

HEADQUARTERS
1ST BRIGADE 101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION
APO San Francisco 96347

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AWARD OF THE ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL FOR HEROISM

1. TC 320. The following AWARD is announced.

LIKELY, JAMES T. PRIVATE FIRST CLASS E3 USA
Co A, 2d Bn, 502d Inf, 1st Bde, 101st Abn Div, APO 96347

Awardee: Army Commendation Medal with "V" Device

Date action: 11 July 1967

Theater: Republic of Viet Nam

Reason: For heroism in connection with military operations against a hostile force: Private Likely distinguished himself by exceptionally valorous actions on 11 July 1967 in the Republic of Viet Nam. While on a search and destroy mission, Private Likely's platoon had just crossed a river and was moving across an open area when they were suddenly brought under a heavy volume of enemy fire. Private Likely, serving as platoon medic, observed that one of his comrades was seriously wounded and lying in an area exposed to intense enemy fire. With complete disregard for his own safety, he rushed through the withering hail of enemy fire to his wounded comrade, quickly administering emergency medical aid and then pulled the man to safety. Private Likely's devotion to duty and personal courage were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service, and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

Authority: By direction of the Secretary of the Army under the provisions of AR 672-5-1.

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