

COMMANDING OF 11 SUBTACTICAL ZONE

Reference letter No 10b dated 15 Aug 1950, established "The Brave Medal".
Reference decree No 74-b/QT dated: Aug 15, 1950, decided the awarding "The Brave Medal".
Reference Memorandum No 1472/TTL/VP/PCP/3 dated: May 21st 1965, decided the awarding: "The Brave Medal".

CITATION OF SERVICE FIRST DIVISION

CARL V. MOORE - PFC - USA

This veteran soldier always demonstrated the indomitable tradition of a freedom fighter. During Carentan II in Quang Dien from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68, he displayed his courage by opening shock action on the enemy which resulted in 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

JOSEPH D. SILVA - SGT - USA

This excellent squadron leader demonstrated his brave and positive spirit in Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He contributed with his unit to the victory with 2825 V. C. killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

JAMES CARTER - SSG - USA

This man became famous during Carentan II in the 11th Tactical Zone from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. Despite heavy firepower from the enemy, he still fought bravely and achieved bright results for his unit and the 101st Abn Div.

JOHN R. COE - CPT - USA

This excellent officer always demonstrated an indomitable tradition of a freedom fighter, especially at Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. While under heavy enemy firepower he still helped advance the victory.

JOSEPH J. COREY CPT - USA

This company commander came to fight the V. C. to protect freedom in the Republic of Vietnam. During Carentan I from 9 Mar 68 to 31 Mar 68 in Quang Dien district, Thua Thien province, he commanded his soldiers to victory.

JOE K. HALLUM - CPT - USA

This veteran officer demonstrated indomitable spirit for fighting the V. C. in Vietnam. Especially during Carentan II in Thua Thien province from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68, he contributed with his unit to the victory of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

WILLIAM S. RENO - SGT - USA

This excellent squadron leader demonstrated indomitable tradition in the Operation Carentan II, from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He deservingly contributed and brought a bright result to the operation.

GENTIE P. KNAPP - CWO - USA

This valiant officer fought during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in Thua Thien province, and contributed to the victory of his unit.

TOMMY R. BIGGS - SP4 -

USA

He was brave and experienced in Carentan II in Quang Dien, Thua Thien, from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He helped his unit triumph victoriously.

DAVID C. HARPER - SP4 -

USA

This excellent soldier fought bravely to protect freedom in Vietnam. During Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in Thua Thien province, he deservingly contributed to the bright results of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

ROY B. STEELMAN - WO -

USA

This veteran officer demonstrated positive action during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in Thua Thien province. He contributed to the victory of 2825 V. C. killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

WILLIAM E. SAVEDGE - WO -

USA

An exemplary officer, he fought valiantly during Carentan II in Thua Thien from 1 Apr 68 to 31 May 68, to protect freedom in Vietnam. He deservingly contributed to the 101st Abn Div victory.

ROBERT H. UPCHURCH - CPT -

USA

An excellent officer, with much experience, he fought during Carentan II in Thua Thien from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He contributed to the heavy losses of the enemy with 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons captured.

GEORGE W. MEYERS - SP4 -

USA

This brave leader fought to protect Vietnam freedom during Carentan II in Thua Thien from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He contributed to the victory of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

THOMAS D. FERRINGTON - SGT -

USA

This brave squad leader took part in Operation Carentan II in Thua Thien from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He helped his unit kill 2825 V. C., capture 191, and confiscate 764 weapons.

BOBBIE C. STEWART - SSG -

USA

This brave NCO fought to protect freedom in Vietnam at Carentan II north of Hue City. He contributed to the victory of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

EDWARD C. LOPEZ - SP4 -

USA

This experienced team leader demonstrated bravely in Operation Carentan II in Thua Thien from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68, contributing to the victory of 2825 V. C. killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

MICHAEL A. GERRINE - SP4 -

USA

This veteran soldier fought to protect freedom in Vietnam during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in Thua Thien province. He contributed to the victory of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

JAMES P. STEPHENS - SP4 - USA

This exemplary soldier demonstrated a positive service spirit during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in the 11th Tactical Zone. He contributed to the bright results of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

DENNIS L. LINDER - PFC - USA

This veteran soldier demonstrated his bravery fighting during during Carentan I from 9 Mar 68 to 31 Mar 68 in the suburb of Hue City. Despite heavy enemy firepower he still contributed to the victory.

JAMES L. FOLLOWAY - PFC - USA

This brave soldier fought to protect freedom in Vietnam during Carentan II in Quang Dien district from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He demonstrated indomitable traditions of a freedom fighter.

MARIO E. MASON - PVT - USA

This exemplary soldier always demonstrated a high spirit during Carentan II in Hue City from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68. He contributed to the victory of 2825 enemy killed, 19. prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

JAMES Q. SIMMONS - SSG - USA

This excellent NCO fought to protect freedom in Vietnam during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in Thua Thien province. He contributed to the bright results of the operation.

CHARLE T. PARKER - SP4 - USA

This excellent shrewd team leader fought triumphantly for victory at Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 at Thua Thien province. He contributed to the bright results.

VICTOR FEDEROV - SSG - USA

This veteran soldier became famous during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in Thua Thien province. He contributed to the victory of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

ROBERT L. DEMOISEY - SP4 - USA

This exemplary soldier fought to protect freedom in Vietnam at Carentan II in Thua Thien province, from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68, in Hue City. He contributed to the bright results of the victory.

FREDERICK D. BIDDEL - SGT - USA

This squadron sergeant demonstrated his experience and bravery during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in the 11th Tactical Zone. He contributed to the victory with 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

DAVID J. HARPER - SFC - USA

He demonstrated bravery and excellence during Operation Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 in Thua Thien. He contributed to the victory of 2825 enemy killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

ALBERT VITRO JR - SPA -

USA

This brave, experienced, high spirited team leader displayed well during Carentan II from 1 Apr 68 to 17 May 68 at the 11th Division Tactical Area. He contributed to the bright results of the victory.

RONALD LINN - FFC -

USA

This exemplary soldier always demonstrated indomitable tradition of the American soldier in the Republic of Vietnam. During Carentan II in North Hue City, he contributed to the victory with 2825 VC killed, 191 prisoners of war, and 764 weapons confiscated.

THESE ENCLOSED CITATIONS ARE AWARDING THE " GALLANTRY CROSS WITH BRONZE STAR "


AFO 4395 dated 27 August 68

Major General NGO QUANG TRUONG
Commanding General 1st Infantry Division &
11st Division Tactical Area.

Signed and Sealed

Keep for documents:
101st Airborne Division
MACV/1st Infantry Division

" A TRUE TRANSLATION "


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