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GENERAL ORDERS
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14 August 1969

AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

1. TC 320. The following AWARD is announced.

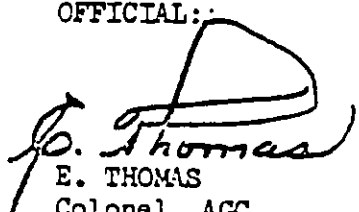
PORTER, GARY L. SERGEANT United States Army COMPANY D (RANGER)
151ST INFANTRY APO 96266.
Awarded: Bronze Star Medal with "V" device
Date action: 21 June 1969
Theater: Republic of Vietnam
Reason: Sergeant Porter distinguished himself by heroism in connection with military operations against a hostile force on 21 June 1969 while serving as leader of a reconnaissance team with Company D (Ranger), 151st Infantry, in the Republic of Vietnam. On this date while deployed in an ambush position, his team spotted a group of enemy soldiers approaching and initiated contact. Although the hostile element quickly retaliated with automatic weapons and rocket-propelled grenade fire, Sergeant Porter moved to an exposed position to rally his men and place accurate suppressive fire on the enemy. As a result of his skillful leadership, the hostile force suffered four men killed and quickly broke contact and fled. Sergeant Porter's courage and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit and the United States Army.

Authority: By direction of the President under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962.

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17 April 1968

AWARD OF THE ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL

1. TC 320. The following AWARD is announced.

SLYZIUK, EUGENE N RA16877144 (SSAN:) SPECIALIST FOUR E4
United States Army COMPANY F (LONG RANGE PATROL) 51ST INFANTRY APO 96266

Awarded: Army Commendation Medal with "V" Device

Date action: 31 January 1968

Theater: Republic of Vietnam

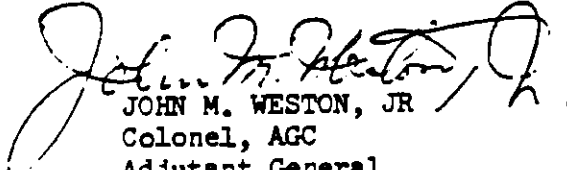
Reason: Specialist Four Slyziuk distinguished himself by heroism in connection with military operations against a hostile force on 31 January 1968 while serving with Company F (Long Range Patrol), 51st Infantry, in the Republic of Vietnam. On this date, Specialist Slyziuk was a member of a six man long range patrol team when a company of Viet Cong was observed passing the patrol's location. Gunship fire was requested, but the craft was unable to locate the team's position. Leaving his cover, Specialist Slyziuk crawled to a position where he could effectively mark their position with a strobe light. When the radio-telephone operator was wounded, Specialist Slyziuk again exposed himself while crawling five meters to retrieve the radio left by his wounded comrade. Specialist Four Slyziuk's personal bravery was in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflects great credit upon himself, his unit and the United States Army.

Authority: By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of AR 672-5-1.

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