



BATTERY "A"

2D BATTALION (AIRBORNE) 19TH ARTILLERY
1ST AIR CAV DIVISION
APO SF 96490



"ACCURATE ACTION ALPHA"

26 Dec

Mrs. Villegas

This is just a quick line to thank you for remembering all us lovely guys here in Viet Nam. Our unit man a small outpost in the central highlands and it gets lonely, nice to know that people in states do remember us.

Although I personally am Baptist, its very comforting to know you remember us at Home. Can you next man, please remember the 2nd Bn 19th Arty, A Battery.

Thank you again for your remembrance, and may God be with you and bless you as he has blessed us.

Yours
Frank Pettard

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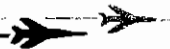
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AIR MAIL

Mrs. Villegas

Carpentersville, Ill. 60440



Feb 24

Dear Mrs. Villegan

Sorry have not written, but have been on R+R and also our unit has moved to DMZ so we have really been working hard. Just have not had time to write.

Myself and all of the fellows are really grateful for the packages you sent, it was really great and very thankful for you doing such a nice thing.

We are at present in rainy season, and it can tell you things are really miserable with all this rain and mud. Sure will be glad when all this rainy season is over.

I can't tell you how many are in unit because its classified information for our battery.

Well, thanks again for packages and letter

Love
Frank Pittard

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Villegas Family

Carpentersville, Ill. 60116

Apr. 30

Dear Mr. + Mrs. Villegas family

I received your package today and thought I would drop you a line to say thank you. I have 40 days left in the Army, and I'll be out.

There is no way I can say the real thanks and show the gratitude that you so richly deserve. If only this country was blessed with more patriots, Christians like yourselves, who care enough to spend money, and time to let a soldier know someone does care. It's easy to be generous with friends, but to share your blessings and gifts with strangers is symbolic of everything a Christian should be.

I have not written as I should, I hope you'll understand. In closing, may God bless you and the spirit you serve, and may you always have the happiness you seek to give others.

Yours sincerely
Gene (Frank) Pittard

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P.S. - Below is address of soldier who is currently in hospital suffering from slight head wound, but will be