

Samuel Calvin Martin

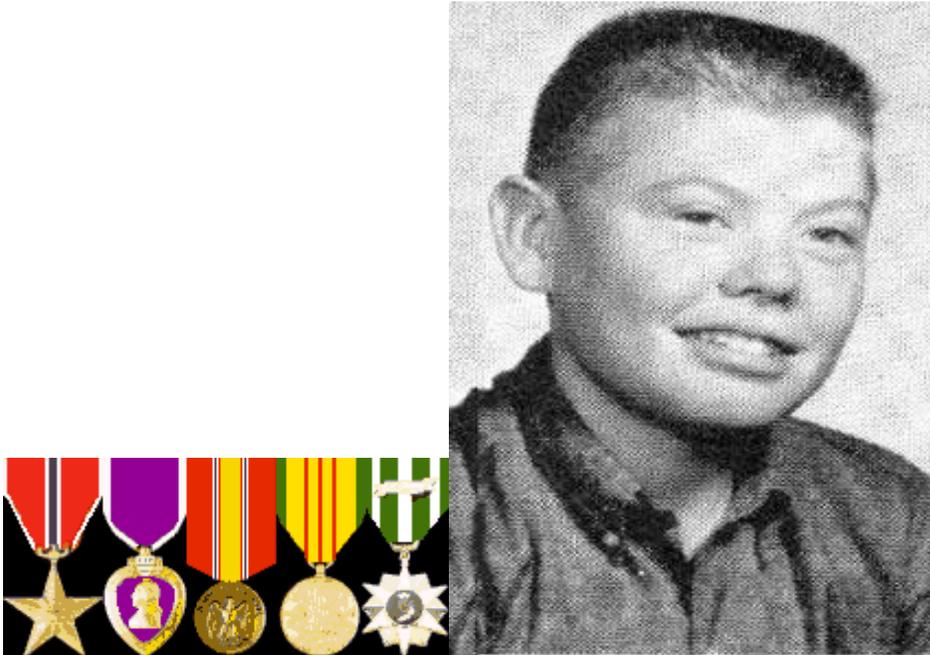
Specialist Five

101ST RR CO, 509TH ASA GROUP, ARMY SEC AGENCY, USARV

Army of the United States

December 22, 1946 to May 17, 1968

[SAMUEL C MARTIN](#) is on the Wall at [Panel 62E, Line 8](#)



CASUALTY DATA:

Start Tour: 04/24/1968
Incident Date: 05/17/1968
Casualty Date: 05/17/1968
Age at Loss: 21
Location: Phuoc Tuy Province, South Vietnam
Casualty Type: Hostile, died outright
Casualty Reason: Ground casualty
Casualty Detail: Other explosive device

Sammy Martin of the 3rd Platoon, 101st RRC, died in Vietnam on May 17th 1968 while acting as a radio man on an infantry sweep by ARVN troops (RF/PF?) commanded by a MACV Major. At the location of an old abandoned French fort someone stepped on a mine (probably American made). The Major was also killed.

Sammy, in addition to a Purple Heart, received an ARCOM – which was later upgraded to a Bronze Star.