

196<sup>TH</sup> INFANTRY BRIGADE



VIETNAM

1971





The 1971 196th Brigade unit album is very large. Therefore it is broken down by units. This section is for 4/31st Inf Bn 196th LIB.

The members of the Americal Veteran's Association very much appreciate that 1st Sgt William G. Walker shared his 1971 196th Infantry Brigade Unit Album. The scanned images of the album would not have been possible without his contribution.

Leslie Hines December 2010.

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**4<sup>TH</sup> BATTALION**

**31<sup>ST</sup> INFANTRY**







LTC HOWARD S. MITCHELL - Bn. Commander



MAJ JOHN F. O'BRIEN - Bn. Executive Officer





CSM GUILLERMO PALACIOS - Bn. Sergeant Major





# S-1



CPT Walter W. Lucas



SFC Floyd D. Summer



SGT Joseph M. Enswiler



SSG Havis S. Cherry



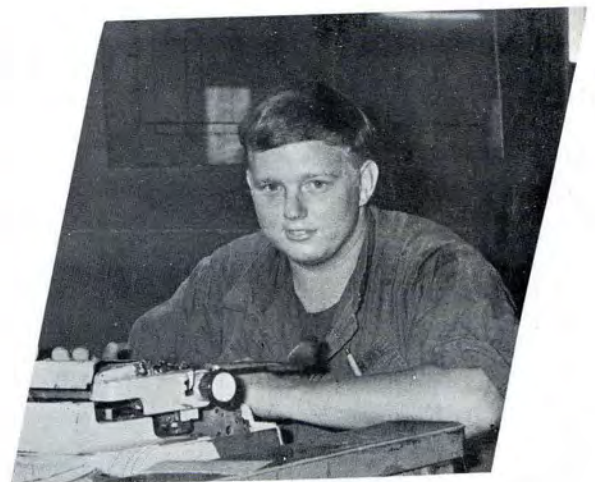
SP4 Bruce E. Williams



SP4 Michael A. Hart



Hard - Core S-1?



SP4 Joseph M. Causey



S-2 & 3



CPT Sparkman - S-2



SFC José A. Morales - Intel. NCO



MSG King & SP4



SSG Mueller



SP4 Collings & SP4 McKew



Jose' , Sparky , Dud





CPT Peyton F. Ligon

S-4



CW2 Harry K. Truex



SFC Horace E. Nelms



SP5 Alexander Brown



SP4 Milton Skrabanek



SP4 Arthur Cooper



SGT George Allen



SP4 Acree & SGT Allen





SP4 William B. Bosarge



S-4 Aerial Delivery Section:

SP4 Pinkerton  
SP4 Wilcox  
SP4 Washam  
SP4 Jones



SP4 Adney  
Maintenance/Utilities Section



SP5 Johnson



S-4 Supply Section



# COMMO





# MOTOR POOL



SSG Albert Washington



Drivers Maintenance



Mechanic's hardly working



SP5 Walter Curtis

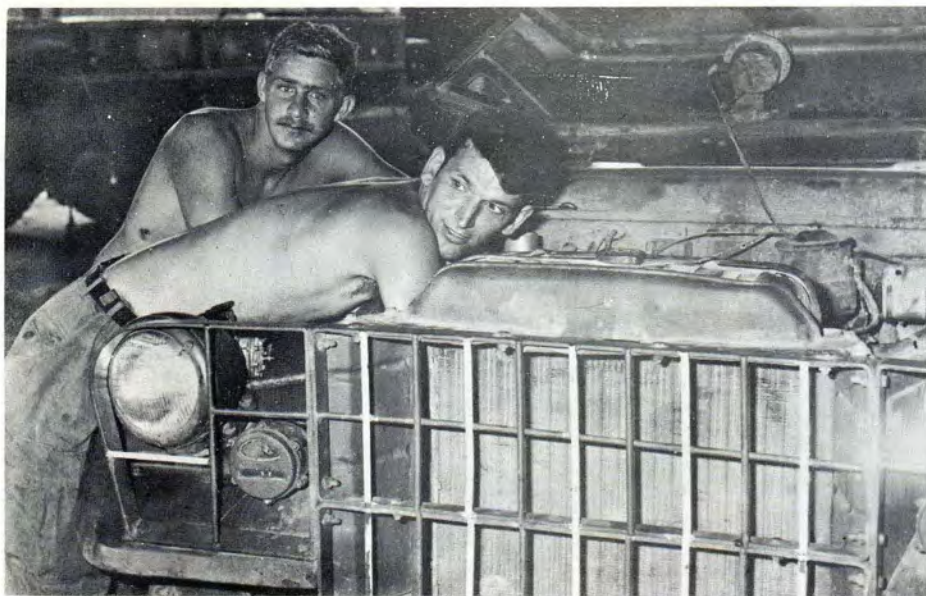


Maintenance Section









Mechanic, Driver Maintenance



SP4 John F. Woolwine



Our two chiefs



Tool Room Mishaps



# AID SECTION





# MESS HALL



SFC Jerry R. Marr









# HHC COMPANY



CPT KENADY - Company Commander



1SGT Harris



SP4 Littler



SP4 Pearce



Company Formation



SP5 Barnes



SP4 McNisal



SGT Gliden





CPT KENADY



1SG HARRIS



MSG KING



PFC FREDETTE



SSG BRIDGES



SSG CHERRY



SSG MULLENAX



SSG STEWART



SFC BAEZ



SFC NORALES



SFC NELMS



SSG WASHINGTON



SSG WARREN



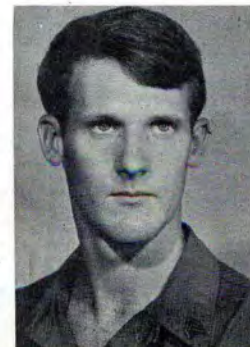
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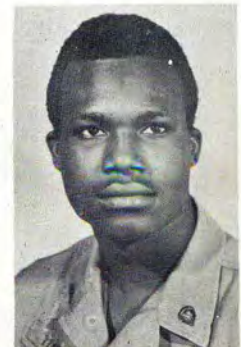
SGT EMSWILER



SGT BENEDICT



SGT BEGGS



SP5 TURNER



SP6 ROYSTER



SGT SAVAGE



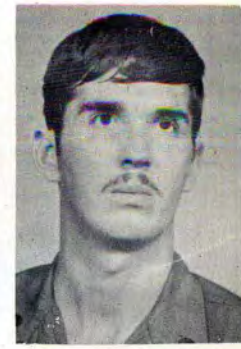
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SP5 WHITTEN



SP4 BARNHIZER



SP4 SKRABANEK



SP5 BARNES



SP4 HARMS



SP4 MAGEE



SP5 MCKINLEY

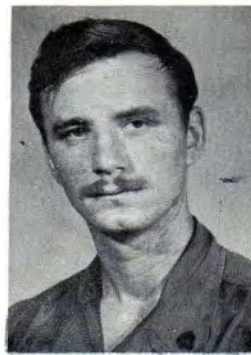




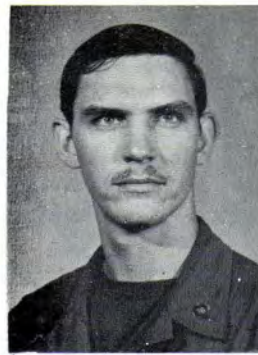
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SP5 LOKEN



SP5 GROVER



SP4 LITTLER



SP5 BALL



SP4 HOLSOBACK



SGT TADEO



SP4 HEARTBURG



SP4 ALLEN



SP4 PEARCE



SP4 PERRY



SP4 HEAD



SP4 WYNN



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SGT ALLEN



PFC RNYMER



PFC DARIUS



SP4 MEADOWS



SP5 NEUMAN



SP5 DORAN



SP5 CURTIS



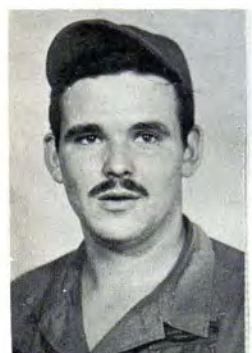
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PFC ABNEY



SP4 METZEER



SP4 BRACEY



SP4 LAM



SP4 YOUNG

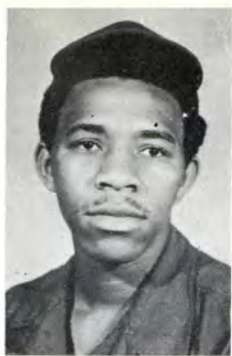


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SP4 BUCHHEIT





SP4 McDANIEL



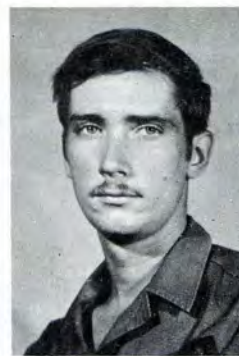
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SP5 BADEAUX



SP4 ROCON



SP4 MURNINGHAM



SP4 MEADOWS



SP4 SINGLETON



PFC LOVE



SP4 APPLGATE



SP4 McNISH



SP4 TORRES



SP5 VELEZ



SP4 MARTINEZ





# ALPHA COMPANY



CPT JAMES J. McCARTY - Company Commander



1LT KEITH M. CROUCH - Executive Officer



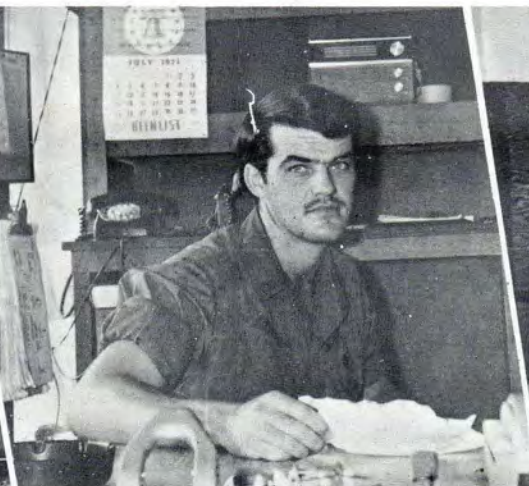
PSG Dean J. Svenby - 1st Sgt.



SGT Duey M. M. Holm - Company Clerk



SGT Donald D. Goffinet  
Mail Clerk



SP4 Noel B. Bascom  
Company Clerk



SP5 Rexford R. Baker  
Supply Sgt.





SP4 Hanson receiving an award.



Soldier's Med. for "Doc" Matlack.



Congratulations SP4 Irwin



Awards



Wear it proudly.



Another award for CPT Borresen



Fall in



Last good by!



Only on stand down!



You're supposed to drink it!



What a beer fight





Nice going "Doc" Gertz



SP4 Holda receives an Army Commendation Medal.



Awards



SP4 Robert A. Getz - Driver



Alpha Battalion together



Congratulations SP4 Ross





CPT McCARTY



1LT HERRING



1LT EVANGELISTA



1LT SHEYKA



1LT CROUCH



SFC THOMAS



PSG SVENBY



SSG SZALAI



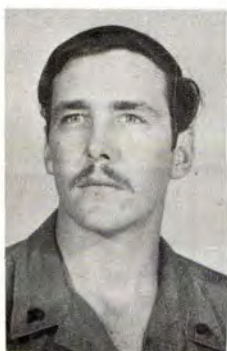
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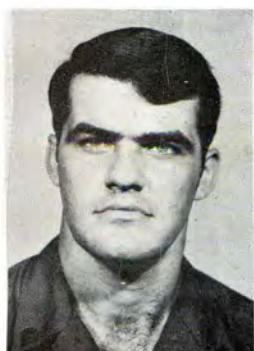
SGT GOFFINET



SGT DAVISON



SP4 MATLACK



SP4 BASCOM



SP4 WILSON



SP4 ROSS



SGT JACOBSMEIER



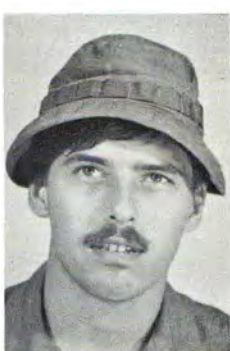
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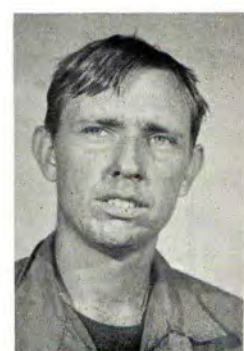
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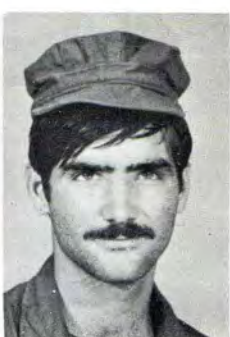
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SP4 McCLELLAN



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SGT WARNER



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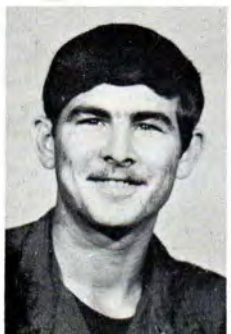
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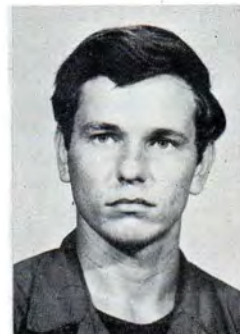
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SP4 KYZER



SGT McFADDEN



SP4 KRIETE



SP4 MUMAW



SP4 CORDERO



SGT HOLM



SGT STOCKINGER



SP4 WOODARD



SP4 KOKINDA



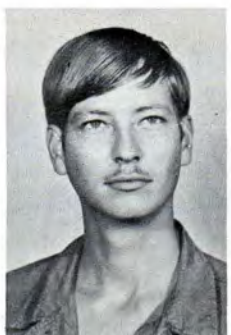
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SP5 DOUGLAS



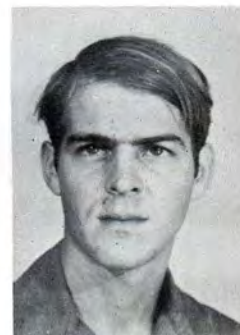
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SP4 GETZ



SP4 CORBETT



SP4 HANSON



SP4 BECKHAM



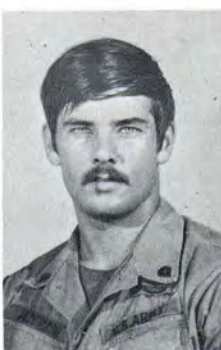
SP4 RUNKLE



SP4 REYNOLDS



SP4 SHAFER



SP4 ANDERSON



SP5 BAKER



SP4 GRISHAM



# BRAVO COMPANY



**CPT RICHARD L. HURCHANIK - Commanding Officer**



**1SG LOUIS TERHAAR - First Sgt.**



**CPT Hurchanik and his Platoon leaders and XO.**



**Thomas Heffelfinger "Uncle Tom"  
Supply Rep.**



**Clarence Thomison - Awards Clerk**



**The 2nd Platoon "Wiley's Wild Men"**



**Tom Teske - Worthy Asst. Co. Clerk**





Bravo Company "Badest Bastard's in the Valley"



Robert Kaihe - Co. Mail Clerk



SSG "Slim" Comito and the 1st Platoon



SGT Robert Robinson



1LT Dan Malphrus and the "3rd Herd"





Awards ceremonies



Presentation of awards



The company enjoying standown entertainment

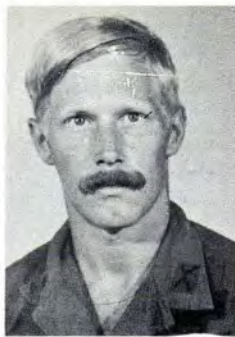




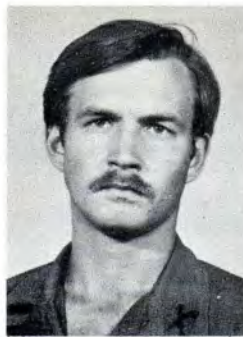
CPT HURCHANIK



1LT WILEY



1LT WALSH JR.



1LT MALPHRUS JR.



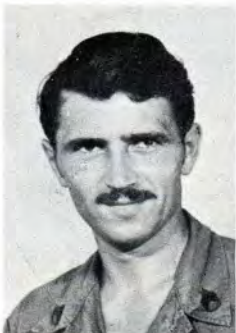
1SG TERHAAR



SFC MONROE



SFC PALPALLATOC



SSG ROSENSTEIN



SSG COMITO



SGT PARKER



SGT WARREN



SGT DOWNEY



SP4 CASSIDY



SGT JAMES



SGT ENGLE



SGT SEARS



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SGT CHAVEZ



SP4 PARNELL



SP4 SCHIPPITS



SGT SEFTENS



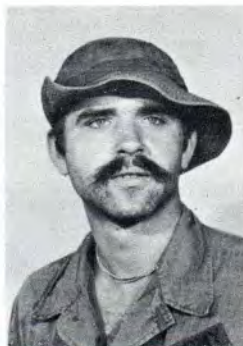
SGT POTTER



SP4 IRWIN, JR.



SP4 JERRY LOYD



SP4 FRANKLIN



SP4 BOYER



SP4 DERKITS





SGT DECELL



SP4 ANNENSON



SP4 RICE



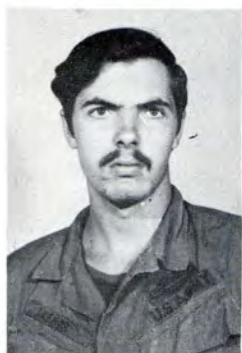
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SP4 LOWE



SP4 CATANO



SP4 BROWN



SP4 CARMICK



SP4 GRAVES



SP4 BRADY



SSG HATCHER



SGT SOMMERFIELD



SP4 JERRY LOYD



SP4 FLETCHER



SP4 CABLE



SP4 HUNT



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SGT VERTIN



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SP4 RUIZ



SP4 GUNNING



SGT MILLER



SP4 FOSTER



SP4 YOUNG



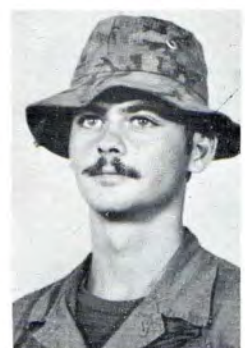
SP4 KROMENACKER



SP4 LEE



SP4 SANQUEDOLCE



SSG ROBERTSON



SP4 EDMUNSON



SGT FULTON





SGT WHALEY



SGT BECKER



SP4 KREJCI



SP4 GARCIA



SP4 "OWL" HOWELL



SP4 INMAN



SP4 FINK



SP4 "GRANDPA" HANNA



SP4 HAUN



SP4 BLUNT



SP4 O'DELL



SSG JILES, JR.



SP4 HOSLER



SP4 WITHERS



SP4 CALAFELL



SP4 ROWLEY



SGT ROBINSON



SP4 STAHR



SP4 HOLLINGSHEAD



SP4 TRELLES



SP4 DENKER



SGT DONAHUE



SP4 LEINONEN



SP4 PETERSON



Kit PHUNG



Kit LEE



Kit HY



SGT WITT



SP4 RICHARD





# CHARLIE COMPANY



**CPT ROBERT A. MILNER - Company Commander**



**1LT WAYNE S. LIECHTI - Executive Officer**



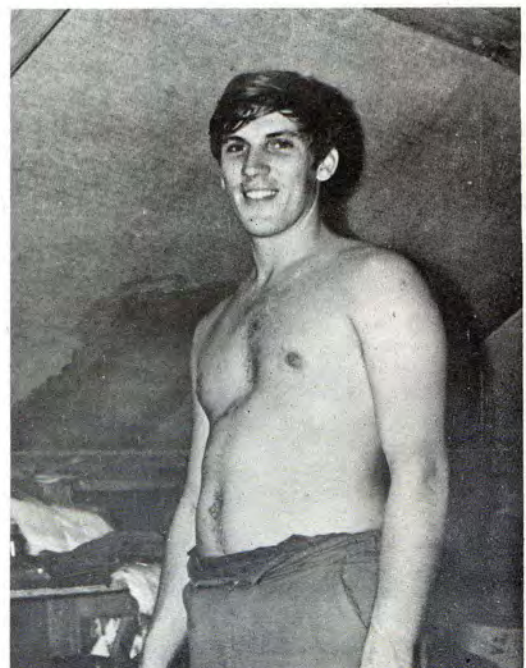
**1SG Phillip J. Des Verney**



**SGT Charles A. Cape - Co. Clerk**



**The fearsome fivesome**



**Out of shirts again?**





1st Platoon



2nd Platoon



3rd Platoon







CPT MILNER



1LT PIERCE



1LT HELMS



1SG DESVERNEY



SSG CLIFTON



SGT BOLSHARY



SGT GUEVARA



SGT TURMES



SGT BRYANT



SGT SPANGLER



SGT DRAIME



SP4 NELSON



SP4 MILLER



SP4 SPINHIRNE



SP4 WILLIAMS



SP4 GAINOUS



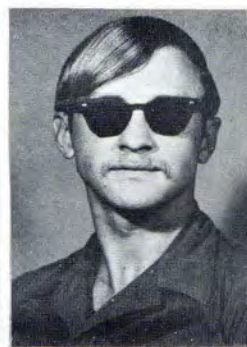
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SP4 WELLS



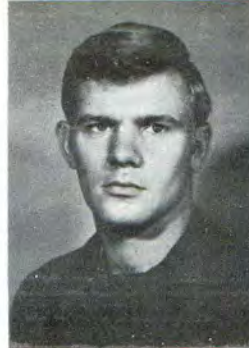
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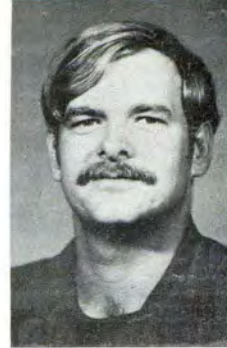
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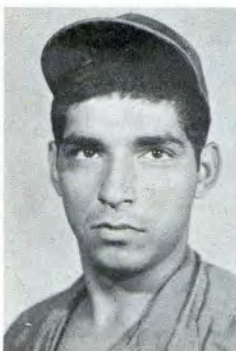
PFC PEARSON



SGT HUMPHREY



PFC QUINONES



SP4 BAUER (SHORTY)



SP4 HEIMERL



SP4 GILLESPIE



SP4 WERTMAN



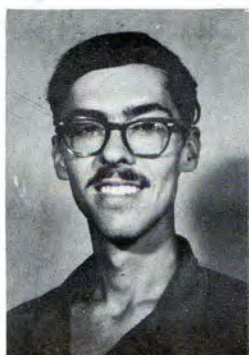
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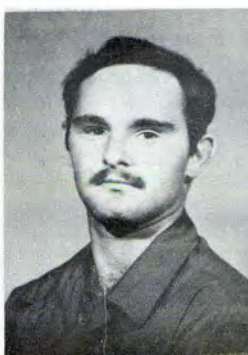
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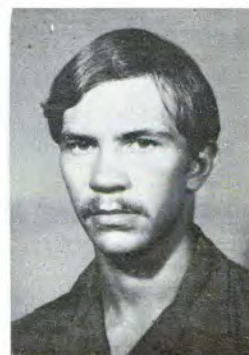
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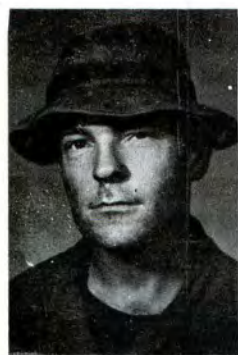
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SP4 WATSON



SGT BROOKS



SP4 CAREY



SP4 ADAMS



SP4 MILLER, L.



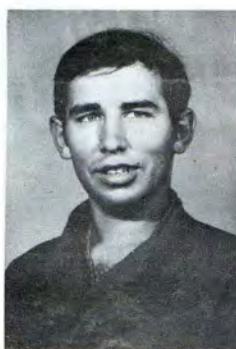
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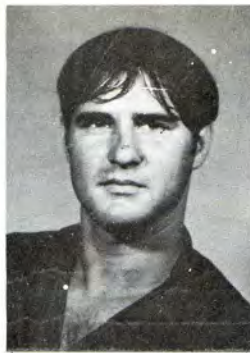




SGT CAPE



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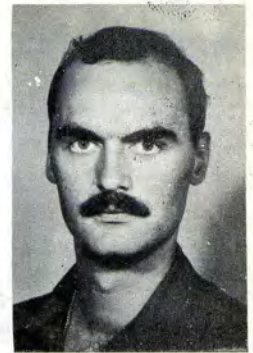
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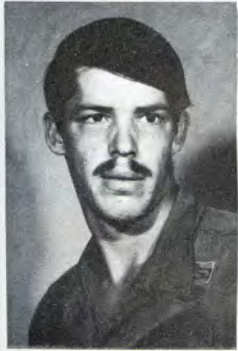
SP4 STAFFORD



SP4 ASTALOS



SGT UMPHRESS



SP4 YODER



SP4 LARSON



SP4 RICHMOND





# DELTA COMPANY



CPT Vardell Nesmith - C.O.



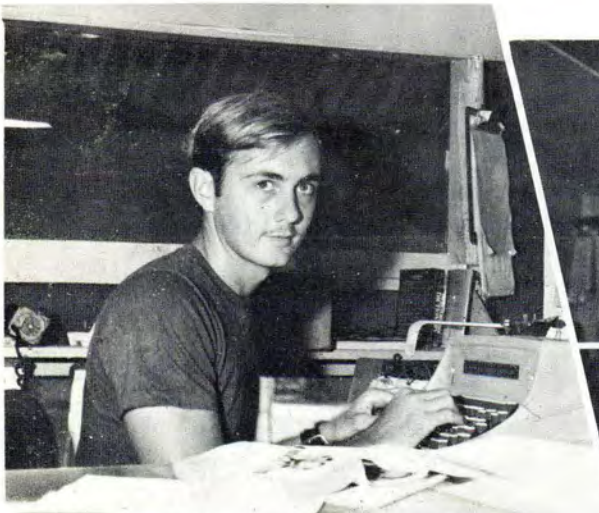
1LT James S. Swearingen - X.O.



1SG Lenard Barchett - 1st Sgt



SGT Rank - NCOIC of Rear Area



You have got to be kidding.



This bunker guards killing me.



Kelly's heroes





2nd Platoon D 4/31 Inf. Death Dealers



3rd Hero D 4/31 Inf. Death Dealers



3rd Herd Also



John Luggles - Driver





I want to be an Airborne Ranger.



Which way to the EM Club?



What's a lithuanian



I left the "Beast" on the PZ.







PIG Power!!!







**PIG Power!!!**







CPT NESMITH



1LT BRYAN



1SG BURCHETT



SFC MURCH



SSG BURRELL



SGT ELLINGWORTH



SGT JEFFERSON



SP4 POOLE



SP4 CHATTERTON



SP4 SALAZAR



SP4 BARTELL



SP4 KEICH



SP4 PHALEN



SP4 BAILEY



SP4 MARSH



SGT BARTLETT



SP4 BRODUER



SP4 STROUT



SP4 TAPP



SP4 RIVAS



SP4 HICKSTEIN



SGT HUNT



SGT WIDMEYER



SP4 PETERSON



SP4 DURAN



SGT BURLEY



PFC LOPEZ



SP4 DRUMMOND



SGT ANDRESEN





SP4 GREENE



SP4 VAN HUSS



SGT MACKEY



SP4 GRIFFIN



SP4 RODRIGUEZ



SGT CRAIN



SP4 HOWARD



SP4 RASMUSSEN



SP4 STEINER



SP4 LEWALLEN



SP4 HUMPHRIES



SP4 VAN GORDER



SP4 RUSSELL



SP4 MOFFIT



SP4 JONES



SP4 LEWELLEN



SGT BLACK



SP4 GIBBONS



SP5 HAYSLETT



SP4 VARTULI



SP4 LAU



SP4 LOMBARDO



SP4 McGOLDRICK



SP4 CAWTHRA



SP4 REYZEK



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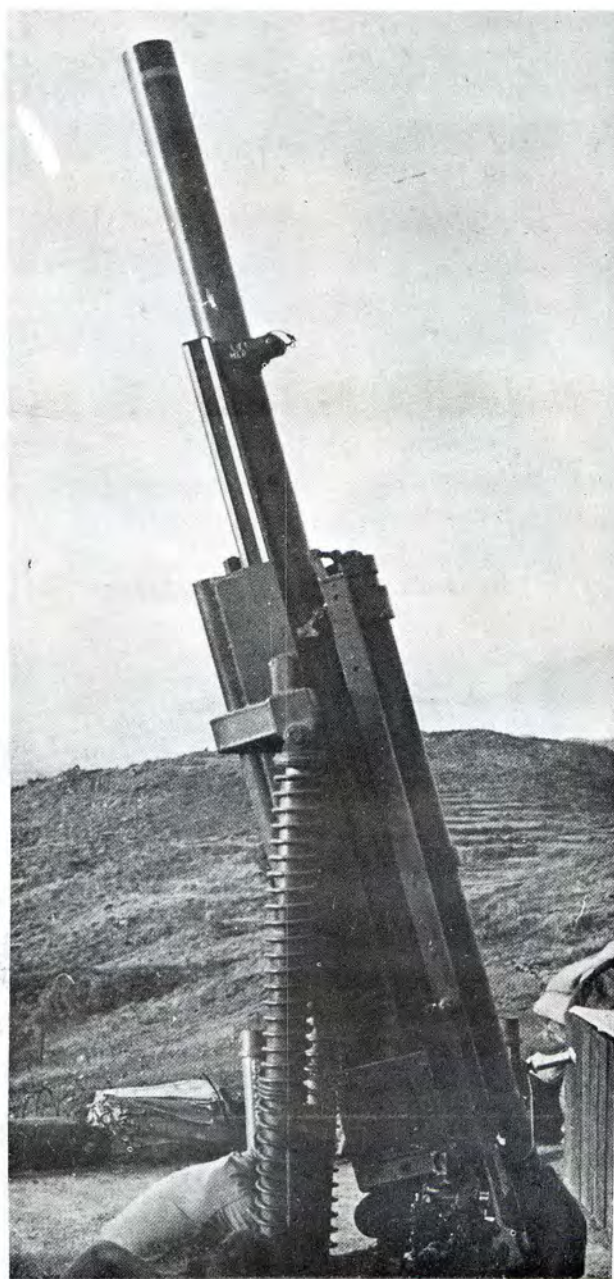
SGT HERYFORD



SP4 ZBYLUT



SGT ARMSTRONG



SGT RANK



SP4 PRESSELY



Four Missing Pages

Recon 4/31 Inf. Bn.

Expected photos of  
commanders and etc.











New Meats



Company Rejects



Ridge Runners



3 Stooges

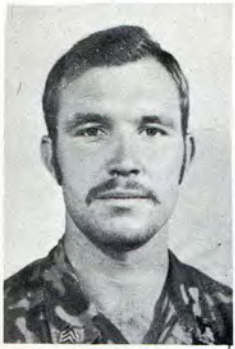


Juicer Squad



Recon Regiment





SGT ODOM



SP4 MILLS



SP4 TOLMAN



SP4 ZUNINO



SP4 DANIEL



SP4 ELIZONDO



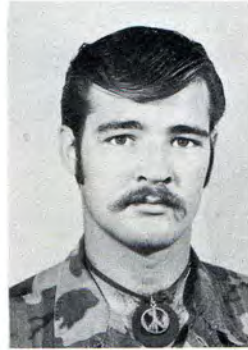
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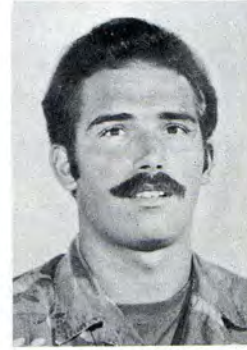
SGT WELLS



SP4 DAHM



SP4 WHOLIHAN



SP4 WOLCO



SP4 CALMES



SP4 HAYES



SP4 SPLAWN



SP4 VILLANUEVA



SP4 McLAUGHLIN



SP4 GUNDRUM







**LT. WITKOWSKI - Platoon Leader**



**PSG CRUMPLER - Platoon Sergeant**



**SP4 MALONE - Platoon Clerk**



**SP4 BOULWARE & LAURICELLA - Plt. Mech.**



**Processing and gate guards:  
SP4 Steeber, SGT Zeno, SP4 Sylvie, SP4 Hoffman, SP4 Wood, SP4 Carpenter**





SP4 Phillips - Gate Guard



SP4 Steeber - Gate Guard



SGT Zeno - Processing



Motor Patrol:  
SP4 Clarr, PFC Hanson, National Police



Convey Escort:  
SP4 Osterman & Boulware



PFC Morgan - Strike Force



SP4 Carpenter - Gate Guard



SP4 Barwicke - Gate Guard





SSG WATSON



SSG KING



SP4 BOULWARE, R.



SP4 COBB



SP4 HOFFMAN



SP4 MOORE



PMI BLACK



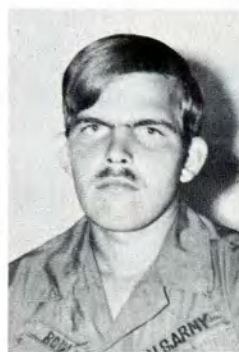
PFC HANSON



SP4 WIGGINS



PFC SMITH



SP4 MINOR



SP4 HUGHLEY



SP4 WOOD



SP4 OSTERMAN



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