Several Missions.  
The Weapons & Engine Mounts Keep Cracking. Several Of Our Team Members  
are Ordered On Every Mission. We specialize & Weld Special Metal Alloys.  
It is An Honor & Adventure, Aboard when it Flies Away & Fires Weapons!  
Charlie Coyote & A Road Runner Cartoon are Painted on each Ships Bridge.

----- SOS-----SOS SOS-----SOS-----

Morse Code Distress Signal, NOT Radio. Originating North Of the DMZ.  
ENEMY AMBUSH? NO! A Ships Distress Signal. Under Attack, Off Shore of  
North Vietnam. We Should Not Be in Enemy Home Waters!

Rescue, Salvage Boats, Choppers, Guide Planes from Danang & Carrier

Combined US Forces Coordinate, Work Great Together.

It is always the Enemies Call If They Want To Attack Us Or Not.

The US Army, Marines, Special Forces, Air Force, Navy, Coast Guard & (SEALS)  
are Involved in thier own Private Wars Against Elite, Combat Experienced,  
Elusive Jungle Fighters. Sabotage, Traitors & Insurgency on all Fronts!

Air & Sea Protection Scrambled to the Scene.

Radio Coordinates Rescue, Salvage & Support Forces.

USS ?Charlie Coyote Is Attacked by US Navy Carrier Jets!

Vessel Orders Maintain Radio Silence. Pilots Decide, Enemy Ship. Open Fire!

Empty All Weapons! Crew Forced To Abandon Ship! Alerted by Fire &  
Explosions. North Vietnam Shore Batteries Open Fire From Shore With Big  
Fast Firing Accurate Artillery. Swimming To Shore, Survivors are Targets

& shot at by Heavy Viet Cong Sniper Fire. Swim Back to Burning Vessel.  
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## OFF SHORE NORTH VIETNAM

Jets Out Of Ammo, Low on Fuel, Return to Carrier without Vessel ID.  
The Sister Ship, Road Runner, Too Far From Coyote To Help & doesn't Know.  
Crew Able To Board Again Without Jets Attack, Fights & Contains the Fires.  
No Power! MR & MRS Victor Charly & Children HAVE Drifting Target Advantage.  
Our Rescue Teams Arrive & Board, Dodging Explosions on & Around A Badly  
Listing Vessel. We Begin Damage Control, Fire, Rescue & Tow Operations.  
Ships Crew Man Weapons & Missile Systems. Begins To Silence VC Shore Guns.  
After A Long Exhausting Tow We Finally Made It To Danang Harbor & Dry Dock.

Countless Holes & Damages Throughout The Ship. NO One Knows How Many  
Ships Crew, Rescue Team Members & Support Forces Are MIA, KIA, WIA, POW!  
During Repair & Over Haul The Ship Gets Many Visits. Officers & Inquiries.  
US Navy & Coast Guard Commands, Carrier Officers & Pilots. The Main Concern  
Why Didn't It Sink? Pilots Wasted Enough Ammo & Rockets TO Sink A  
Battle Ship. The Inquiry "Theory". Constructed Of Light Material & Alloys.  
Rockets Failed To Detonate On Impact, Piercing Holes Above Water Line.  
If One Rocket Or Armor Piercing Round Hit Weapons, Engines Or Mounts.  
It Would Detonate On The Hard Metal. One Explosion Would Destroy The Ship.  
Charlie Coyote Cartoon Is A Big Hole, No Body, Just Feet & Head.  
Like Most Of The Survivors I Have Cuts, Burns, Disgust & More Fatigue.  
I Hate Those Pilots. I Am Not Supposed To Be Here. The (Incident) Hidden!

Actually it Looks More Like Intentional Revenge Than Accident!

!NOT UNUSUAL IN VIETNAM!

## **WAR**

North & South Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos

Fire Towers, Fire Showers, Fire Flowers

Death's Tears, Blood Sears, Bones Ash

V C Cheers

Lives & Souls Disappear

NAPALM

Forever I See The Burning Rain Forest People, \*Water,  
Green Jungle And Trees On Fire. Families Run, Scream To Die!

Burned Away Like So Many, Many Fallen Leaves.

Reflections of Rainbows of Fire & Blood

How Many Bodies Does It Take

To Fill A Bombs Crater Lake

Monsoon Rains Can't Wash Away The Pain, The Blame, The Shame

Millions Of Innocents Murdered In Vain

Truck Loads Of Dead. Covered With Mud, Mixed With Blood

RED FERTILIZER

PUFF THE MAGIC DRAGON  
KILLS ALL IT SEES & FROLICS IN THE BURNING MIST  
OF FRIENDS AND ENEMIES.

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PUFF, MULTI BARREL AUTOMATIC MACHINE GUNS FIRE  
30 CALIBER @ 6000 ROUNDS PER MINUTE  
50 CALIBER @ 4000 ROUNDS PER MINUTE  
20 MM @ 2000 ROUNDS PER MINUTE  
C-47 AIR TRANSPORT PLANE WITH SEVERAL  
PUFF MACHINE GUNS MOUNTED CAN FIRE ALL  
@ 18,000 ROUNDS PER MINUTE.

A ONE MINUTE BARRAGE DEVASTATES AN AREA THE  
SIZE OF A FOOTBALL FIELD.  
BULLETS STRIKE EVERY 6 INCHES.

## Hearts, Minds, Hands

### Help Vietnam Build A Free Nation

Our Rescue Teams Have Worked Hard For Months to Collect Money & Labor From US Forces & Families Back Home. Money, Materials, Labor, Medicine & Comshaw to Build Temples, Churches, Orphanages, Hamlets, Rice Paddys & Villages. Choppers, Planes, Trucks, Boats & Jeeps Deliver Everything including Hundred Thousands of Vietnamese Children & Families. Water Buffalo, Pigs, Chickens, Money, Doctors, Ducks, Geese, Food, Rice & Clean Drinking Water For A New Free Nation. (Feels Like We Are At The Begining of America!)

You Have Never Lived Untill You Fly in Choppers & Transport Planes with A Water Buffalo, An Elephant, Pigs, Chickens & Vietnamese with Huge Crates, Boxes, & Baskets Full Of Money, Weapons, Eggs. Children, Cobras & Snakes.

Boat & Truck Rides are Worse Simply Because it Takes Longer To Travel.

The Vietnamese Civilians Want To Bring Everything & It Gets Strange What Some Consider Important Treasure. Some Bring Sabatoge, Accident, Ambush & Chaos Of War! The Best Part Of My Vietnam is Living with My Vietnamese.

American Presidents, Vietnam Leaders, America, Command & Concious Orders.

Help Vietnam! The Country, Devastated by War, Poverty, Chemical War Fare, America, Viet Cong & North Vietnam, Desperately Needs Everything Except War & Children. So Many Abandoned Children. Why? American Faces, White, Black, Chicano, French, Chinese. Look Exactly Like Children Every Town America.

One Of Many Orphanages We Adopt & Help, Capacity 10 Children.

100 Children Are Sheltered & Fed. We Know Of Thousands More With No Hope.

V C Kills Nights. America Kills Days & Nights. Destroys Families, Homes, Crops & Water Tankers. Children & Babies With No Water, Food Or Medicine.



Abandoned Children Have No Chance of Survival, No Family To Love & Care.  
Not Much Better Off Than These Hopeless & Helpless, Despised Children.  
The Orphanage Children Speak Mixtures of Vietnamese, French, Chinese,  
Montangyard & English. (Pidgin) Some Read & Write in 2 or More Languages.  
Every Child Sings in Music, Art, Math, Recess, Bath, Meals, Shots, Bed Time.  
True Living Miracles. \*Civil War supposedly Over. Most Vietnamese are Very  
Friendly & Help US Help Vietnam. We All Know North Vietnam Isn't Destroying  
What VC Want To Keep After The War. Just By Wait, Watch, Help Us, VC WINS!  
We Don't Care. It's So Peaceful. Not Allowed To Do Anything To Incite WAR.  
The Well Behaved Orphanage Children Share Everything With Each Other & US.  
Love, Laughter, Hopes, Prayers, Dreams, Nightmares, Disease, Starvation,  
War, Injuries, Births, Life & Deaths. Throughout Vietnam Countless Children  
suffer Long & Die. Americans & Vietnamese are Encouraged To Adopt Children.  
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My First of Many is My 3 Year Old Montangyard Daughter, Wen Than Soon.  
A Most Delightful, Ingenious, Intelligent, Happy Little Girl.  
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The Moment She Noticed My Beard It Was Love At First Sight, For Both Of US.  
Dad & Daughter Travel All Vietnam Together. Wen Lives on a House Boat with  
My Vietnamese & I or Stays in the Orphanage When I am On Rescue, Repair  
Operations. I Wrote My Wife & Family that I Adopted Her. Now All They Write  
About Is They Want Wen Out Of Vietnam War Zone. (Hey What About Me?)  
Something Very Special I Did Not Expect. Wen Controls All My Vietnamese  
As If She Is A Marine Drill Instructor. They All Adore Her For It & Humor  
Her Every Whim. Every Where I Go, Vietnamese Know ME & About My Daughter.  
If Wen Is with Me or Not, They Still Know ME & My Name. Even Complete  
Strangers Far Inland From Danang Always Want To Talk About MY Daughter.

When Wen? Vietnamese, USN & I Name Her (Vietnam's Premiere When?)  
She Is SO Impatient & Rudely Demanding To Vietnamese & Americans Equally.  
Except for My Vietnam, (My Vietnamese Lady \*Sha Ryn) I am The Only Person  
on Earth, This Barely 3 Year Old Child is Nice to & Will Politely Obey!

It Borders Beyond Embarrasing To See Her Shouting Command Orders To  
Seasoned ARVN Combat Soldiers. Officer Or Enlisted, Vietnamese Civilians,  
Men, Women & Children, Fierce Montangyard Warrior & Wild Vietnamese Navy  
Commando. ALL Would Kill Instantly Anyone Who Considered Speaking To Them  
Or Even Think In Such A Manner. They All Go For It. Humor Her Every Whim.

Spoiled Rotten She Gets ALL Vietnamese & USN To Do What She (I) Asks.

The Vietnamese Laugh & Call Her Premier When? However They Help Load The  
Planes, Choppers, Boats, Prepare For Combat & Attend To Rescues & Salvage.

"I Need Comshaw When" & Be it Food, Ammo, Medicine, Apple, Virgin OR Gold!  
Premier When? Gets Me A Delivery Soon. Do I Need Someone, VN OR US, Killed?  
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Be Careful Cause When WILL Get It Done. SOON! American or Vietnamese!

Something Else I Did Not Expect is The Freedoms She Gets For Her & I.

We Get To Tourist Travel On Military Transportation Throughout Vietnam.

Boats, Planes, Choppers, Ships. The Captains & Pilots All Invite Us To  
Cock Pit & Bridge. When Gets To Drive All, Not I. Command & Chaplins Call  
When? The "Amb Ass Adore" & Miss Diplomatic Immunity. Even VC & Vietnamese  
Politicians & High Military Command Vietnam Give Us Papers & Grace to Tour.  
When? Demands to Ride On My Sholders. She Eats & Sleeps There. Day & Night!

When? Wears My Beret Or The Little Beret I Gave Her. My MOM Sent Dresses.

When? Loves To Spend Hours Of Boring River Or Air Travel Time Braiding  
& Unbraiding My Now (Hippy Long) Hair & Beard. My Skin is Tanned Black

From Vietnam Sun. I Look Like "Buck Wheat" From "Little Rascals" Movies.

Buck Wheat With A Beard, 3 year Old Interpreter When & My Vietnamese!

After Months Of Positive Success Church, Temples, Villages, Country Side  
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& Vietnam Transforming into Clean Well Provided & Protected South Vietnam.

We Help Feed Children, Citizens, Farms, Villages & Cities.

We Build Buildings, Rice Paddys & Fences for People, Chickens, Pigs, Dogs,  
Buffalo & Rice. All Supplied (COMSHAW) By US Marines, Navy, Army, Air Force &  
Air America (CIA) Reliable Sources, Fresh Clean Water, Supplies, All Kinds.  
Food, Medicines, Doctors, Milk, Toys, Books, Clothes & Blankets, (Parents.)

NORTH & SOUTH VIETNAM COMPLY & COOPERATE WITH "HELP" VIETNAM EFFORTS.

US Armed Forces Radio Vietnam Reports.

HUNDREDS & THOUSANDS OF NORTH VIETNAMESE ARE INVADING SOUTH VIETNAM.  
Cities, Villages, US Forces, North & South Vietnamese Military go ON Alert!  
Viet Cong, Sappers & North Vietnamese Jungle Combat Experienced NVA Invades

In Concentrated Wave Attacks. Rumors or True. US Forces Respond With,  
Insanity! WAR! Air Strikes, Chemical Warfare, Bombs, Napalm & Artillery.

Choppers, B-52'S, Puff The Deadly Dragons, USA Land, Sea & Air Forces.  
Tonight on Rescue Duty, Our Boats, Danang & Vietnam, OverRun By War & Hell!

Danangs Huge Rubber Aviation Fuel Storage Tanks Explode Rivers & Walls  
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Of Fire & Fire Storms. Danang City, Air Craft, Ships & Boats Burn.

Safe Areas & Villages Destroyed. Our Boat Survives Fast Voyages Through  
an Ocean on Fire With Tons Of Fuel on Top of the Water & Near Misses By  
American Bomb Runs. When Does Not Survive. She Dies a Burned, Mangled Wreck  
of a Child. Despite Everyones Efforts To Rescue Her. She Died Singing Songs

Crying Why? In Pain, In My Arms, Tiny Hands Twisting My Beard.

I AM Helpless

No One of Our Crew Escapes Unharmd. Several Die, Some Die Of Despair!

Villages & Orphanage Over 60 Klicks Away, Destroyed by Carpet Bombing.

Survivors If any Gone! I Hate War!

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(MY SPIRIT DIES WITH WHEN? OF DESPAIR!)

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## Body Bags A Special Detail

Constantly We Load Body Bags.

We Run Through Hell To Rescue Combat Casualties & Salvage Operations

With the World Exploding Around us!

Artillery Fire, Bombs, Bullets, Mines, Mortars, Gernades & Booby Traps

Fill Countless Body Bags We Load On Trucks, Boats & Choppers.

Picking Up Pieces, Some Alive, Some Dead.

OH By The Way, Does This Leg & Arm Go With That Head?

Which Body Bag? One's Talking Says Hey He's OK!

We All Know He Is Dead. To Him We Don't Say, Get In My Friend.

You Are Going Home In It Today! Dead, He Still Walks Away!

Wounded & Dead We Collect From Rivers, Jungle & UP IN Trees.

How Did You Get Up Here Mother Fucker? Where Are Your Legs & Knees?

Could you Hand Me Your Severed Arm Please?

Don't Cry, Everyone Dies!

We Curse The Wounded & Dieing. It Helps Them & US Survive!

Will They Just Be Forgotten?

Thier Souls are Going Home After All.

Senior USN NCO, A Philippine Citizen Converted To American Citizen.

Navy Lifer. Lazy, Self Centered, ASS HOLE. Perfect Starched, Hand Washed, Pressed Uniforms. Wears Gloves & Uses A Handkerchief To Assure He Does NOT Touch anything, anyone or Breathe Dirty Air. His Under Paid Mistreated Vietnamese Female Slaves Tend TO All His Military Duties & Beck & Call.

He Abuses Them Misereably, Physically & Verbally. WE, My Team & I Can't Help but be Involved & Attempt to Ignore it Because His Slaves Beg US.

As Little as it is They Need the Work for Food. Cruz Knows This & Taunts Our Teams With His Abuse. We Get Word VIA Our Local VC Liason That Cruz is

Using Command Connections to AssAssinate Viet Cong & They Are Not Cong.

He Gambles Heavily, If He Loses He Has Them or A Family Member Snuffed.

He Loves Little Girls. Pays To OFF Family Members & Friends! He Gets Them!

Unfortunately He is A Senior USN NCO In Command & That Means When We Do Work

Danang OR Dry Dock We Work Through Cruz. He Hates & Fears US All to Death.

Spits on & Curses any of My Vietnamese That gets Too Near to him.

May Be Paranoid. However it is a Constant Problem & Concern. Daily!

Most Command, Officers & NCO'S Share Fear, Prejudice & Hate Of Vietnamese.

Especially our Combined Vietnamese, US Navy Teams Employed by The US Navy.

They Have Some Sound Reasons. They Have Not Lost Our Entire Team. YET!

They Know WE are Capeable of & Do Retaliate. We Manage To Stay ahead of thier Game So Far. We are Very Valuable Financially To Thier Black Markets,

Comshaw, Special Military Success, Rescue, Salvage & Illegal Operations.

Our Teams Come Through in Every Aspect, Order & Operation!

Except, Why Do Most, Sooner Than Later, Never Return?

Vietnamese are Paid .25-.80 Piasters Per Hour. .25 cents-\$.80 USA & WE

Never Get Breaks! USN & Vietnamese Die of Exhausted Personnel Mistakes!  
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HOSTILE ENEMY, DUTY, COMMAND, COMSHAW & SURVIVAL, REQUIRE, ORDER & DEMAND  
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WE REMAIN AWAKE, AWARE, ALERT & ON DUTY 24 HOURS A DAY 7 DAYS A WEEK.

AMERICANS & VIETNAMESE DIE OF EXHAUSTION OR HOPELESS, JUST QUIT THE WORLD.  
Non Stop Torrential Rains. Everything Rots, Skin, Clothes, Boots, Food & Mind.  
Spirit, Soul, Health, Strength, Will & Metals Decay. Air, A Sick Smell of Rot.  
TRAITORS IN USN & COMMAND INTEND TO GET US ALL KILLED! ORDERS NO WEAPONS!  
River Jungle A Dirty Ocean of Reversing Tides, Rip Currents, Snags & Wrecks.  
Dead Humans & Animals float by. The Stink Makes You Puke & OR Pass Out.  
VC, Snakes & Tigers Swim Day or Night & Board Your Boats! DEATH WAITS!  
Snakes, Tigers & VC Wait & Kill! Nothing Dry. No LAND, Sun, Moon or Stars.  
All Sense, Time, Reason & Reality? Lost Forever! Rain Let It Rain. Be Insane!  
Carry Bodies & Wounded. Repair Boats & Barges, Sink Boats & Barges.  
WAR Again Today, All Ways! Rivers Overcrowded with Vietnamese & Sam Pans.  
US Forces, All Corps areas Are Involved in Seperate All Out Violent Wars.  
We Are Always Totally Surrounded By VC. Allowed To Exist Because We Help  
All Vietnamese. If We Ask No Questions. WE See NO VC! Radio to Report VC?  
Death Before Radio Button Clicks! One Call To Command Means Friendly Fire!  
NO Help. Pilots Can't Always Fly. USA Forces Fight & Die In Vain.  
Bodies & Parts lost in Explosions, Mud & Bloody Rain! Enemies Home Terrain!  
American & Enemy Snipers Kill Targets. We Act & Look Like A Bunch Of VC!  
US Navy Command, (No) Loyalty, Help, Medicine, Food, Supply & Pay!  
Black Markets, Prostitutes, Drug Dealers & "North Vietnam Gets it ALL!"  
Radio Silence, Without Support, Supply & Protection. Commands Infiltrators,  
Traitor, Accident, Intentional Friendly & Enemy Fire Fall Without Warning.  
We Are Completely On our own! Command & Traitors Never Get Near A WAR!



Buy Anything you want from Alice's Restaurant! (Vietnamese Alice's)  
Beer, Medicine, Cigarettes, Whiskey, Drugs, Women, Food, Assassins!

Danang, I Corps area. Moving Rivers of Colorful People, Boats, Umbrellas,  
Berets & Rain Gear. All Survival, Duty & Command Orders Requires Comshaw!

Authorized (OR Not) Theft of Military & Civilian Property. We Thrive.

To Survive Our Teams are Expert! We Supply, (OR) Our Camps, Daily Routine  
& River Patrols are Interrupted By Friendly Artillery or American Bombers!

We Are Well Accepted IN Black Markets, VC & Local Business Communities.

We Avoid Ambush By American, Viet Cong, Booby Trap, Mine, Friendly Fire &  
Intent & Accident . Several Vietnamese who, Commit Sabatoge, Betrayal, Rape  
& Murder are Tied up. Thier Own Acid Poured On Face & Bodies Before Kicking  
them in The Ocean. We Watch the Sharks & Barracuda Rake, Rip & React

To the Acid & Blood! We Shoot the Sharks & Baracuda so More Come. (WOW!)

The Frenzy, Awesome! USA Radio Convinces, America Is A Nation Of Traitors.

Kill First Or Die First! MY USA Navy Vietnam, Doubts America Ever Existed!

The Universe is Vietnam! Papa SA, Best of our Vietnamese Navy & (VC) Teams

is Wounded Criticly in his Neck During A Rescue, Salvage Operation!

losing More Blood Than Anyone Should. Papa Sa & I are on a Too Fast

River Ride To Danangs (APL-5 Medical Unit) I Have Both Hands In His Neck

Holding Bloody Pieces Tight So Blood don't Squirt all Over! I Can't Believe  
it Possible for #1 Anyone To Have That Much Blood, #2 Lose That Much, Live,

3. Stay Calm, Smile & Discuss the Fact That He never Before Was Asked to

Captain the Wheel (Drive) any of the Fast Boats We Absolutely Fly ON.

Papa is A Captain Now! Flying His Boat Too Fast. Calm, Smoking Cigarettes &  
Holding Them So I Can Have Puffs Too! We must Be Doing Over 60 On a River.

I Swear To GOD! Captain Papa is The Happiest Vietnamese I ever SAW Today!

I said, "Live Papa, Captains Pay Is Tops! You Are Now Promoted To Captain"

After we finally make it to Danang Harbor & The APL-5 WE had to Board & Climb several sets of stairs to the Medical Ward. Hands Inside Papa's Neck! Emergency Staff & Doctors Refused to Help Papa. USN Medical Officers Ordered US & our Filthy Stinking VC Asses Off His Vessel. Get Our Fucking Gooks Off Before He has US All Shot. We Told the Officers, Papa is one of Our Rescue Teams Best American Life Savers. At This Point Several of our Team Loudly Vocalize Papa needs Help Now, Our Great Team Member & Friend.

Papa Often Assured Most of Our Vietnamese & American Team Members Life at One Time or Several. No Longer Weaponless in Spite Of Command Orders.

At Least 25 Guns & 25 Team Members Locked, Loaded & Pointed, Officers, Doctors & Staff Kindly Remembered The Medical Oath. They Repaired Papa! My Hands Still in His Neck Untill, Blood Transfusion, Clamps & Stiches Were in Place. No Pain killer. Papa Sat up & Awake the Entire Operation. Smoking Doctors Cigarettes. His Usual Calm Self.

Captain Papa Drove His Boat From Then on! We Went to YR-70, A Large Barge Converted to A Repair & Supply Facility. Our Pay Masters Work From IT.

As Advisor & Liason Between Our Vietnamese & US Navy, I collect pay for the Vietnamese & report Pay Raises & OT Pay for the Extra Hours Worked.

Seems Reasonable Enough UNTILL I Talk to The US Navy Pay Master. Considering I am Asking for Small Change, 25 Pennies per Hour Each. The Officer acts as if I am Stealing Millions From Him Personnaly. Requierd & Forced to take it to US Navy Command. Most Vietnamese are so Tired of Betrayal, over work & No Pay They all Decide to Quit!\*

At US Navy Command I ask An Offucer in Charge To Approve the Raise & Order Command to Do Something Else Besides Attempting to Kill US ALL!

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