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I. DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 9 July 1918, the Distinguished Service Medal for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in a position of great responsibility is awarded to:

Major General *Ralph J. Butchers*, , United States Army. July 1953 to June 1964.

Brigadier General *John H. Daly*, , United States Army. October 1960 to June 1964.

Major General *William H. Hennig*, , United States Army. August 1954 to June 1964.

Major General *Martin J. Morin*, , United States Army. August 1954 to June 1964.

Lieutenant General *John S. Upham, Jr.*, , United States Army. March 1952 to June 1964.

Major General *Mercer C. Walter*, , United States Army. September 1954 to June 1964.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 9 July 1918, the Distinguished Service Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in a position of great responsibility is awarded to:

Lieutenant General *Andrew T. McNamara*, , United States Army. September 1963 to June 1964.

II. SILVER STAR. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 9 July 1918, a Silver Star for gallantry in action is awarded posthumously to:

Private First Class *Peter M. Feierabend*, , United States Army, distinguished himself by gallantry in action while engaged in military operations in Vietnam, on 16 February 1964. Private *Feierabend* was on duty as a Military Police near a theater in Saigon when a taxicab stopped in front of the theater and discharged two passengers. As one of the passengers approached him and fired a weapon, he became fully aware of hostile infiltration. Although seriously wounded, he completely disregarded his own personal safety and engaged in gun fire with his assailants to warn the theater occupants of the impending danger, and, while attempting to clear his weapon,

was mortally wounded. Through his courageous and unselfish efforts in delaying the action of the attackers, the personnel in the theater were warned in time to protect themselves against a subsequent bomb explosion. His fortitude, heroic conduct, and dedicated devotion to duty saved many lives and kept injuries to a minimum. Private *Feierabend's* conspicuous gallantry is in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service.

III--SILVER STAR. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 9 July 1918, a Silver Star for gallantry in action is awarded posthumously to:

First Lieutenant *Ronald D. Hines*, , Armor, United States Army, distinguished himself by gallantry in action while engaged in military operations in Vietnam on 26 April 1964. As an advisor to an Armored Cavalry Squadron of the Army of the Republic of Vietnam, Lieutenant *Hines* rendered invaluable assistance, sound advice, and encouragement to the Vietnamese elements during an encounter with hostile forces which resulted in a successful operation. Then, as the Vietnamese troop commander was reorganizing his forces and was suddenly felled by automatic small arms fire from a concealed position, Lieutenant *Hines* unhesitatingly left the safety of the command personnel carrier, raced through the gun fire to render assistance to his Vietnamese counterpart and, upon reaching him, was mortally wounded himself. His personal example, unselfish actions, and courage was an inspiration to the Squadron and encouraged them to pursue their efforts in the defense of their homeland. Lieutenant *Hines'* conspicuous gallantry is in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service.

IV--SILVER STAR. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 9 July 1918, a Silver Star for gallantry in action is awarded posthumously to:

First Lieutenant *Richard E. Jaeck*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army, distinguished himself by gallantry in action while engaged in military operations in Vietnam on 14 March 1964. As a pilot of an unarmed light observation aircraft, Lieutenant *Jaeck* demonstrated fortitude, perseverance, and professional skill while on a reconnaissance and surveillance mission in support of ground elements of the Army of the Republic of Vietnam during an encounter with hostile forces. After completing several successful flights in the combat zone, he refueled the aircraft and unhesitatingly returned to the operational area. With complete disregard for his own personal safety, he flew at low altitudes exposing himself to the heavy ground fire and rendered information of great tactical value to the friendly troops. When his aircraft was hit by the hostile ground fire and caught on fire, he transmitted tactical messages to his Vietnamese counterparts and continued his courageous efforts until mortally wounded while attempting to make a forced landing in the only clearing in the area. Lieutenant *Jaeck's* conspicuous gallantry and unselfish actions are in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

V--SILVER STAR. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 9 July 1918, the Silver Star for gallantry in action is awarded to:

Major *Daniel L. Baldwin*, , Infantry, United States Army, distinguished himself by gallantry in action while engaged in military operations in Vietnam on 6 February 1964. While accompanying a Vietnamese helicopter company on a military mission, Major *Baldwin* demonstrated fortitude, perseverance, and professional skill. When the helicopter landed and the Vietnamese company was suddenly subjected to intense small arms fire by hostile forces, he bravely exposed himself to the danger to rally the unit and encourage their defense efforts. As he was directing the move of the company to a forward position, it came under extremely heavy automatic weapons fire from the front and left flank. Although the bulk of the force had withdrawn under orders and the left flank elements and Major *Baldwin* were still vulnerable to the hostile action, he persuaded the small ten-man force to hold the position. Despite the death of the Vietnamese machine gunner and the seriously wounded assistant gunner, he again exposed himself to the flanking fire to direct the force movements and, although wounded twice during this operation, he remained in the front lines until the ammunition was exhausted and required the force to withdraw to the rear. Ignoring his own personal wounds, he repeated his dauntless actions by again exposing himself to the onslaught of gun fire while carrying a seriously wounded Vietnamese paratrooper to safety, and by remaining in the area throughout the night to advise the commander. Major *Baldwin's* conspicuous gallantry and unselfish actions are in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

First Lieutenant *John G. Campbell*, , Infantry, United States Army, distinguished himself by gallantry in action while engaged in military operations in Vietnam on 6 February 1964. While accompanying a Vietnamese helicopter company on a military mission, Lieutenant *Campbell* demonstrated fortitude, perseverance, and professional skill. When the helicopter landed and the Vietnamese company was suddenly subjected to intense small arms fire by hostile forces, he bravely exposed himself to the danger of remaining in the front lines to rally the unit. As he was assisting the Commander in the movements of the company, it came under extremely heavy automatic weapons fire and sustained heavy casualties. Although the unit was pinned down, he displayed complete disregard for his own personal safety by moving from man to man to encourage them in their defense efforts. He then exposed himself to mortar and automatic weapons fire to render first aid to a wounded Vietnamese soldier and move him to safety, and then again to carry a second seriously wounded counterpart away from the flanking fire. Despite the hazardous conditions, he repeated his dauntless actions by again exposing himself to the onslaught of the gun fire to retrieve a machinegun. He then continued his diligent efforts by remaining in the area to render advice to the Company Commander which was of great assistance in stabilizing the situation. Lieutenant *Campbell's* conspicuous gallantry and unselfish actions are in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

VI. LEGION OF MERIT. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded posthumously to:

Colonel *Joseph B. Seay*, , Infantry, United States Army. August 1962 to December 1963.

VII. LEGION OF MERIT. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded posthumously to:

Colonel *Mansell A. Walker*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1958 to February 1964.

VIII. LEGION OF MERIT. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Albert S. Bartholomew*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. May 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *James B. Campbell*, , Artillery, United States Army. November 1962 to June 1964.

Colonel *James W. Caughron*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. September 1953 to May 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from 8 August 1957 to 30 March 1960 as announced in General Orders Number 55, Headquarters, United States Army, Europe (Rear) Communications Zone, dated 30 March 1960.)

Colonel *Harper B. Cowles*, , Artillery, United States Army. June 1962 to June 1964.

Colonel *William R. Donaldson*, , Infantry, United States Army. August 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert N. Eddy*, , Infantry, United States Army. August 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *Ernest J. Fedor*, , Dental Corps, United States Army. August 1956 to June 1964.

Colonel *Carleton E. Fisher*, , Infantry, United States Army. September 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Powell A. Fraser*, , Infantry, United States Army. August 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Seymour L. Goldberg*, , Infantry, United States Army. March 1963 to February 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Goldberg* for meritorious service during the period 6 March 1963 to 15 February 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 41, Headquarters, Seventh Army Support Command, dated 15 February 1964.)

Colonel *John W. Gorn*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1962 to December 1963.

Colonel *Harold E. Harrison*, , Medical Corps, United States Army. August 1954 to June 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from August 1957 to October 1963 as announced in General Orders Number 3, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 28 January 1964.)

Colonel *Arno P. Herzer*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. December 1961 to November 1963.

- Colonel *Clarence B. Hewitt*, , Medical Corps, United States Army. September 1952 to June 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal to Colonel *Hewitt* for meritorious service during the period 15 October 1961 to 15 July 1962 as announced in General Orders Number 22, Headquarters 49th Armored Division, dated 2 August 1962.)
- Colonel *Herbert B. Heyer*, , Infantry, United States Army. August 1959 to June 1964.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Warren J. Higgins*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. August 1960 to April 1964.
- Lieutenant Colonel *James W. Hill, Jr.*, , Artillery, United States Army. April 1961 to January 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service during the period April 1961 to January 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 133, Headquarters, Fourth United States Army, dated 19 December 1963.)
- Lieutenant Colonel *Lucius G. Hill, Jr.*, , Artillery, United States Army. July 1962 to April 1964.
- Colonel *Carroll B. Hodges*, , Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. March 1962 to March 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service from 2 March 1962 to 15 March 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 18, Headquarters, United States Army Combat Developments Command, dated 11 February 1964.)
- Lieutenant Colonel *Camillus N. Hoffman*, , Artillery, United States Army. September 1958 to March 1964.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Aito Keravuori*, , Infantry, United States Army. February 1962 to November 1963.
- Colonel *Ralph W. Lang*, , Armor, United States Army. October 1961 to June 1964.
- Lieutenant Colonel *James D. Lassetter*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. September 1961 to January 1964.
- Colonel *Ernest V. Lau*, , Ordnance Corps, United States Army. August 1961 to June 1964.
- Colonel *Maurice Levin*, , Judge Advocate General's Corps, United States Army. January 1960 to June 1964.
- Colonel *Douglas M. Livingston*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1962 to March 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Livingston* for meritorious service during the period 1 August 1962 to 1 March 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 25, Headquarters, United States Army Supply and Maintenance Command, dated 19 February 1964.)
- Colonel *Robert W. Love*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. August 1961 to March 1964.
- Colonel *Walter L. Lumpkin, Jr.*, , Medical Corps, United States Army. December 1955 to June 1964.
- Colonel *Robert J. McBride*, , Infantry, United States Army. June 1962 to June 1964.
- Colonel *Gailon M. McHaney*, , Armor, United States Army. July 1960 to June 1964.

- Colonel *Albert J. McWade*, , Infantry, United States Army. May 1961 to January 1964.
- Sergeant First Class *Jose L. Medina-Negron*, , United States Army. August 1960 to June 1963.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph D. Moholy*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. July 1961 to June 1964.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Frederick W. Myers, Jr.*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. August 1962 to February 1964.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Harry J. Painter*, , Military Police Corps, United States Army. July 1962 to March 1964.
- Colonel *James D. Peterson*, , Ordnance Corps, United States Army. September 1958 to May 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from 1 July 1962 to 31 May 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 77, Headquarters, United States Army Supply and Maintenance Command, dated 15 May 1964.)
- Lieutenant Colonel *Gene M. Ravvier*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. February 1962 to February 1964.
- Colonel *Emmitt D. Smith*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. January 1963 to April 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service from 7 January 1963 to 30 April 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 36, Headquarters, United States Army Supply and Maintenance Command, dated 9 March 1964.)
- Colonel *John H. Spears*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1961 to May 1964.
- Major General *Carl T. Sutherland*, , United States Army. October 1961 to June 1964.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Donn H. Wagner*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. January 1960 to March 1964.
- Colonel *Leslie R. Wilcox*, , Armor, United States Army. August 1960 to June 1964.
- Colonel *Edward M. Wright*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. May 1962 to June 1964.
2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:
- Colonel *Thomas W. Ackert*, , Artillery, United States Army. January 1963 to June 1964.
- Colonel *Richard L. Butt, Jr.*, , Ordnance Corps, United States Army. July 1962 to February 1964.
- Colonel *Carl S. Casto*, , Chemical Corps, United States Army. August 1960 to March 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Casto* for meritorious service during the period 1 August 1960 to 31 March 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 7, Headquarters, United States Army Munitions Command, dated 5 March 1964.)

Colonel *James G. Chesnutt*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. June 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Robert L. Crownover*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1962 to December 1963.

Colonel *John G. Fort*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. October 1959 to June 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from 9 October 1959 to 30 June 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 53, Headquarters, U.S. Army Supply and Maintenance Command, dated 27 March 1964.)

Colonel *Leo J. Geppert*, , Medical Corps, United States Army. August 1955 to May 1964.

Colonel *Wilbur M. Griffith*, , Artillery, United States Army. December 1960 to June 1964.

Major General *William C. Haneke*, , United States Army. August 1961 to April 1964.

Colonel *Calvin S. Hannum*, , Armor, United States Army. January 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *John H. Hay, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States Army. December 1962 to June 1964.

Colonel *Raymond T. Higgins*, , Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. May 1946 to March 1964.

Colonel *Raymond J. Karpen*, , Medical Service Corps, United States Army. April 1954 to June 1964.

Major General *Bruce E. Kendall*, , United States Army. August 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Joseph O. Killian*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. March 1962 to June 1964.

Colonel *Robert E. Kimball*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. September 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Samuel W. Koster*, , Infantry, United States Army. November 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Joel N. McNair*, , Medical Corps, United States Army. July 1955 to June 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal to Colonel *McNair* for meritorious service during the period 31 July 1958 to 19 June 1962 as announced in General Orders Number 20, Headquarters, United States Army Tripler General Hospital, dated 19 June 1962.)

Colonel *Leo J. Nielsen, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States Army. December 1960 to January 1964.

Colonel *Eugene C. Orth, Jr.*, , Armor, United States Army. January 1954 to March 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Orth* for meritorious service during the period 18 May 1959 to 23 July 1961 as announced in General Orders Number 87, Headquarters, Southern Area Command, dated 11 August 1961.)

Colonel *Cornelius J. Rinker*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. July 1957 to February 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service from 29 August 1962 to 29 February 1964 as

announced in General Orders Number 19, Headquarters, United States Army Combat Developments Command, dated 11 February 1964.)

Colonel *George R. Sedberry, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1960 to June 1964. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal (Third Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service from 27 July 1960 to 31 January 1963, as announced in General Orders Number 7, Headquarters, United States Continental Army Command, Fort Monroe, Virginia, dated 31 January 1963.)

Colonel *Daniel F. Shepherd*, , Ordnance Corps, United States Army. October 1962 to March 1964.

Brigadier General *John D. Stevens*, , United States Army. March 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Henry P. Van Ormer*, , Artillery, United States Army. August 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *Daniel Webster*, O33071, Infantry, United States Army. April 1961 to June 1964.

Brigadier General *Frank G. White*, , United States Army. February 1962 to June 1964.

Colonel *Samuel K. Yarbrough, Jr.*, , Artillery, United States Army. December 1960 to June 1964.

Colonel *Karl H. Zornig*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. August 1962 to February 1964.

3. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Colonel *Vance R. Beck*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. February 1963 to June 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Beck* for meritorious service during the period 7 February 1963 to 31 July 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 33, Headquarters, United States Army Supply and Maintenance Command, dated 4 March 1964.)

Colonel *Albert B. Evans*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. October 1962 to June 1964. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Evans* for meritorious service during the period 1 October 1962 to 30 June 1964 as announced in General Orders Number 58, Headquarters, United States Army Supply and Maintenance Command, dated 6 April 1964.)

Brigadier General *John M. Finn*, , United States Army. June 1962 to April 1964.

Colonel *Will D. Joslin*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1960 to March 1964.

Brigadier General *Lynn D. Smith*, , United States Army. May 1962 to June 1964.

Brigadier General *Merrill L. Tribe*, , United States Army. March 1960 to June 1964.

Major General *Ferdinand T. Unger*, , United States Army. July 1962 to June 1964.

IX. DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 2 July 1926, a Distinguished Flying Cross for heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Captain *John E. Carroll*, , Infantry, United States Army, while serving as a member of Company A, 25th Aviation Battalion, 25th Infantry Division, distinguished himself by heroism and extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight in Hawaii, on 12 January 1964. As Co-pilot of a UH-1A helicopter, Captain *Carroll* demonstrated unique flying skill and complete disregard for his own personal safety while participating in a dangerous aerial evacuation of an injured sailor from a virtually inaccessible cliff between two ridges in the Koolau Mountains. Despite reduced visibility and buffeting by strong winds, he assisted the pilot by monitoring the engine instruments and insuring adequate rotor clearance from the mountain in an extremely confined and hazardous area until the necessary equipment and men could be lowered into a small area 150 feet below the aircraft in an effort to speed up the rescue operation. Through his voluntary efforts and exceptional flying techniques, the rescue personnel expeditiously completed their task and the injured sailor was flown to a hospital. Captain *Carroll's* outstanding flying ability and courageous actions in this emergency mission reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Specialist Five *Victor E. Hicks*, , United States Army while serving as a member of Company A, 25th Aviation Battalion, 25th Infantry Division, distinguished himself by heroism and extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight in Hawaii, on 12 January 1964. As Crew Chief in a UH-1A helicopter, Specialist *Hicks* demonstrated exceptional professional competence and complete disregard for his own personal safety while participating in a dangerous aerial evacuation of an injured sailor from a virtually inaccessible cliff between two ridges in the Koolau Mountains. Under the most adverse weather conditions, he assisted the rescue personnel by guiding the lowering of the necessary equipment and men into a small area 150 feet below the aircraft. While lying on the floor at the edge of the helicopter during the maneuvering of the aircraft in this extremely confined and hazardous area, he gave directions to the pilots to insure that the rescue party landed in the correct location. Through his voluntary efforts and sound judgment, he enabled the rescue personnel to expeditiously complete their task and the pilots to fly the injured sailor to a hospital. Specialist *Hicks'* professional skill and courageous actions in this emergency mission reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Major *Donald F. Petersen*, , Infantry, United States Army, while serving as a member of Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 25th Aviation Battalion, 25th Infantry Division, distinguished himself by heroism and extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight in Hawaii, on 12 January 1964. As Pilot of a UH-1A helicopter, Major *Petersen* demonstrated unique flying skill and complete disregard for his own personal safety while participating in a dangerous aerial evacuation of an injured sailor from a virtually inaccessible cliff between two ridges in the Koolau Mountains. Despite reduced visibility and buffeting by strong winds, he skillfully hovered the helicopter in an extremely confined and hazardous area until the necessary equipment and men could be lowered into a small area 150 feet below

the aircraft in an effort to speed up the rescue operation. Through his voluntary efforts and exceptional flying techniques, the rescue personnel expeditiously completed their task and the injured sailor was flown to a hospital. Major *Petersen's* outstanding flying ability and courageous actions in this emergency mission reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

X. SOLDIER'S MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 2 July 1926, a Soldier's Medal for heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy is awarded to:

Specialist Four *Lewis R. Ashton*, , United States Army, as a member of Company A, United States Army Garrison, White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico, distinguished himself by heroism on 22 August 1963, in the vicinity of the White Sands Missile Range. Specialist *Ashton* was serving as an Aerial Impact Spotter on an OH-23D helicopter when it crashed, trapped the pilot under the wreckage, and started to burn. After freeing himself, and despite an impending explosion from the fire which grew in intensity from fuel spilling over the hot exhaust system, Specialist *Ashton* displayed complete disregard for his own personal safety by remaining at the disaster scene and putting the fire out with a hand fire extinguisher. Although the aircraft was precariously positioned and threatened to roll over, he then used his bare hands to dig the earth from under the pilots arm which was pinned between the wreckage and the ground. After extricating the pilot and taking precautions against another outbreak of fire, he unhesitatingly walked 8 miles, without water, through rough terrain and the desert to get help. His courageous efforts, sound judgment, and perseverance in this emergency saved the life of the pilot and prevented further damage to the aircraft. Specialist *Ashton's* prompt and heroic actions reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Captain *Wilfred A. Jackson*, , Armor, United States Army, as Troop Commander of Troop C, 1st Reconnaissance Squadron, 9th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division, distinguished himself by heroism on 22 July 1963, at Camp Greaves, Korea. When Captain *Jackson* heard explosions coming from the ammunition storage dump, he immediately proceeded to the area and discovered that a berserk soldier was in possession of fifteen live grenades and hurling them in a dangerous manner. With complete disregard for his own personal safety, Captain *Jackson* moved in to a distance of 15 feet to reason with the man who threatened suicide and to persuade him to forfeit the grenades. Then, as the soldier was struck in the leg by a fragment of one of the grenades he had thrown, Captain *Jackson* moved to within reach of him, and talking calmly, relieved the man of two grenades from which the safety pins had been pulled. By his sound judgment, perseverance, and courageous efforts for over 2 grueling hours, he averted serious injury or loss of life to troop members. Captain *Jackson's* heroic actions in this hazardous situation reflect great credit upon himself and the military service. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) to Captain *Jackson* for outstanding courage on 22 July 1963 as announced in General Orders Number 103, Headquarters 1st Cavalry Division, APO 24, dated 10 October 1963.)

Specialist Four *Charles F. Kincheloe*, , United States Army, distinguished himself by heroism while serving as a member of the 1st Missile Battalion (Corporal), 80th Artillery, 1st United States Army Missile Com-

mand, on 12 June 1963, at Caserma Carlo Ederle, Vicenza, Italy. When the engine of an erector backfired, gasoline sprayed and set fire to the clothing and hair of the operator who panicked and ran through the motor pool. As Specialist *Kincheloe* observed the flight of the soldier who was completely engulfed in flames, he unhesitatingly dashed to his rescue. Upon overtaking him, he completely disregarded his own personal safety, threw the panic-stricken man to the ground, and fell on top of him in an attempt to smother the flames. Although his own clothing caught fire and he sustained burns on his face, arms, and body, he continued his rescue efforts until another member of the unit appeared on the scene with a fire extinguisher and put out the fire. Specialist *Kincheloe's* heroic actions and deep concern for a fellow soldier are in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflect distinct credit upon himself and the military service. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for heroism, on 12 June 1963 as announced in General Orders Number 110, Headquarters, United States Army Southern European Task Force, dated 6 December 1963.)

Captain *William A. McGinnis*, , Armor, United States Army, a member of the United States Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps Instructor Group, University of Massachusetts, XIII United States Army Corps, Amherst, Massachusetts, distinguished himself by heroism on 24 October 1963, at Shutesbury, Massachusetts. When a neighbor's 10-year-old girl informed Captain *McGinnis* that her home was on fire, her parents were away, and that her little brother and sisters were still inside, he ran to the blazing house to rescue them. Upon entering the burning structure, he located one child near the flaming doorway and swiftly took him to safety outside. With complete disregard for his own personal safety, he again entered the house, found a small girl near the bottom of the stairs, carried her to the kitchen door, and pushed her out. Continuing the search, he discovered a 5-year-old girl on the flaming stairs, and carried her to safety. Despite the heavy oil fumes, dense smoke, and blazing stairs, he unhesitatingly re-entered the dwelling and succeeded in reaching the second floor where he found a 3-year-old child and carried her out moments before the entire house was engulfed in flames. Through his perseverance, brave efforts, and deep concern for human welfare, all of the children were evacuated from their burning home before a fire department truck arrived on the scene to extinguish the blaze. Captain *McGinnis'* prompt and heroic actions in this emergency are in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflect great credit upon himself and the military service. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) awarded for heroism on 24 October 1963, as announced in General Orders Number 146, Headquarters XIII US Army Corps, Fort Devens, Massachusetts, dated 9 December 1963.)

XI--BRONZE STAR MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962, a Bronze Star Medal with "V" device for heroic achievement in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to:

Captain *Will E. Duffer*, , Armor (then First Lieutenant), United States Army, distinguished himself by heroic achievement as an Advisor to a Vietnamese Civil Guard force while this friendly foreign force was engaged in military operations against an opposing armed force in Vietnam, on 23 July 1963. With fortitude and professional competence, Lieutenant *Duffer* accom-

panied a Vietnamese Civil Guard element on a night raid against hostile forces to advise them in techniques. As the Civil Guard unit was nearing the completion of its operation, three members of the hostile forces open fire with rifles and hand grenades. Although Lieutenant *Duffer* was in the direct line of the heavy fire, he solely countered the assault. Through his perseverance, decisive action, and outstanding effectiveness in this hazardous situation, he insured the success of the raid conducted by the Vietnamese Civil Guard force. Lieutenant *Duffer's* devotion to duty, professional skill, and exemplary conduct reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Major *Robert K. Golden*, , Infantry, (then Captain), United States Army, distinguished himself by heroic achievement while engaged in military operations against an opposing force in Vietnam, on 21 November 1963. While serving as an Advisor to a Battalion of the Army of the Republic of Vietnam, Major *Golden* demonstrated professional skill and fortitude when the unit was ambushed by hostile forces. Although the unit was exposed to intense small arms fire, he bravely remained with the forward elements to render professional advice and succeeded in locating the artillery forward observer to assist him in deterring the hostile action. With mature judgment and professional knowledge, he then selected a landing zone and assisted in the air evacuation of the wounded. By his personal example and dedicated devotion to duty, combined with his sound professional advice and assistance, he inspired his counterparts to pursue their defense efforts. Major *Golden's* heroic conduct and outstanding performance of duty under difficult and dangerous conditions are in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflect distinct credit upon himself and the military service.

XII. AIR MEDAL. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942, as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942, an Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Specialist Five *Robert L. Bohannon*, , United States Army. October 1962 to September 1963. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from 15 October 1962 to 15 September 1963 as announced in General Orders Number 8, Headquarters, 3d Armored Division (Spearhead), APO 30, U.S. Forces, dated 4 January 1964.)

Captain *James O. Frownfelter*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. 19 May and 20 May 1962.

Specialist Five *Charles L. Hadley*, , United States Army. 19 May and 20 May 1962.

Captain *Russell C. Potter*, , Infantry, United States Army. October 1962 to September 1963. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from 15 October 1962 to 15 September 1963 as announced in General Orders Number 158, Headquarters, 3d Armored Division (Spearhead), APO 30, U.S. Forces, dated 6 December 1963.)

Specialist Five *James D. Seymour*, , United States Army. October 1962 to September 1963. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from 15 October 1962 to 15 September 1963 as announced in General Orders Num-

ber 158, Headquarters, 3d Armored Division (Spearhead), APO 30, U.S. Forces, dated 6 December 1963.)

Captain *Dean R. Willwerth*, , Armor, United States Army. October 1962 to September 1963. (This award supersedes award of the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service from 15 October 1962 to 15 September 1963 as announced in General Orders Number 158, Headquarters, 3d Armored Division (Spearhead), APO 30, U.S. Forces, dated 6 December 1963.)

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942, as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942, an Air Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Captain *Bobby L. Blackburn*, , Artillery, United States Army. 19 May and 20 May 1962.

Captain *William M. Jenkins, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States Army. 19 May and 20 May 1962.

Specialist Five *Albert White, Jr.*, , United States Army. 19 May and 20 May 1962.

3. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942, as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942, an Air Medal (Fourth Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Chief Warrant Officer *Harry M. Fletcher, Jr.*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. 19 May and 20 May 1962.

XIII. ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. 1. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant *Fred E. Abe*, , United States Army. December 1961 to December 1963.

Major *Robert L. Adcock*, , Infantry, United States Army. August 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles J. Anderson*, , Armor, United States Army. June 1961 to March 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *James H. Bash*, , Ordnance Corps, United States Army. March 1961 to June 1964.

Gunnery Sergeant *Robert L. Burtrum*, , United States Marine Corps. October 1962 to September 1963.

Master Sergeant *Henry W. Canady*, , United States Army. May 1962 to June 1964.

Staff Sergeant *James C. Carthen*, , United States Army. December 1962 to December 1963.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles R. Carvethon*, , Infantry, United States Army. March 1961 to June 1964.

Warrant Officer *George D. Clark*, , United States Army. July 1958 to June 1964.

Major *Lafayette W. Collins*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. September 1961 to June 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Thomas D. Conroy*, , United States Army. July 1961 to May 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *James D. Danner*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. September 1961 to June 1964.

Chief Warrant Officer *Vincent J. Driver*, , United States Army. October 1961 to June 1964.

Technical Sergeant *Gordon R. Dubois*, , United States Air Force. July 1962 to July 1963.

Staff Sergeant *Joseph R. Duco*, , United States Army. August 1963 to June 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Robert K. Edson*, , United States Army. January 1964 to April 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *William W. Etchemendy*, , Infantry, United States Army. February 1961 to June 1964.

Specialist Six *Charles D. Gidaro*, , United States Army. July 1961 to November 1963.

Colonel *Stacy W. Gooch*, , Artillery, United States Army. June 1963 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Donald F. Goss*, , Finance Corps, United States Army. July 1960 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Wilford D. Grattrick*, , Ordnance Corps, United States Army. October 1959 to June 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Albert S. Heinly*, , Armor, United States Army. January 1963 to December 1963.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles R. Hiatt*, , Artillery, United States Army. January 1962 to June 1964.

Captain *Richard T. Holway*, , United State Navy. August 1960 to February 1964.

Specialist Seven *Aram Jojokian*, , United States Army. February 1963 to November 1963.

Major *Phillip Kaufman*, , Artillery, United States Army. August 1961 to April 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Earl E. Keifer*, , United States Army. August 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Luther Keller, II*, , Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. October 1961 to May 1964.

Captain *Chester A. Kowalczyk*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. December 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Warren G. Langley*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1960 to January 1964.

Specialist Six *Roland A. Laplume*, , United States Army. February 1961 to May 1964.

Chief Warrant Officer *Paul V. Lashmet*, , United States Army. April 1959 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Clarence E. Lawing*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. January 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *Morris A. Lent*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. August 1960 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert W. Leonard*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1960 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Nelson A. Mahone, Jr.*, , Artillery, United States Army. August 1961 to April 1964.

Major *William A. McClain*, , Infantry, United States Army.
May 1961 to June 1964.

Specialist Four *Ross M. Meo*, , United States Army. May
1962 to April 1964.

First Sergeant *Ernest A. Meyer*, , United States Army. July
1958 to January 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *John D. Murphy*, , Infantry, United States
Army. July 1961 to June 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Gerhard A. Neitzel*, , United States
Army. May 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Alcee L. Peters, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States
Army. February 1953 to May 1964.

Sergeant First Class *James W. Pieper*, , United States Army.
April 1963 to March 1964.

Staff Sergeant *Theodore D. Presler*, , United States Army.
September 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *David R. Presson*, , Infantry, United States
Army. February 1961 to June 1964.

Specialist Seven *Pauline E. Reich*, , Women's Army Corps,
United States Army. July 1949 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Bruton B. Schardt*, , Artillery, United States
Army. November 1960 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Louis J. Schelter*, , Infantry, United States
Army. May 1961 to May 1964.

Specialist Five *John E. Schliessmann*, , United States Army.
August 1961 to December 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Leon Sembach*, , Artillery, United States Army.
August 1960 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *John E. Shafer*, , Infantry, United States
Army. September 1955 to July 1963.

Major *George W. Spencer*, , Corps of Engineers, United States
Army. May 1962 to February 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Elster Stanley*, , United States Army.
November 1962 to November 1963.

Colonel *John J. Stephens*, , Infantry, United States Army. April
1961 to June 1964.

Major *Harold E. Swinney*, , United States Air Force. July 1959
to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *William H. Tomlinson*, , Artillery, United
States Army. September 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Leonard E. Trost*, , Armor, United States Army.
June 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert B. Tully*, , Infantry, United States
Army. July 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles F. Walrath*, , Infantry, United States
Army. December 1962 to June 1964.

Chief Warrant Officer *Louis A. White*, , United States Army.
June 1959 to June 1964.

2. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service is awarded to:

Major *John H. Bishop*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *Franklin P. Boeckman*, , Medical Service Corps, United States Army. January 1963 to May 1964.

Colonel *Fredric C. Bott*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. June 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Harry D. Calenberg*, , Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. September 1963 to May 1964.

Warrant Officer *Edward G. Callahan*, , United States Army. May 1960 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Jack R. Carpenter*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *James E. Convey, Jr.*, , Artillery, United States Army. March 1962 to April 1964.

Master Sergeant *John H. Cook*, , United States Army. March 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles M. Eggstaff*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. March 1963 to May 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Harvey H. Giddens*, , United States Army. May 1962 to May 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *William R. Healey*, , Infantry, United States Army. April 1962 to May 1964.

Sergeant First Class *Robert L. Kay*, , United States Army. March 1962 to February 1964.

Colonel *Ross E. Leach*, , Finance Corps, United States Army. July 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *Lester W. Lindow*, , Staff Specialist, United States Army. April 1949 to June 1964.

Master Sergeant *John J. McGlenn*, , United States Army. June 1958 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert D. Medaugh*, , Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. July 1962 to April 1964.

Major *David M. Nelson*, , Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. October 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *Stanley F. Parr*, , Armor, United States Army. July 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Flournoy P. Pool, Jr.*, , Ordnance Corps, United States Army. December 1961 to December 1963.

Lieutenant Colonel *Norman C. Shepard, Jr.*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. November 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Edward P. Simonds*, , Infantry, United States Army. June 1962 to June 1964.

Captain *Dale F. Stuart*, , Signal Corps, United States Army. September 1962 to July 1963.

Master Sergeant *Alfred E. Thomas*, , United States Army. April 1963 to March 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Wilbert A. Tieman*, , Finance Corps, United States Army. July 1962 to June 1964.

Colonel *Orrin A. Tracy*, , Infantry, United States Army. September 1961 to June 1964.

Colonel *Mario T. Villanti*, , Military Police Corps, United States Army. May 1962 to June 1964.

Major *Wayne B. Whatley*, , Artillery, United States Army. May 1962 to June 1964.

Sergeant Major *Thomas J. Whitaker*, , United States Army. March 1953 to April 1964.

3. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *James J. Barda*, , Infantry, United States Army. March 1963 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Frederick H. Black, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States Army. January 1962 to June 1964.

Specialist Seven *Arthur G. Gomes*, , United States Army. June 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *James J. Heyman*, , Corps of Engineers, United States Army. August 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ernest A. Hinojosa, Jr.*, , Transportation Corps, United States Army. August 1961 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Chester P. Irby, Jr.*, , Artillery, United States Army. July 1959 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Orville W. Martin, Jr.*, , Armor, United States Army. February 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Eulless B. Moore, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States Army. July 1963 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Gilbert R. Reed, Jr.*, , Infantry, United States Army. October 1962 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ivery D. Stauffer*, , Armor, United States Army. June 1963 to March 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Mario M. Susinna*, , Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. June 1960 to June 1964.

4. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal (Third Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Neill S. Atkins, Jr.*, , Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. November 1962 to June 1964.

Sergeant Major *Robert A. Bruce*, , United States Army. July 1962 to June 1964.

Chief Warrant Officer *Ben O. Haygood*, , Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. April 1961 to March 1964.

Colonel *John L. Sullivan, Jr.*, , Artillery, United States Army. June 1960 to June 1964.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert L. Westbrook*, , Armor, United States Army. September 1959 to June 1964.

5. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious achievement is awarded to:

Specialist Four *Clifford A. Dildy*, , United States Army. 13 October 1963.

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XIV--ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. So much of paragraph 1, Section XIII, General Orders Number 3, Department of the Army, 1964, as pertains to award of the Army Commendation Medal to Master Sergeant *Generoso E. Ciampa*, United States Army, as reads "Army Commendation Medal" is amended to read "Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster)".

By Order of the Secretary of the Army :

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