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SEAMOLF QUESTIONNAIRE

- 1966-67
1970-71 - (HAL-3)
- 1 What dates were you in Vietnam? From 1972 to _____
 - 2 What Dets were you in? BINH THUY dates Apr 70 - Oct 1971
Where was the Det located then? _____
Were you at the main base? YES
 - 3 Principal job, work, rating? HOSPITAL CORPSMAN
 - 4 Who was the Det OSC? _____
 - 5 Squadron CO & XO? CO TWEET / BOGSTRAND XO
 - 6 What medals and awards did you earn while in Vietnam?
Air MEDALS / NAVY COMM OTHER MISC.
 - 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
WENT INTO CAMBODIA IN 1970
Flew with All Dets AT ONE TIME ON ANOTHER
 - 9 With what units other than HAL-3 did you work? VAL-4, Riverine Units
 - 10 What did you think of the ARVN's? ARE YOU SERIOUS?
 - 11 What did you feel about the war when you returned home? - FRUSTRATED
 - 12 What did you feel about the war in 1975 when Saigon fell? - VERY DISAPPOINTED
 - 13 What do you feel about the war today? - WE SHOULD HAVE WON
 - 14 Describe any close calls? NUMEROUS
 - 15 Describe your fondest memories in Vietnam? THE AMERICAN TROOPS
 - 16 What is your birthdate? _____ Social security NO? _____
Former enlisted or officer number? B71-08-65
 - 17 Did you stay in the Navy after your tour in Vietnam? YES!
For how many years? STILL IN
If you stayed in, did your HAL-3 experience help you or hurt you, why?
HELPED, HAD PEOPLE
 - 18 How do you feel about HAL-3? VERY GOOD UNIT
 - 19 Who were the most unforgettable characters in Nam, why?
? NUMEROUS
 - 20 Describe any physical and mental troubles you have had since Vietnam that could be related to your duty there.
NONE TO ANY REAL EXTENT!

- 21 What did you enjoy the most ab-out Vietnam? THE AMERICAN TROOPS!
- 22 What was the most unpleasant aspect about Vietnam? DEATHS!
- 24 What units impressed you in Vietnam? MARINES, SEALS, ARMY RECO
PILOTS, HAL-3
- 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
YES - WILL HAVE TO GO THROUGH FILES
- 26 The most secret item to which you were privy? ITS STILL SECRET
- 27 Have you been to the Vietnam Veterans Hall? NO If so, what were your impressions?
- 28 Did you see any atrocities during your tour? NO COMMENT!
- 29 Would you be interested in visiting Vietnam as a tourist with other Hal-3 vets? Yes HELL NO!
- 30 How long were you in Hal-3? 18 mos., The Navy? 22 yrs.
Total military service? 22 yrs
- 31 The most unforgettable memory? FIRE ON USS FORRESTAL
- 32 What were the best and the worst things ever to happen to HAL-3?
NO RECOGNITION IN BOOKS ABOUT VIETNAM
- 34 List the songs you remember from Vietnam? Rolling on the River, LOD!
BAD MAN RISING, SILVER WINGS
- 35 List the books you remember from Vietnam? I COLLECT BOOKS, TAPES
ABOUT 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?
DEDICATION TO THE JOB
- 38 What did you lack the most while in Vietnam? WOMEN
- 39 What did you have to much of while in Vietnam? ALCOHOL
- 40 What civic or charitable organizations were you involved in?
ORPHANAGE AT CAN THO
- 41 The food was? OK!
- 42 Who were your best friends while in HAL-3? Do you know where they are now? If not, would you like to know? DANNY STOKES - LOCATION NEW MEXICO
I THINK / KEN BRAY - LOCATION UNKNOWN
YES, ESPECIALLY DANNY STOKES
- 43 Funniest event while in HAL-3? ANASSING A RANG, HANDS OF AF BASE
- 44 With all of today's knowledge, would you do it again? Yes X No

I Am seriously considering writing a Book
About HAL-3. Will write a separate letter
w/ details.