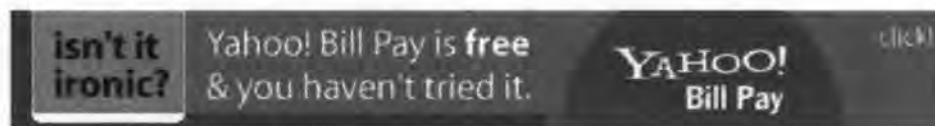


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Hey there Dick:

I caught your fine letter in the 101st Abn. Div. Vietnam Vets newsletter. I'm "officially" now the new Webmaster for our website. I'm in the process of completely rebuilding the entire website and, although I hadn't gotten far enough to ask you about it, YES, I had hoped to include a link to your website. I would ask though that you hold off on your link to our website until I get the reconstructed version on the Net as the URL may change.

You know, you and I must have crossed paths in the Nam many times. My callsign with Recon, 1/501 was Juliet- One-Zero or Juliet-One-Actual. I forget what my callsign was when I went to "S.O.G." but I believe it was Cobra-One-Two and the Blackwidows, the Lancers and the Kingsmen were our main mode of transportation where ever we went. Do you recall a tall, thin, very blond, blue-eyed, left handed paratrooper with a huge brass oriental coin around his neck who along with the standard issue M-16 also carried an AK-47, a Chicom 9mm Tokarov pistol and a razor sharp, double-edged Kabar knife? Very often I had a flower or two in my helmet band, boonie hat or head bandana and occasionally there was only myself and/or two or three others on the insertion? I don't recall the callsigns of all the fine aviators that hung their asses out to get me in and (especially) out of many of the beautiful places I visited while on my wonderful vacation but I definitely recall that big ugly spider on the nose of many of those birds and I most definitely recall the slick with LUCY IN THE SKY WITH DIAMONDS painted on it (in yellow, wasn't it?)(also, wasn't the diamond your tail boom designation?).

I've attached a couple photos of myself. One is a little crude. Matter of fact, I seem to recall that you asked me about some photos and I don't recall if I sent any to you or not. You still interested? I've got quite a few if it's not too late. Oh well.

You live up in the bay area don't you? I have a good friend who was with me in Nam that lives in San Jose that I've been meaning to go up and visit with again. Perhaps if you send me your contact data we can make it a mini reunion. Won't be right away though 'cause I've got a number of major reunions scheduled starting with the 101st Abn. Div Vietnam Vets reunion in Bossier City, LA on 19-21 July. You going? Are you a member (you're eligible to and should be)? Maybe I'll see you there.

That's it for now. Se-e-e-e-e Ya-a-a-a-a! GERONIMO!!!

Madmonk, over and out.