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SEANOLF QUESTIONNAIRE

- 1 What dates were you in Vietnam? From 6/67 to 5/68
- 2 What Date were you in? 2 NVA Bases
Where was the Det located then? NVA BR
Were you at the main base? YES
- 3 Principal job, work, rating? PHOT SPONSOR OFFICER
- 4 Who was the Det OSC? JACK BOLTON POGAL McKEESON
- 5 Squadron CO & XO? CO XO
- 6 What medals and awards did you earn while in Vietnam?
26 AIR MEDALS
NAVY COMA - V
- 7 Name, rank and serial number, location, date and circumstances and other pertinent information concerning any deaths or injuries of HAI-3 personnel?
- 8 Special or unusual Ops that you were involved in while in Vietnam
Test Offensives - we were the first aircraft to fly over Saigon the night of TET Feb 1, 1968.
- 9 With what units other than HAI-3 did you work?
Army, Air Force, Seal Platoon
- 10 What did you think of the ARVN's? didn't see much of them
- 11 What did you feel about the war when you returned home? neutral
- 12 What did you feel about the war in 1975 when Saigon fell? disappointed
- 13 What do you feel about the war today? no regrets
- 14 Describe any close calls?
- 15 Describe your fondest memories in Vietnam? rescuing Seal Platoon
- 16 What is your birthdate? _____ Social security NO? _____
Former enlisted or officer number? _____
- 17 Did you stay in the Navy after your tour in Vietnam? yes
For how many years? 1 15 more as reserve
If you stayed in, did your HAI-3 experience help you or hurt you, why?
Help
- 18 How do you feel about HAI-3?
Very individualistic style of flying and conducting the war
- 19 Who were the most unforgettable characters in HAI, why?

- 20 Describe any physical and mental troubles you have had since Vietnam that could be related to your duty there.
None

21 What did you enjoy the most about Vietnam?

22 What was the most unpleasant aspect about Vietnam?

24 What units impressed you in Vietnam?

25 Do you have any records, photos, maps, mementos, forms, ect of HAL-3 that you would be willing to donate? Copy? Or allow us to Copy? Describe them: V.C. souvenirs movies slowing names photographs

26 The most secret item to which you were privy?

27 Have you been to the Vietnam Veterans Wall? Yes If so, what were your impressions?

28 Did you see any atrocities during your tour? Yes

29 Would you be interested in visiting Vietnam as a tourist with other HAL-3 vets? Yes NO

30 How long were you in HAL-3? 4 1/2 , The Navy? 20 yrs (15 as reserve)
Total military service?

31 The most unforgettable memory?

32 What were the best and the worst things ever to happen to HAL-3?

34 List the songs you remember from Vietnam?

35 List the books you remember from Vietnam?

36 List the movies you remember from Vietnam? (while you were there)

37 What would you want remembered about Vietnam and HAL-3 and/or your service there?

38 What did you lack the most while in Vietnam?

39 What did you have to such of while in Vietnam?

40 What civic or charitable organizations were you involved in?

41 The food was? Excellent

42 Who were your best friends while in HAL-3? Do you know where they are now? If not, would you like to know? Yes - Navy Seal

43 Funniest event while in HAL-3?

44 With all of today's knowledge, would you do it again? Yes ✓ No perhaps