

17TH AVIATION
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS 1ST BRIGADE 101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION
APO San Francisco 96347

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AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL FOR HEROISM

1. TC 320. The following AWARD is announced.

CAMPBELL, CHARLES W. PRIVATE FIRST CLASS E3 USA
HHC, 2d Bn, 502d Inf, 1st Bde, 101st Abn Div, APO 96347
Awarded: Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device First Oak Leaf Cluster
Date action: 19 June 1966
Theater: Republic of Vietnam

Reason: For heroism in connection with military operations against a hostile force: Private First Class Campbell distinguished himself by exceptionally valorous actions on 19 June 1966, near Dak To, Republic of Vietnam. During a routine sweep and destroy mission, the Recondo platoon suddenly received heavy sniper fire from three well hidden Viet Cong positions. Private Campbell, acting without orders, immediately assaulted the general area of the snipers in an effort to quell the murderous fire. Although subjected to intense enemy fire, he continued forward and charged the Viet Cong, killing one with his M-16 rifle and causing two others to flee. He then opened fire, killing one more before his ammunition was expended. Private Campbell'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 President under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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