

I've got one medal I don't know what its called. Its red & white stripes with blue border on each side, medal itself has a green symbol in the center. got any ideas what its called?

SEAWOLF QUESTIONNAIRE

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- 1 What dates were you in Vietnam? From 11-69 to 12-70
- 2 What Dets were you in? DET 4 dates 3-70 to 12-70
Where was the Det located then? BEN HUC
Were you at the main base? Before they moved from 11-69 to 3-70
- 3 Principal job, work, rating? AE
- 4 Who was the Det OSC? Cdr Haggan then Caldwell
- 5 Squadron CO & XO? CO don't remember XO don't remember
- 6 What medals and awards did you earn while in Vietnam? (and equivalent level)
D.F.C. Air medals 23 and 1st Strike Vietnamese Brigade-level
Certificate of Outstanding Achievement
- 7 Name, rank and serial number, location, date and circumstances and other pertinent information concerning any deaths or injuries of HAL-3 personnel?
- 8 Special or unusual Ops that you were involved in while in Vietnam
In 1970 June Det 4 went into Cambodia to look for remains of downed pilot
We were sent in to cover River Flotilla when the US went into Cambodia, can't remember dates
- 9 With what units other than HAL-3 did you work? Pathfinders, Scouts, Army
Lock Teams, VAC-4, Vietnamese Air Force
- 10 What did you think of the ARVN's? The ones I worked with - not very motivated
- 11 What did you feel about the war when you returned home? that I had been used.
- 12 What did you feel about the war in 1975 when Saigon fell? disgust
- 13 What do you feel about the war today? Total waste
- 14 Describe any close calls? There were a few.
- 15 Describe your fondest memories in Vietnam?
- 16 What is your birthdate? _____ Social security NO? _____
Former enlisted or officer number? SAME
- 17 Did you stay in the Navy after your tour in Vietnam? 23 more months
For how many years?
If you stayed in, did your HAL-3 experience help you or hurt you, why?
Hurt, had problem dealing with children shit, went to a training
squadron and was treated like a fool, was hurt by the strong
disparaging comments about the war from fellow enlisted men
and shop chiefs.
- 18 How do you feel about HAL-3? forgot some of it up, disappointed that
the squadron was just forgotten after it was disbanded.
- 19 Who were the most unforgettable characters in Nam, why?
the people on my det. because of the bond between us
- 20 Describe any physical and mental troubles you have had since Vietnam that could be related to your duty there. Insomnia, guilt was no no physical
problems, anger and frustration at not being able to do a better
job than because of lack of support from our own NAVY, the
helplessness I felt then it still does still feel in my present job and
life. P.T.S.D. in general

Important

- 21 What did you enjoy the most about Vietnam? flying
- 22 What was the most unpleasant aspect about Vietnam? destruction of natural and human life - loneliness, frustration
- 23 What units impressed you in Vietnam?
- 24 Do you have any records, photos, maps, mementos, forms, set of HAI-3 that you would be willing to donate? Copy X Or allow us to copy? X Describe them many photographs, many flight records, information we collected through the years
- 25 The most secret item to which you were privy?
- 26 Have you been to the Vietnam Veterans Hall? N If so, what were your impressions? overwhelming, feeling of great loss, feeling special that there were other soldiers who were injured but not leaving, which was
- 27 Did you see any atrocities during your tour?
- 28 Would you be interested in visiting Vietnam as a tourist with other HAI-3 vets? Yes
- 29 How long were you in HAI-3? 13 mo., The Name of person
Total military service? 7 including 3 as active reserve.
- 30 The most unforgettable memory?
- 31 What were the best and the worst things ever to happen to HAI-3?
Best: the time we were in the air, the time we were in the air
- 32 List the songs you remember from Vietnam?
- 33 List the books you remember from Vietnam?
- 34 List the movies you remember from Vietnam? (while you were there)
Green Berets & Grand Prix
- 35 What would you want remembered about Vietnam and HAI-3 and/or your service there?
The many lives we saved rather than how we took on the destruction we caused
- 36 What did you lack the most while in Vietnam? weapon parts,
- 37 What did you have to much of while in Vietnam? idle time, anxiety of waiting for the scramble call.
- 38 What civic or charitable organizations were you involved in? none
- 39 The food was? OK
- 40 Who were your best friends while in HAI-3? Do you know where they are now? If not, would you like to know? Dan Hutton don't know where he is, would like to last time I knew he was in Kansas City, Kansas
- 41 Funniest event while in HAI-3?
- 42 With all of today's knowledge, would you do it again? Yes No ?