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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 *Donald V. Bennett*, O23001, United States Army. January 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant General *Ferdinand J. Chesarek*, O21177, United States Army. February 1967 to May 1968.

Colonel *Robert E. Cullis*, O31942, Infantry, United States Army. June 1963 to July 1968.

Brigadier General *William B. Fulton*, O25385, United States Army. March 1966 to January 1968. (This award supersedes the Legion of Merit (Second and Third Oak Leaf Clusters) awarded to General *Fulton* for exceptionally meritorious service during the periods March 1966 to March 1967 and from March 1967 to January 1968 as announced in General Orders Number 6062, Headquarters, United States Army, Vietnam, dated 23 November 1967 (amended by General Orders Number 150, Headquarters, United States Army, Vietnam, dated 11 January 1968) and General Orders Number 135, Headquarters, United States Army, Vietnam, dated 11 January 1968.)

Major General *William C. Garrison*, O30144, United States Army. May 1960 to July 1968.

Major General *David W. Gray*, O18988, United States Army. November 1958 to July 1968.

General *Ralph E. Haines, Jr.*, O19849, United States Army. May 1967 to July 1968.

Colonel *Richard A. Hansen*, O79843, Transportation Corps, United States Army. June 1967 to March 1968. (This award supersedes award of

- the Legion of Merit for meritorious service from July 1962 to March 1968 as announced in General Orders Number 26, Headquarters, United States Army Materiel Command, dated 10 April 1968.)
- Major General *Harvey J. Jablonsky*, O19390, United States Army. August 1965 to July 1968.
- Major General *John E. Kelly*, O20156, United States Army. July 1967 to June 1968.
- Brigadier General *John E. Kelsey*, O21061, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.
- Major General *Bruce E. Kendall*, O30623, United States Army. May 1966 to July 1968. (This award supersedes the Legion of Merit (Third Oak Leaf Cluster) awarded to Major General *Bruce E. Kendall* for meritorious service during the period May 1966 to July 1967, as announced in General Orders Number 36, Headquarters, United States Army, Ryukyu Islands, dated 28 June 1967.)
- Colonel *Joseph C. Kiefe, Jr.*, O60850, Artillery, United States Army. June 1966 to July 1968.
- Colonel *Jonathan F. Ladd*, O27041, Infantry, United States Army. June 1967 to June 1968.
- Brigadier General *Andy A. Lipscomb*, O21333, United States Army. January 1966 to July 1968. (This award supersedes the Legion of Merit (First Oak Leaf Cluster) awarded to General *Lipscomb* for meritorious service during the period March 1967 to March 1968, as announced in Department of the Army General Orders Number 1076, Headquarters, United States Army, Vietnam, APO San Francisco 96375, dated 11 March 1968.)
- Brigadier General *Edwin A. Machen, Jr.*, O21284, United States Army. May 1967 to July 1968.
- Major General *Raymond B. Marlin*, O21899, United States Army. July 1966 to June 1968.
- Brigadier General *George H. McBride*, O47172, United States Army. January 1967 to June 1968.
- Brigadier General *John K. McCormick*, O31982, United States Army. November 1962 to August 1968. (This award supersedes the Legion of Merit (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) awarded to General *McCormick* by the Commanding General, Eighth United States Army, under the provisions of paragraph 7, AR 672-5-1, for meritorious service during the period June 1966 to June 1968.)
- Major General *James T. McGibony*, O20406, Medical Corps, United States Army. April 1965 to July 1968.
- Brigadier General *Howard E. Michelet*, O21131, United States Army. February 1967 to July 1968.
- Colonel *Robert M. Montague*, O50578, Artillery, United States Army. June 1967 to June 1968.
- Brigadier General *Kenneth D. Orr*, O31042, United States Army. July 1966 to July 1968.
- Colonel *Wallace D. Pardue*, O36413, Artillery, United States Army. March 1967 to March 1968. (This award supersedes the Legion of Merit awarded to Colonel *Pardue* as announced in General Orders Number

1029, Headquarters, United States Army, Vietnam, dated 7 March 1968.)

Major General *David S. Parker*, O22907, United States Army. June 1966 to June 1968.

Major General *Willard Pearson*, O44466, United States Army. January 1966 to June 1968.

Major General *Walter B. Richardson*, O30597, United States Army, August 1964 to August 1968.

Colonel *Melvin R. Russell*, O21097, Artillery, United States Army. August 1965 to July 1968.

Admiral *Ulysses S. Grant Sharp*, 61258, United States Navy. June 1964 to July 1968.

Major General *Alden K. Sibley*, O18964, United States Army. May 1957 to July 1968.

Brigadier General *Thomas N. Sibley*, O21277, United States Army. August 1962 to July 1968.

Colonel *Bill G. Smith*, O53387, Infantry, United States Army. May 1967 to May 1968. (This award supersedes the Legion of Merit to Colonel *Smith* for meritorious service from May 1967 to April 1968 as announced in General Orders Number 1457, Headquarters, United States Army, Vietnam, dated 1 April 1968.)

Lieutenant General *Berton E. Spivy, Jr.*, O19479, United States Army. April 1965 to July 1968.

Major General *Benjamin O. Turnage, Jr.*, O20360, United States Army. July 1962 to July 1968.

Sergeant Major of the Army *William O. Wooldridge*, RA18037917, United States Army. July 1966 to July 1968.

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

General *Dwight E. Beach*, O18747, United States Army. September 1966 to July 1968.

Major General *Frank M. Izenour*, O21263, United States Army. May 1967 to June 1968. *Commanded G-C 7 69*

General *Harold K. Johnson*, O19187, United States Army. August 1966 to July 1968.

Major General *Elias C. Townsend*, O31680, United States Army. June 1967 to July 1968.

Major General *William P. Yarborough*, O20362, United States Army. December 1966 to July 1968.

**3** 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 *Lawrence J. Lincoln*, O18968, United States Army. July 1967 to July 1968.

General *William C. Westmoreland*, O20223, United States Army. December 1967 to July 1968.

**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 to:

Chief Warrant Officer *Michael J. Davis*, W3151943 (then Warrant Officer), United States Army, who distinguished himself on 1 April 1965, while serving as the pilot of an armed helicopter in support of a combat ground operation in the Republic of Vietnam. Throughout the day an airlifted Vietnamese unit had fought desperately to avoid being overrun by a numerically superior Viet Cong force equipped with automatic weapons, mortars and recoilless rifles. As darkness approached, the Viet Cong broke through the Vietnamese defense and all but one American advisor were killed in the raging firefight. The remaining advisor was cut off from the withdrawing Vietnamese by the attackers and radioed for help from the armed helicopters overhead. Completely disregarding the intense enemy anti-aircraft machinegun fire, Warrant Officer *Davis* immediately landed his heavily laden armed helicopter without the use of lights in a flooded rice paddy. He then left the helicopter in search of his comrade armed only with a grenade launcher. As the Viet Cong directed savage automatic weapons fire at the vulnerable helicopter, Warrant Officer *Davis* located their positions and silenced two machinegun bunkers with accurate fire from his grenade launcher. Rallying the withdrawing Vietnamese troops, he formed a defensive perimeter around the aircraft and continued to search for his fellow soldier. After swimming across a canal, he found the exhausted advisor lying in the mud on the opposite side. Braving intense enemy small arms fire, Warrant Officer *Davis* dragged his comrade across the canal to the waiting helicopter. After helping him aboard the aircraft, he fired his remaining grenade ammunition and suppressed the enemy weapons before then boarding the departing aircraft himself. Warrant Officer *Davis*' extraordinary heroism in close combat against a numerically superior Viet Cong force were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

**III--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:

Lieutenant Colonel *Donald M. Nay*, O996466, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. January 1966 to April 1968.

**IV--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:

Captain *Knox Pittard*, 107495, United States Navy. October 1966 to October 1967.

**V--LEGION OF MERIT. 1.** 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:

Colonel *Herbert B. Allen*, O60349, Infantry, United States Army. August 1964 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas E. Anderson*, O66661, Infantry, United States Army. June 1966 to December 1967.

Lieutenant Colonel *Morton Arendt, Jr.*, O65942, Artillery, United States Army. September 1965 to February 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Philip L. Ash, Jr.*, O68868, Military Police Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Brigadier General *William F. Bachman*, O404581, United States Army. April 1963 to March 1968.

Colonel *John R. Barclay*, O46727, Armor, United States Army. September 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Prince D. Beach*, O58753, Medical Corps, United States Army. September 1963 to July 1968.

Colonel *George W. Bixby*, O21056, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. June 1960 to July 1968.

Colonel *Gorham L. Black, Jr.*, O65111, Infantry, United States Army. March 1960 to July 1968.

Colonel *LeVerne E. Blount*, O25939, Artillery, United States Army. September 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Elba W. Bowen*, O32634, Infantry, United States Army. August 1963 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Nathaniel W. Bowe*, O1637415, Signal Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Jeremiah J. Brophy*, O68454, Infantry, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Brigadier General *Burton R. Brown*, O21113, United States Army. August 1964 to July 1968.

Colonel *Desloge Brown*, O21057, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Colonel *Robert O. Brugge*, O80617, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. September 1964 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *John A. Bryan*, O61163, Chemical Corps, United States Army. May 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Garrett D. Buckner, Jr.*, O62679, Infantry, United States Army. April 1966 to February 1967.

Colonel *Bates C. Burnell*, O27241, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *William E. Burr, II*, O26597, Infantry, United States Army. June 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles W. Burtyk, Jr.*, O1286434, Infantry, United States Army. June 1964 to July 1968.

Colonel *James W. Cain*, O26208, Infantry, United States Army. December 1960 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert E. Carignan*, O70296, Finance Corps, United States Army. November 1949 to May 1968.

Colonel *Roscoe C. Cartwright*, O63039, Artillery, United States Army. September 1966 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas A. Caton*, OF110202, Military Intelligence, United States Army. June 1964 to June 1968.

Colonel *Joe E. Childers*, O31936, Transportation Corps, United States Army. April 1960 to July 1968.

Colonel *John H. Cochran, Jr.*, O54787, Infantry, United States Army. July 1965 to May 1968.

Sergeant Major *Charles F. Cook*, RA20717481, United States Army. July 1963 to June 1968.

Colonel *Dean E. Coonley*, O192051, Infantry, United States Army. November 1951 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Edward F. Corcoran*, O65239, Armor, United States Army. January 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Kay K. Cowan*, O052217, Infantry, United States Army. July 1962 to October 1968. *Amended GO 44, '63*

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert H. Cushing, Jr.*, O57147, Armor, United States Army. October 1965 to July 1968.

Major *Vernon K. Davis*, O71478, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. February 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *John Q. Deaver*, O54765, Infantry, United States Army. July 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Norman T. Dennis*, O43547, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. April 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Jack A. Dodds*, O79257, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Timothy H. Donovan*, O93036, Artillery, United States Army. August 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Neil B. Downey*, O61717, Armor, United States Army. January 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Girven F. Erickson*, O1690963, Artillery, United States Army. April 1962 to February 1968.

Colonel *Robert L. Fair*, O38357, Infantry, United States Army. February 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *William D. Falck*, O25893, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant *Claude P. Farris*, 644000, United States Navy. January 1967 to December 1967.

Colonel *John H. Finger*, O493989, Judge Advocate General's Corps, United States Army. July 1947 to June 1968.

Colonel *David Fink*, O27589, Infantry, United States Army. May 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Conrad H. Firsching*, O2265388, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. June 1964 to August 1967.

Colonel *Jesse L. Fishback*, O25858, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Wilfred F. Floyd*, O1584218, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. June 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *John H. Ford, Jr.*, O33411, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. January 1964 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert H. Forman*, O64878, Artillery, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Robert B. Franklin*, O49940, Medical Corps, United States Army. August 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *Ernest M. Fry*, O48666, Infantry, United States Army. May 1966 to May 1968.

Colonel *Robert W. Fye*, O27248, Artillery, United States Army. June 1966 to June 1968.

- Lieutenant Colonel *Robert L. Gardner*, O1013166, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. November 1965 to June 1968.
- Colonel *Walter H. Gelby*, O37560, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. October 1963 to July 1968.
- Colonel *Leonard V. Gillespie*, FR33299, United States Air Force. July 1963 to June 1968.
- Major *Gordon E. Grant*, O77414, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. February 1966 to June 1968.
- Colonel *George F. Gregg*, O80807, Artillery, United States Army. November 1965 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Arthur G. Griffith*, O1341778, Military Intelligence, United States Army. September 1966 to July 1968.
- Captain *Preston B. Haines, Jr.*, O81122, United States Navy. August 1965 to June 1968.
- Colonel *Robert C. Hamilton*, O95031, Armor, United States Army. August 1964 to July 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Alvera E. Hamlyn*, M10099, Army Medical Specialist's Corps, United States Army. September 1962 to July 1968.
- Colonel *Warren T. Hannum, Jr.*, O21316, Infantry, United States Army. September 1965 to July 1968.
- Colonel *Earl L. Harper*, O35272, Infantry, United States Army. June 1965 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Lillian Harris*, L96, Women's Army Corps, United States Army. January 1962 to July 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Philip D. Hawn*, O65769, Infantry, United States Army. August 1965 to June 1968.
- Colonel *Clyde W. Henderson*, O31324, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. August 1963 to July 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *John T. Henderson*, O69675, Infantry, United States Army. May 1967 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *William G. Hill*, O68116, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. January 1963 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *John T. Hodes*, O59261, Armor, United States Army. July 1966 to May 1968.
- Colonel *John A. Hoefling*, O28404, Infantry, United States Army. August 1965 to May 1968.
- Colonel *Earl H. Holland*, O87795, Signal Corps, United States Army. September 1965 to June 1968.
- Major *Joseph W. House*, O75620, Artillery, United States Army. November 1965 to April 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Frank W. Houston*, O80883, Armor, United States Army. December 1965 to July 1968.
- Colonel *Emory S. Hunt, Jr.*, O362891, Infantry, United States Army. August 1963 to July 1968.
- Colonel *James W. Hurd*, O80890, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. August 1964 to July 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Gilbert L. Jacob*, O73102, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. June 1963 to May 1968.
- Colonel *Leo F. Johnson*, O376833, Artillery, United States Army. April 1959 to January 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert N. Johnson*, O996606, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. April 1967 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert N. Katayama*, O81860, Judge Advocate General's Corps, United States Army. July 1964 to June 1968.

Colonel *Marshall P. Kean, Jr.*, O40927, Artillery, United States Army. July 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *David B. Keezell*, O56136, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. June 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Keith S. Kelly*, O67059, Transportation Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Colonel *John J. Killian*, O33502, Artillery, United States Army. September 1966 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Bohuslav Z. Kostka*, O65611, Infantry, United States Army. April 1965 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *John F. Kwasigroch*, O77077, Artillery, United States Army. August 1965 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert J. Lamb, Jr.*, O28667, Infantry, United States Army. October 1967 to February 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William R. Ledbetter*, O80962, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. September 1964 to July 1968.

Colonel *Robert F. Lerg*, O364323, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. July 1959 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Vernon B. Lewis, Jr.*, O88127, Artillery, United States Army. January 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *John H. Linden*, O27119, Artillery, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *William J. Love*, O27224, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. August 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Camille L. Lynch*, O78954, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. July 1964 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Malcolm E. MacDonald*, O28701, Signal Corps, United States Army. July 1961 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Melville J. MacDonald, Jr.*, O56444, Artillery, United States Army. December 1965 to July 1968.

Colonel *Harley T. Marsh, Jr.*, O23901, Infantry, United States Army. September 1964 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Francis R. Marshall*, O58496, Artillery, United States Army. September 1964 to June 1968.

Colonel *Robert C. Masenga*, O54101, Signal Corps, United States Army. July 1958 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Stephen C. McCormick*, O1102849, Military Intelligence, United States Army. May 1963 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert S. McGarry*, O66257, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *George W. McIntyre*, O23841, Artillery, United States Army. July 1966 to June 1968. MCR 60869

Colonel *Albert C. Metts, Jr.*, O26091, Infantry, United States Army. May 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Carmelo P. Milia*, O62462, Armor, United States Army. December 1966 to June 1968.



Captain *Curtis E. Miller*, 187695, United States Navy. May 1964 to June 1968.

Major *Donald L. Miller*, O84225, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Herman J. Miller, Jr.*, O78986, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Clayton L. Moran*, O59298, Artillery, United States Army. March 1967 to July 1968.

Colonel *Guy G. Moran*, O71708, Veterinary Corps, United States Army. September 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Phyllis J. Morsman*, L360, Women's Army Corps, United Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *John M. Norton*, O61041, Armor, United States Army. August 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *Roger M. Norwood*, O84404, Infantry, United States Army. March 1966 to February 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Thomas E. O'Brien*, RA12506273, United States Army. August 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William D. Old II*, O70889, Infantry, United States Army. February 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas C. Oldham*, O66188, Judge Advocate General's Corps, United States Army. July 1963 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Morris V. Olson*, O39327, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. August 1964 to July 1968.

Colonel *Winston L. Olson*, O32940, Infantry, United States Army. July 1964 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Fred A. Osterhout, Jr.*, O66189, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. December 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ishmael Pack*, O67249, Infantry, United States Army. May 1966 to June 1968.

Commander *Michael E. Panciotti*, 43121, United States Navy. July 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Loren F. Parmley, Jr.*, O52087, Medical Corps, United States Army. July 1963 to July 1968.

Colonel *Robert J. Parr*, O27461, Infantry, United States Army. September 1965 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ernest D. Peixotto*, O63920, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. June 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles W. Phillips*, O2033741, Artillery, United States Army. August 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Harold B. Phillips*, O65778, Signal Corps, United States Army. February 1966 to April 1968.

Colonel *Robert D. Pillsbury*, O52054, Medical Corps, United States Army. July 1966 to May 1968.

Major *James Piner, Jr.*, O85235, Transportation Corps, United States Army. July 1967 to July 1968.

Colonel *Lewis A. Pitt*, FV794048, United States Air Force. June 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Stanley M. Ramey*, O23726, Armor, United States Army. August 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Richard C. Rantz*, O55168, Transportation Corps, United States Army. August 1965 to May 1968.

Major *Robert H. Ratcliff*, O88304, Chemical Corps, United States Army. March 1965 to July 1968.

Colonel *William G. Redel*, O32978, United States Marine Corps. September 1967 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Delyle G. Redmond*, O64450, Infantry, United States Army. January 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *Gilbert R. Reed, Jr.*, O80480, Armor, United States Army. June 1964 to April 1968.

Colonel *Thomas H. Reese*, O62992, Judge Advocate General's Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to June 1968.

Major *Robert A. Richey*, O4029443, Infantry, United States Army. January 1967 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *David B. Rogers*, O59341, Artillery, United States Army. August 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Wilfred L. Rogers*, O27603, Infantry, United States Army. February 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Eric A. Rundquist*, O43843, Artillery, United States Army. July 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Raymond W. Sando*, O66090, Infantry, United States Army. August 1966 through July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Leslie R. Sears, Jr.*, O69788, Finance Corps, United States Army. September 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert Sherman*, O61101, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. June 1965 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William H. Shivar*, FR26392, United States Air Force. August 1967 to June 1968.

Major *Edward R. Shore, Jr.*, O4044549, Transportation Corps, United States Army. May 1967 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Gorman C. Smith*, O063893, Infantry, United States Army. March 1966 to November 1967.

Major General *Archibald A. Sproul*, O406823, United States Army. September 1964 to February 1968.

Colonel *Joseph N. Stabile*, O43218, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. April 1954 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *George W. Stannard*, O64176, Artillery, United States Army. August 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Carl S. Starnes*, O83621, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. May 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *John F. Staples*, O31967, Infantry, United States Army. July 1954 to June 1968.

Colonel *Wilmer B. Stevens*, O37079, Signal Corps, United States Army. July 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles W. Stockell*, O79108, Military Intelligence, United States Army. July 1965 to May 1968.

Colonel *Joseph J. Strnad*, O37497, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. August 1966 to June 1968.

Sergeant Major *Clifford W. Stroup*, RA15281657, United States Army. January 1964 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Allan C. Torgerson*, O28619, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. June 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Robert T. Townsend*, O48913, Artillery, United States Army. October 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Thomas K. Trigg*, O80019, Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *James S. G. Turner*, O53142, United States Marine Corps. March 1967 to March 1968.

Colonel *William A. Van Sandt*, O40762, Signal Corps, United States Army. November 1965 to August 1967.

Lieutenant Colonel *Phyllis J. Verhonick*, N1800, Army Nurse Corps, United States Army. February 1958 to July 1968.

Colonel *Arland H. Wagonhurst*, O65715, Infantry, United States Army. October 1966 to June 1968.

Staff Sergeant Major *James R. Walker*, RA14334871, United States Army. June 1962 to June 1968.

Colonel *Joseph Walker, Jr.*, O37817, Military Intelligence, United States Army. August 1961 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Hancel L. E. Warren*, O65722, Artillery, United States Army. August 1961 to July 1968.

Major General *Thomas G. Wells, Jr.*, O366471, United States Army. April 1966 to April 1968.

Colonel *Jack G. Westbrooke*, O80518, Artillery, United States Army. March 1967 to July 1968.

Colonel *Sam W. Westbrook*, FR1890, United States Air Force. October 1965 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Loren J. White*, O79525, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. April 1966 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William R. White*, O32847, Infantry, United States Army. August 1964 to June 1968.

Captain *Thomas H. Williams*, 123447, United States Navy. August 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *Lucius F. Wright, Jr.*, O25966, Artillery, United States Army. August 1964 to July 1968.

Colonel *Raymond J. Wright*, O36780, Artillery, United States Army. December 1966 to July 1968.

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Colonel *Ralph M. Bergsagel*, O79759, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. January 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William J. Buchanan*, O61439, Armor, United States Army. September 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *John P. Casey, Jr.*, O70079, Infantry, United States Army. August 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas B. Cormack*, O57125, Armor, United States Army. February 1966 to June 1968.

Major General *William H. Craig*, O19526, United States Army. September 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William J. DeSalvo*, O1301270, Military Intelligence, United States Army. July 1967 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Jay B. Durst*, O62311, Infantry, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Joseph C. Dyer*, O79807, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. September 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Clyde C. Eddinger*, O80292, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. July 1966 to July 1968.

Brigadier General *Charles M. Gettys*, O44181, United States Army. August 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert L. Gilmore*, O67683, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. August 1967 to June 1968.

Colonel *John W. Grady*, O33940, Artillery, United States Army. October 1966 to June 1968.

Major General *Louis O. Gravely, Jr.*, O248412, United States Army. May 1960 to November 1967.

Colonel *Joseph D. Goldstein*, O62894, Medical Corps, United States Army. September 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *John R. Goodrich*, O65124, Artillery, United States Army. August 1965 to July 1967.

Colonel *William H. Hamilton*, O41322, Artillery, United States Army. August 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Hoyt R. Livingston*, O60228, Infantry, United States Army. December 1942 to July 1968.

Sergeant Major *George E. Loikow*, RA6680951, United States Army. January 1967 to July 1968.

Major *Fred K. Mahaffey*, O72926, Infantry, United States Army. July 1966 to June 1968.

Major General *Daniel J. Manning*, O307848, United States Army. February 1951 to February 1968.

Colonel *Francis M. Manning, Jr.*, O1112839, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. October 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Orvil C. Metheny*, O70432, Transportation Corps, United States Army. August 1966 to May 1968.

Colonel *Henry V. Middleworth*, O24226, Infantry, United States Army. April 1961 to April 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Harry L. Moore*, O69750, Infantry, United States Army. March 1966 to March 1968.

Colonel *Frank J. Nemethy*, O36332, Infantry, United States Army. April 1965 to April 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Andrew Nisbet, Jr.*, O58988, Infantry, United States Army. June 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *Charles R. Norris*, O70456, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. September 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Hartsell H. Northington*, O33275, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *William A. Patch*, O57281, Infantry, United States Army. January 1967 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Chesley D. Prichard*, O58562, Artillery, United States Army. November 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Lester C. Robertson*, O2026165, Transportation Corps, United States Army. March 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Fred B. Schoonmaker*, O38249, Artillery, United States Army. August 1966 to July 1968.

Colonel *Winfield S. Scott*, O26697, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. June 1965 to June 1968.

Colonel *Charles A. Shannese, Jr.*, O23036, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. December 1959 to July 1968.

Colonel *John W. Thompson*, O21067, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1962 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *John J. Walsh, Jr.*, O70549, Infantry, United States Army. March 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Raymond A. Whelan*, O69829, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. May 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Drake Wilson*, O66286, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. June 1967 to July 1968.

**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 *Edward G. Anderson, Jr.*, O36391, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1967 to June 1968.

Colonel *Edward W. McGregor*, O39096, Infantry, United States Army. August 1963 to July 1968.

Colonel *George C. Viney*, O38516, Infantry, United States Army. August 1966 to May 1968.

Colonel *Warren R. Williams, Jr.*, O21250, Infantry, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Colonel *Jack T. Young*, O889127, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. August 1965 to May 1968.

**VI. LEGION OF MERIT.** 1. 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 (Degree of Commander) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Lieutenant General *Fereydown Djam*, 960, Imperial Iranian Army. August 1965 to June 1968.

**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 (Degree of Officer) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Major General *Lew Byong Hyon*, Republic of Korea Army. August 1966 to September 1967.

General *Artigas Lopez*, Uruguayan Army. March 1965 to February 1967.

Major *Moussa Sannon*, Ivory Coast Army. January 1964 to May 1967.

Brigadier General *Tomas Opazo Santander*, Chilean Army. May 1964 to June 1967.

Brigadier General *Gaudencio V. Tobias*, Armed Forces of the Philippines. July 1966 to January 1968.

Rear Admiral *Esteban Zimic Vidal*, Peruvian Navy. January 1951 to December 1966.

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 (Degree of Legionnaire) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Luis Martinez-Aguilar*, Spanish Army. June 1967.

**VII...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 extraordinary heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army posthumously to:

Lieutenant (Junior Grade) *William H. Murphy III*, 681824/1100, United States Navy, who distinguished himself by heroic action on 19 November 1967, in the Central Highlands, Republic of Vietnam. On this date Lieutenant *Murphy* was serving as door gunner and observer of an armed helicopter on an aerial reconnaissance of the An Lao Valley. During the reconnaissance several enemy soldiers were spotted and immediately Lieutenant *Murphy* took them under fire. During the engagement heavy fire was received from the dense jungle but Lieutenant *Murphy* "leaning far outside the aircraft", continuously suppressed the enemy. During this action Lieutenant *Murphy's* aircraft received numerous rounds and crashed into the enemy's position. Lieutenant *Murphy's* devotion to duty and complete disregard for his own personal safety were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Navy.

**VIII...DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS.** By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 2 July 1926, a Distinguished Flying Cross (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for extraordinary heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Captain *Eldon D. Henderson*, FR70075, United States Air Force, who distinguished himself by heroic action on 15 June 1967, in Kontum Province, Republic of Vietnam. On that date Captain *Henderson*, serving as a Forward Air Controller, received information that a Civilian Irregular Defense Group company, led by United States Army Special Forces personnel, was overrun by a North Vietnamese Battalion. The Civilian Irregular Defense Group company, suffering heavy casualties, was completely disorganized and attempting to escape and evade enemy forces to reorganize. With complete disregard for his own safety, Captain *Henderson* flew his O1E aircraft at tree-top level. Locating many small groups of the friendly force, he established communications and guided these groups to a rally point where they could reorganize. Captain *Henderson* continued to fly in support of the ground forces until they had reorganized, even though extensive enemy fire was directed toward his aircraft. Captain *Henderson's* actions were in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Air Force and reflect great credit upon himself and upon the military service.

**IX...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 Five *Eugene R. Allen*, RA19723490, United States Army, United States Army Medical Center, Ryukyu Islands, who distinguished himself by heroism while assigned for duty as a Medical Aidman to the Okuma R&R Center, Ryukyu Islands. On 12 July 1967, Specialist *Allen* was summoned to

render first aid to a fellow serviceman who had fallen from a waterfall approximately 100 feet high, located at Okuma, Okinawa. Showing complete disregard for his own personal safety, Specialist *Allen* crawled over extremely hazardous terrain to where the victim lay seriously injured. Upon reaching the injured person, he administered emergency medical aid which stemmed loss of blood and prevented shock and the subsequent death of the patient. The physical characteristics of the terrain made evacuation by litter impossible and the hazardous areas along the evacuation route made it necessary for Specialist *Allen* to carry the patient on his back. During this slow, tedious procedure, Specialist *Allen* covered ground so hazardous that a single step could have resulted in death. Because of Specialist *Allen*'s alertness and quick thinking, the patient was evacuated to the United States Army Hospital, Ryukyu Islands, in record time for further medical treatment. Specialist *Allen*'s heroic performance of duty is in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon himself and the United States Army Medical Corps. (This award supersedes the Army Commendation Medal awarded to Specialist *Allen* by the Commanding General, United States Army, Ryukyu Islands, under provisions of paragraph 7a, AR 672-5-1, for heroism on 12 July 1967.)

Private *Dennis K. Julian*, RA18814290, United States Army, who distinguished himself by performing an act of heroism on 18 January 1968. While enroute to Fort Benning, Georgia, the bus upon which Private *Julian* was traveling stopped in Springville, Utah. During the stop, Private *Julian* observed a woman being beaten and mauled by an armed male assailant. Without hesitation and with disregard for his personal safety, Private *Julian* jumped from the bus and pulled the man from the woman. During the fierce ensuing struggle, the assailant's pistol discharged: the bullet narrowly missing Private *Julian* and lodging in the overhead luggage rack of the bus. Ignoring the great risk and danger involved Private *Julian* continued to grapple with his opponent while attempting to wrest the pistol from his grasp. Only when he was finally knocked to the ground and after the attacker had fled did Private *Julian* discontinue his efforts and turn his attention to the personal well-being of the woman victim. By this intrepid act of personal heroism Private *Julian* has reflected great honor and distinction upon himself and the United States Army. (This award supersedes the Army Commendation Medal awarded to Private *Julian* for heroism on 18 January 1968, as announced in General Orders Number 10, Headquarters, United States Infantry Center, Fort Benning, Georgia, dated 14 February 1968.)

Specialist Four *James W. Launderbaugh*, RA15761686, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroism on the afternoon of 13 January 1968, when he risked his own life to save the lives of three elderly Germans who had fallen through the ice on a lake in West Berlin, Germany, and were in grave danger of drowning. Hearing the cries for help and seeing that there were people in trouble, he immediately rushed to their aid. Recognizing the danger of the ice cracking still further, and without regard for his own safety, Specialist *Launderbaugh* stretched out on the ice and quickly pulled the frantic victims from the icy waters. His use of the proper techniques in approaching the victims on the weakened ice avoided compounding the danger. His quick action, judgment, courage, and disregard for his own safety made possible the rescue of the three elderly persons. His action reflects great credit upon himself and is in keeping with the finest traditions of the United States Army. (This award

supersedes the Army Commendation Medal awarded to Specialist Four *James W. Lauderbaugh* for heroism on 13 January 1968, as announced in General Orders Number 33, Headquarters, United States Army Security Agency, dated 26 April 1968.)

Specialist Four *Thomas Quinlan*, RA12712284, United States Army, who distinguished himself by a display of heroism in the face of certain danger while performing his duties as an instructor on Mill Creek Grenade Range, Fort Knox, Ky. On 13 February 1968, Specialist *Quinlan* was instructing in the method of throwing fragmentation grenades with the additional responsibility of enforcing the prescribed safety precautions. Later that day, a soldier was in one of several grenade pits for the purpose of throwing a live fragmentation grenade. When given the command to throw, the soldier threw the grenade in a lobbing motion. The armed grenade struck the inside wall of the grenade pit and rebounded into the safety trench. The soldier, apparently without looking for the grenade, jumped into the trench. Reacting instantly and without regard for his own safety, Specialist *Quinlan* dived into the trench and, with a single scooping motion, threw the armed grenade over and clear of the wall of the grenade pit. The grenade exploded in flight. Specialist *Quinlan's* positive and responsive action, without doubt, saved the soldier's life and possibly prevented serious injury to the personnel in the adjacent grenade pits. The singular act of heroism reflects great credit upon Specialist *Quinlan* and is in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service. (This award supersedes the Army Commendation Medal awarded to Specialist *Quinlan* as announced in General Orders Number 78, Headquarters, United States Army Training Center, Fort Knox, Kentucky, dated 14 March 1968.)

Specialist Five *John A. Sinclair*, RA12639707, United States Army, who exhibited outstanding bravery in saving the life of a drowning comrade on 5 February 1968. While participating in a training exercise off the coast of Puerto Rico, the rubber raft on which Specialist *Sinclair* and four others were aboard was capsized by the heavy surf. At this time the victim had submerged twice and consumed great quantities of water, and consequently had difficulty in swimming and lost his composure. Without regard for his own personal safety, under extremely adverse conditions, Specialist *Sinclair* observed the soldier's difficulty and immediately swam out to assist him, himself being 10 meters closer to shore than his drowning comrade. After reaching the victim, Specialist *Sinclair* had to battle the swift undercurrent and additional battering by huge waves in order to bring his comrade safely to shore. In spite of these difficulties, Specialist *Sinclair* was successful in bringing the victim safely to shore. Specialist *Sinclair's* actions are in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

**X--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 heroism in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to:

Sergeant *Raybon C. Cox*, AF18727814, United States Air Force, who distinguished himself by heroism, not involving participation in aerial flight, in connection with military operations against a hostile force on 1 through 2 January 1968 while serving as United States Air Force Liaison Noncommissioned Officer with Headquarters 3d Brigade, 25th Infantry Division, during the defense of Fire Support Base Burt. When a large Viet Cong force attacked Fire



Support Base Burt, Sergeant *Cox* continued to maintain communications with tactical air strikes that were necessary to effectively contain and break the enemy that threatened the lives of all personnel within the brigade perimeter. Although he was repeatedly exposed to hostile fire, Sergeant *Cox* continued his mission. Sergeant *Cox's* personal bravery and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Air Force.

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

Lieutenant Colonel *William A. Beczkalo*, FV706609, United States Air Force. March 1967 to March 1968.

Captain *Norman D. Belson*, O5325364, Infantry, United States Army. May 1966 to October 1966.

Sergeant *Robert G. Conticelli*, 1925473, United States Marine Corps. August 1967 to May 1968.

Storekeeper Chief *Robert H. Geisel*, 2496625, United States Navy. September 1966 to May 1968.

Major *Bogue Harrison*, FR44846, United States Air Force. April 1967 to February 1968.

Captain *Charlie W. Hastings*, FR75509, United States Air Force. July 1965 to December 1965.

Captain *Fredrick P. Holton*, FV2093491, United States Air Force. June 1967 to April 1968.

Major *Kenneth A. Kirkpatrick*, FR51263, United States Air Force, December 1967 to February 1968.

Major *Pearce A. Lane*, O94604 (then Captain), Signal Corps, United States Army. February 1964 to February 1965.

Sergeant First Class *Shaun K. McDevitt*, RA10611314, United States Army. August 1967 to February 1968.

Captain *Thomas G. Moody, Jr.*, O5315130, Infantry, United States Army. June 1964 to February 1965.

Captain *Bobby D. Parham*, O5322299, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. June 1966 to March 1967.

Major *James H. Schoenberger*, FR42942, United States Air Force. December 1966 to May 1967.

Major *Gordon Spillinger*, FV3068829, United States Air Force. December 1966 to December 1967.

Major *Carroll R. Wilson*, O86941, (then Captain), Infantry, United States Army. 2 January 1967 to 20 January 1967.

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

Captain *Dean H. Berk*, FV3155131, United States Air Force. January 1967 to March 1968.

Major *Joseph H. Hagan*, FV2227572, United States Air Force. January 1967 to March 1968.

Major *Royce H. McNeill*, FR28630, United States Air Force. January 1967 to March 1968.

Captain *Louis A. Meier*, FV3132132, United States Air Force. January 1967 to March 1968.

**XIII--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 (Eighth Oak Leaf Cluster) with "V" Device for heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Chief Warrant Officer *Dennis A. Rudel*, W3151915, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroism on 21 November 1967. While in aerial flight from Redstone Arsenal, Alabama to Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland, a disastrous and uncontrollable fire engulfed the right engine and wing of a C-47 aircraft of which he was pilot. Due to his professional ability, aeronautical skill and calm demeanor, he and the crew of the burning aircraft were able to maintain control and crashland the doomed aircraft well clear of a residential area with no loss of lives and injuries. His courageous action was in the best traditions of the United States Army and Army Aviation and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service.

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 (Thirteenth Oak Leaf Cluster) with "V" device for heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert D. Bayne*, O2263644, Infantry, United States Army, who distinguished himself by heroism on 21 November 1967 while in aerial flight from Redstone Arsenal, Alabama to Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland. A disastrous and uncontrollable fire engulfed the right engine and wing of a C-47 aircraft of which he was aircraft commander. His calmness and decisive action to keep the aircraft airborne until an unpopulated landing area could be found was an act of courage and sound judgment. He was able to crashland the aircraft with no loss of lives or injuries. Colonel *Bayne's* heroic actions reflect the highest credit upon himself, Army Aviation, and the United States Army.

**XIV--AIR MEDAL.** 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:

Sergeant First Class *William D. Carrier*, RA19379853, United States Army. October 1962 to March 1965.

Lieutenant Colonel *Eldon L. Cummings*, O70318, Infantry, United States Army. August 1967 to February 1968.

Captain *Leslie R. Holland, Jr.*, FR27284, United States Air Force. 29 September 1965 to 24 October 1965.

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 (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Captain *Leslie R. Holland, Jr.*, FR27284, United States Air Force. 25 October 1965 to 6 November 1965.

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 (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Captain *Leslie R. Holland, Jr.*, FR27284, United States Air Force. 23 November 1965 to 11 December 1965.

4. 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 (Third Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Captain *Leslie R. Holland, Jr.*, FR27284, United States Air Force. 12 December 1965 to 6 January 1966.

5. 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:

Captain *Leslie R. Holland, Jr.*, FR27284, United States Air Force. 7 January 1966 to 20 January 1966.

**XV. ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL.** By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal with "V" device for heroism is awarded to:

Captain *William D. Jenkins*, FV3156900, United States Air Force, who distinguished himself by heroism in connection with military operations against a hostile force in Quang Tri Province, Republic of Vietnam on 12 March 1967 while serving as a Forward Air Controller in an O-1 Observation Aircraft for the 1st Airborne Task Force, Airborne Division, Army of the Republic of Vietnam. The Task Force was pursuing an unfriendly force estimated to be battalion size. The previous night another Forward Air Controller and a C-47 flare ship had taken heavy groundfire from west of Gio Linh. Voluntarily and heroically, Captain *Jenkins* flew over this area in many low passes, drew fire from the area and saw the hostile force withdrawing into the Demilitarized Zone along a heavily entrenched route. Maintaining constant radio communication with the attacking units on the ground to determine their position and progress, Captain *Jenkins* recommended that the unfriendly force be attacked by combat support aircraft. Despite exposure to heavy hostile groundfire, Captain *Jenkins* directed the missions with complete disregard for his own safety. Due to the large number of unfriendly forces seen and suspected to be in the area, Captain *Jenkins* directed the combat support aircraft so that artillery could be fired in the vicinity concurrently with the combat support missions. The application of this dual firepower was due primarily to the professionalism, coordination, and skill with which Captain *Jenkins* directed the support aircraft. Captain *Jenkins*' keen observation of the battlefield during the morning and his skillful coordination of air and ground forces directly assisted in gaining and maintaining fire supremacy over the unfriendly force. During this operation, Captain *Jenkins*' brave actions, personal example and professional competence were of the highest order and reflected great credit upon himself and the military service.

**XVI. 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:

First Lieutenant *David Ames, Jr.*, O5420339, Artillery, United States Army. June 1966 to May 1968.

Major *Charles G. Batchelor*, FR53990, United States Air Force. April 1967 to April 1968.

Specialist Five *Camilla E. Bell*, WA8119632, Women's Army Corps, United States Army. March 1966 to April 1968.

Major *Richard A. Bishop*, O76519, United States Marine Corps. September 1967 to January 1968.

Sergeant Major *Stanley M. Bishop*, RA17216942, United States Army. December 1965 to April 1968.

Colonel *William F. Boiler*, O27571, Artillery, United States Army. June 1967 to May 1968.

Technical Sergeant *William R. Boyd*, AF14296087, United States Air Force. October 1964 to June 1968.

Specialist Five *James L. Bradley*, RA11448697, United States Army. September 1965 to April 1968.

Captain *John A. Cates*, FR71919, United States Air Force. July 1966 to July 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Norris A. Cole*, RA16482397, United States Army. August 1966 to April 1968.

Colonel *Jack E. Compton*, O80669, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. July 1966 to June 1968.

Specialist Five *Michael B. Cornelison*, US54384658, United States Army. June 1966 to April 1968.

Colonel *David Davis*, O1014416, Military Intelligence, United States Army. September 1950 to March 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Wendell F. DeLaMare*, O69628, Infantry, United States Army. June 1967 to April 1968.

Major *John J. Driscoll*, O690788, Artillery, United States Army. July 1966 to April 1968.

Major *Donald K. Emig*, O96828, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. October 1967 to July 1968.

Captain *Rocco A. Falvello*, O5211316, Military Intelligence, United States Army. February 1966 to June 1968.

Major *William W. Ferguson*, O2287225, Signal Corps, United States Army. November 1966 to October 1967. *Amended GO 8 69*

Specialist Five *John E. Field*, RA19837936, United States Army. September 1965 to April 1968.

Major *Thomas J. Fisher*, O5407849, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. January 1966 to March 1968.

Specialist Five *Charles M. Galloway*, RA12748554, United States Army. May 1967 to May 1968.

Major *Thomas E. Gillen*, FR57113, United States Air Force. July 1965 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Commander *Jonathan F. Glasscock*, 551029, United States Navy. February 1967 to June 1968.

Captain *George F. Goodall*, FR73271, United States Air Force. July 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Howard P. Goodson*, FR37478, United States Air Force. October 1966 to April 1968.

Specialist Seven *James W. Grant*, RA19535740, United States Army. July 1966 to June 1968.

Major *Willis J. Haas, Jr.*, O82332, Infantry, United States Army. March 1967 to April 1968.

Captain *William F. Hammond*, O5010188, Artillery, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Chesterfield Hargrove, Jr.*, RA13659899, United States Army. January 1967 to May 1968.

Specialist Five *Rudy J. Heimann*, RA15736668, United States Army. December 1965 to July 1968.

Specialist Five *Robert N. Henriques III*, RA14895826, United States Army. November 1965 to April 1968.

Sergeant Major *Edward B. Henry, Jr.*, RA20122824, United States Army. June 1946 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Kenneth K. Hibbs*, O89506, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. August 1966 to July 1968.

First Lieutenant *Larry J. Hill*, O5533553, Finance Corps, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ronald J. Jarvis*, O81463, Signal Corps, United States Army. November 1966 to May 1968.

Master Sergeant *Robert G. Johnston*, RA53153145, United States Army. July 1964 to July 1968.

Major *Helen Kachmar*, L1010685, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. January 1967 to June 1968.

Specialist Five *Joseph J. Kelleher, Jr.*, RA11440714, United States Army. November 1965 to June 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Robert J. Klang*, RA17255510, United States Army. September 1964 to March 1968.

Colonel *Harry K. Lee*, O343582, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army, December 1964 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William T. Leggett, Jr.*, O66361, Infantry, United States Army. July 1965 to January 1968.

Major *Lee C. Lewis*, O4000414, Artillery, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Staff Sergeant *Stephen P. Lewis*, RA11399006, United States Army. September 1966 to April 1968.

First Lieutenant *David R. Lucas*, O5416468, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. September 1966 to June 1968.

Specialist Five *Donald R. Lucas*, RA13829479, United States Army. January 1967 to June 1968.

Major *John E. MacKey*, FR45502, United States Air Force. January 1967 to January 1968.

First Lieutenant *John L. Major, Jr.*, O5420532, Artillery, United States Army. June 1966 to May 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Rene E. Maysonave*, O45650, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. November 1965 to May 1968.

Master Sergeant *George E. McCarthy*, RA12283598, United States Army. February 1957 to November 1961 and December 1962 to June 1968.

Sergeant First Class *John J. McMaines*, RA52231222, United States Army. January 1967 to April 1968.

Captain *James N. Miller*, O5316416, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. October 1966 to July 1968.

Master Sergeant *Raymond D. Moma, Jr.*, RA18185189, United States Army. September 1966 to May 1968.

Major *Daniel Moore, Jr.*, O1935802, Infantry, United States Army. August 1965 to July 1968.

Captain *James A. Muetting*, O995032, Artillery, United States Army. February 1964 to March 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Theodore G. Mulder*, RA16097284, United States Army. June 1967 to July 1968.

Specialist Five *Wayne W. Murawski*, RA15733903, United States Army. February 1966 to May 1968.

Sergeant Major *Cyril Nangle*, RA10675033, United States Army. October 1967 to May 1968.

Captain *Henry W. Neill, Jr.*, O5875327, Finance Corps, United States Army. November 1966 to March 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Raymond H. Neumann*, RA15413606, United States Army. July 1965 to July 1968.

Specialist Five *Joel B. Norville*, US54386680, United States Army. September 1966 to June 1968.

Master Sergeant *John J. O'Brien*, RA12300259, United States Army. April 1961 to March 1968.

Warrant Officer *George K. Orr*, W3101766, United States Army. March 1966 to April 1968.

Master Sergeant *Raymond R. Ostroski*, RA13278460, United States Army. October 1963 to July 1968.

Technical Sergeant *Moses Prather, Jr.*, AF12346837, United States Air Force. March 1967 to January 1968.

Specialist Six *John C. Prescott*, RA19671618, United States Army. November 1967 to March 1968.

Staff Sergeant *Thomas M. Reardon*, RA13839117, United States Army. December 1964 to March 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Atherton Robertson, Jr.*, O57107, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. August 1967 to March 1968.

First Lieutenant *Robert E. Robinette*, O2330575, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. March 1967 to June 1968.

Captain *Nicholas M. Rossi*, O5531886, Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1967 to June 1968.

Sergeant First Class *James A. Rub*, RA18478878, United States Army. October 1966 to December 1967.

Sergeant First Class *Clem J. Shamus, Jr.*, RA13396534, United States Army. April 1967 through April 1968.

Airman First Class *Donald E. Skilinski*, AF12680497, United States Air Force. December 1966 to September 1967.

Master Sergeant *Warren W. Sommerfeld*, RA16315008, United States Army. January 1967 to April 1968.

Specialist Five *Philip A. Stanford*, RA10119672, United States Army. May 1967 to June 1968.

Captain *Perry G. Stokes*, O3052547, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. May 1967 to June 1968.

Captain *Morris G. Strickland*, OF106238, Infantry, United States Army. July 1967 to May 1968.

Major *Ellen P. Talbott*, L308128, Finance Corps, United States Army. July 1963 to May 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Joseph N. Thomas*, RA15260355, United States Army. February 1966 to June 1968.

Lance Corporal *Marcos Vargas, Jr.*, 2334999, United States Marine Corps. November 1967 to December 1967.

Sergeant First Class *Richard C. Wells, Jr.*, RA13265530, United States Army. February 1966 to May 1968.

Specialist Six *Rex C. Whisenand*, RA17388358, United States Army. April 1965 to April 1968.

Major *David G. Wilson*, OF100366, Military Intelligence, United States Army. February 1966 to December 1967.

Captain *Gerald G. Wisz*, O5010481, Artillery, United States Army. February 1967 to April 1968.

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:

Lieutenant Colonel *Thomas E. Adams, Jr.*, O59949, Infantry, United States Army. April 1966 to April 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Herman F. Andrews*, RA16202478, United States Army. February 1966 to April 1968.

Captain *Bohdan A. Barylak*, O95431, United States Army. June 1967 to April 1968.

Sergeant First Class *Robert G. Beier*, RA17245177, United States Army. May 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Roy R. Buckwalter*, O826874, Infantry, United States Army. January 1965 to April 1968.

Colonel *John C. Burney, Jr.*, O27982, Armor, United States Army. September 1966 to January 1968.

Specialist Five *Charles K. Chapman*, RA17725015, United States Army. September 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Louis A. Chateau*, O60236, Artillery, United States Army. December 1966 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Steven S. Crowell*, O65156, Chemical Corps, United States Army. February 1966 to March 1968.

Chaplain (Lieutenant Colonel) *Clayton E. Day*, O71665, United States Army. June 1961 to June 1967.

Lieutenant Colonel *William B. Eaton*, O78814, Chemical Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to May 1968.

Specialist Five *Clarence D. George*, RA14849918, United States Army. May 1967 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert J. Gunning, Jr.*, O64702, Artillery, United States Army. November 1965 to April 1968.

Major *Eldon T. Harris*, O4074818, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to May 1968.

Master Sergeant *Daniel B. Hattaway*, RA18205053, United States Army. March 1966 to March 1968.

Master Sergeant *Aubrey L. Hemby*, RA34970386, United States Army. November 1966 to April 1968.

- Lieutenant Colonel *Clifford W. Hieta*, O78879, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. April 1962 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Edward R. Hindman, Sr.*, O59114, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. November 1965 to March 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Richard M. Jennings*, O58935, Artillery, United States Army. June 1966 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Robert L. Jones*, OF100296, Artillery, United States Army. June 1966 to May 1968.
- Colonel *Robert W. Lane*, O80955, Chemical Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to February 1968.
- Master Sergeant *William E. Lowe*, RA13191090, United States Army. July 1945 to June 1968.
- Sergeant First Class *Wilbur L. Manselle*, RA16422577, United States Army. October 1967 to April 1968.
- Major *Paul P. Mehler*, O97592, Infantry, United States Army. July 1965 to May 1968.
- Captain *Gerald F. Meyer*, O5519050, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. July 1964 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Elswick Newport*, O80153, Transportation Corps, United States Army. October 1967 to July 1968.
- Colonel *John T. Peterson*, O26901, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. June 1967 to May 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Robert D. Proctor*, O1926916, Infantry, United States Army. April 1967 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Ralph H. Sievers, Jr.*, O69337, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. June 1966 to March 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *John H. Thorne*, O36166, Artillery, United States Army. August 1964 to July 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Marion E. Thorpe*, O79503, Infantry, United States Army. April 1967 to June 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *Edwin Webb*, O60575, Artillery, United States Army. November 1965 to December 1967.
- Major *Leon A. Zolnowski*, O4020943, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. September 1966 to July 1968.
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:
- Colonel *Robert E. Archer*, O38344, Artillery, United States Army. July 1965 to April 1968.
- Sergeant Major *Samuel G. Cain*, RA15234515, United States Army. October 1965 to July 1968.
- Major *Leo M. Kosiba*, O88413, Finance Corps, United States Army. April 1967 to May 1968.
- Lieutenant Colonel *William W. Maurer*, O73968, Artillery, United States Army. January 1966 to April 1968.
- Chief Warrant Officer *David C. McFadden*, W2212965, United States Army. March 1967 to July 1968.
- Sergeant Major *James T. Morgan*, RA20543255, United States Army. July 1964 to June 1968.



Lieutenant Colonel *Pascal W. Pascarella*, O81507, Artillery, United States Army. June 1966 to June 1968.

Colonel *Robert N. Starr*, O60351, Artillery, United States Army. June 1967 to June 1968.

Colonel *LeRoy Strong*, O48417, Infantry, United States Army. October 1967 to July 1968.

Major *Roy F. Sullivan*, O77717, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. June 1966 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Porcher L. Taylor*, O76921, Infantry, United States Army. June 1967 to June 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William R. Warren*, O67491, Artillery, United States Army. December 1965 to June 1968.

Sergeant Major *Thomas J. Whitaker*, RA13264256, United States Army. April 1964 to May 1968.

Master Sergeant *Robert E. Woods*, RA16269624, United States Army. November 1966 to June 1968.

Major *Joanelys A. Bizzelle*, L496, Women's Army Corps, United States Army. April 1966 to July 1968. *Amended GO 13, 69*

Major *James R. Graves*, O71195, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. June 1966 to June 1968. *See GO 50, 68*

Lieutenant Colonel *Donald L. Hiebert*, O97132, Infantry, United States Army. January 1967 to April 1968. *Amended GO 33, 69*

Lieutenant Colonel *Pendleton A. Jordan, III*, O65664, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1966 to April 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *William V. Ledford*, O77089, Finance Corps, United States Army. June 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Wallace E. Nickel*, O50695, Artillery, United States Army. October 1967 to July 1968.

Lieutenant Colonel *Allan T. Sylvester II*, O50882, Infantry, United States Army. August 1967 to March 1968.

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

Lieutenant Colonel *Eugene J. Ringel*, O59017, Infantry, United States Army. August 1966 to January 1968.

**XVII. ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL.** 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:

Technical Sergeant *Edward L. Albritton*, AF14293496, United States Air Force. 25 July 1966.

Sergeant *Stephen L. Barnes*, AF19825432, United States Air Force. November 1967 to December 1967.

Major *James L. Baxter*, FV3037782, United States Air Force. January 1968 to February 1968.

Captain *Lawrence E. Cowles*, O2296864, Infantry, United States Army. June 1965 to June 1968.

Sergeant *Claud M. Crow*, AF13842780, United States Air Force. January 1968 to February 1968.

Airman First Class *Jose M. Cruz*, AF15957612, United States Air Force. January 1968 to February 1968.

Specialist Five *Gerald L. Gallant*, RA56376406, United States Army. 8 March 1968.

Airman Second Class *Frederick T. Goldsberry*, AF15626364, United States Air Force. March 1967 to June 1967.

First Lieutenant *Dennis Mangum*, FR83690, United States Air Force. September 1967 to October 1967.

Major *Frederick J. Ottinger*, FV3033950, United States Air Force. 31 January 1968 to 29 February 1968.

Private First Class *Joseph W. Russo*, RA21758844, United States Army. Second week in July 1951.

Major *Gordon Spillinger*, FV3068829, United States Air Force. 6 through 11 November 1967.

Chief Warrant Officer *Wilbur Sunday*, FR954976, United States Air Force. June 9-12 1967.

Specialist Five *Robert B. Tucci*, RA15762790, United States Army. 31 March 1967.

Airman First Class *Leonard L. Woodruff*, AF12980521, United States Air Force. January 1968 to February 1968.

**XVIII. 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:

Captain *Chang Keun Bak*, 227903, Republic of Korea Army. August 1966 to November 1967.

Major *Dagoberto Lopez Gil*, Republic of Columbia Air Force. June 1966 to June 1967.

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:

Captain *Moon Sung Il*, Republic of Korea Marine Corps. August 1966 to May 1967.

**XIX. LEGION OF MERIT. 1.** So much of paragraph 1, section V, General Orders Number 52, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 18 December 1967, as pertains to award of the Legion of Merit to Brigadier General *Glenn J. Collins*, O22687, United States Army, as reads "Legion of Merit" is amended to read "Legion of Merit (Second Oak Leaf Cluster)".

2. So much of paragraph 1, section III, General Orders Number 18, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 24 April 1968, pertaining to award of the Legion of Merit to Colonel *Clarence A. Mette, Jr.*, O32776, Infantry, United States Army, is rescinded.

3. So much of paragraph 1, section V, General Orders Number 38, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 18 September 1967, as pertains to award of the Legion of Merit to Lieutenant Colonel *Edwin S. Townsley*, O59094, Corps of Engineers, United States Army, as reads "Edward" is amended to read "Edwin".

4. So much of paragraph 3, section IV, General Orders Number 7, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 14 February 1968, as pertains to award of the Legion of Merit (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) to Major General *Raymond F. McNally, Jr.*, as reads "O29487, United States Army", is amended to read "O294487, United States Army Reserve (Retired)".

~~XX. **AIR MEDAL.** So much of paragraph 1, section VII, General Orders Number 3, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 23 January 1968, as pertains to award of the Air Medal to Major Adalbert E. Toepel, Jr., O66486, Artillery, United States Army, as reads "Air Medal" is amended to read "Air Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster)".~~

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