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IN THE TWIN CITIES



*The airline with the shortest walk to ATLANTA

Dear Don:

Received a call from a interesting individual the other night. His name is Ed Fanson and was a army helicopter pilot in Vietnam.

Ed stated he was a army helicopter pilot and flew the first Seaway helicopter operations from June thru July 1966.

After July of 1966, U.S. NAVY pilots took over the role of Seaway helicopter pilots. Ed stated that the first Seaway fatality was a army pilot who was decapitated and that his name was Chuck Williams - 1st Army. Other original Army Seaway pilots are Ken Cudden, Bob Walls,



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*Our ticket counter is approximately
250' from our departure lounge—a very
short walk!

w/o Bill Bueger and 1st Lt. Chuck
Miller. He also had some
interesting history on the
original "Logo".

Ed also states that over
8,000 pilots were killed in Vietnam
and recommends the book
"Chicken Hawk." He is current,
walking on his Masters degree
and wants to get his doctorate
with the idea of helping
Vietnam Veterans. He plans on
going to our reunion in
San Diego with his original
history of the Seawings he may
be a good idea for a guest
speaker at our next reunion.
I would appreciate your feed
back. His name is Ed Hanson -

Your friend
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From Tom OkB1