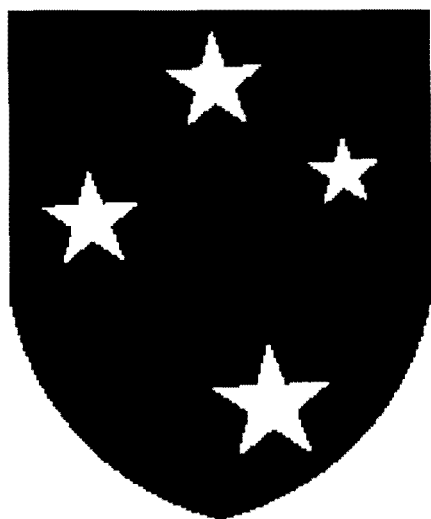


**Americal Division
Veterans Association
Memorial Ceremony**



Reno, Nevada
June 26, 2004

**We remember our fallen brothers,
their sacrifice for our country and
for their lives unlived.**



**World War II
981 Killed in Action**



**Vietnam
4,093 Killed in Action**



Program

Introduction

Dale Meisel

Invocation

Reverend Perry M. Woerner

Remarks

Gary L. Noller

Presentation of Wreath

Paris Tognoli

Richard L. Scales

Benediction

Reverend Perry M. Woerner

Taps

Lineage and Honors of the Americal Division

Lineage

Constituted 24 May 1942 in the Army of the United States as Headquarters, Americal Division. Activated 27 May 1942 in New Caledonia. Inactivated 12 December 1945 at Fort Lawton, Washington. Redesignated 1 December 1954 as Headquarters, 23d Infantry Division, and allotted to the Regular Army. Activated 2 December 1954 at Fort Amador, Canal Zone. Redesignated 25 September 1967 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 23d Infantry Division, and activated in Vietnam. Inactivated 29 November 1971 at Fort Lewis, Washington.

Campaign Participation Credit World War II



- Guadalcanal
- Northern Solomons
- Leyte
- Southern Philippines (with arrowhead)

Vietnam

- Counteroffensive, Phase II
- Tet Counteroffensive
- Counteroffensive, Phase IV
- Counteroffensive, Phase V
- Counteroffensive, Phase VI
- Tet 69/Counteroffensive
- Summer-Fall 1969
- Winter-Spring 1970
- Sanctuary Counteroffensive
- Counteroffensive, Phase VII
- Consolidation I

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