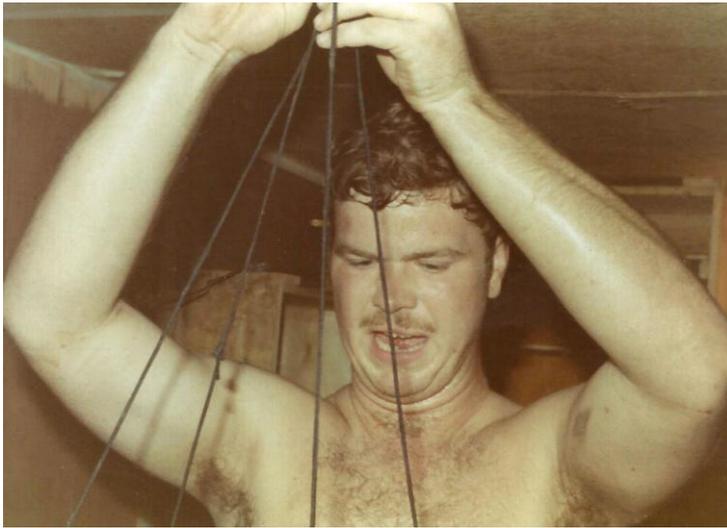


## John Michael (Mike) “Ironman” Randolph



Ironman was a member of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Platoon of the 101<sup>st</sup> RRC from 1969 until 1972.

He and Darryl Stoffer would stay up late and have a midnight meal of whatever was on hand, all mixed together, after which they would reconvene in one of their rooms and talk until the early hours.

Ironman’s death was due to ischemic heart disease, likely caused by

exposure to Agent Orange during his service in Vietnam.

### John Michael Randolph Obituary

Michael Randolph DARLINGTON - John Michael "Mike" Randolph, age 60, of Florence, died Friday, January 29, 2010. Mr. Randolph was born in Hartsville, son of the late Henry Batchelor and Jo Alice McMillan Randolph. He attended the University of South Carolina and enlisted to serve his country in Viet Nam for two years with the United States Army, during which time he served in the Army Security Agency. After being discharged from the Army he joined the Navy for seven years. He was employed as a civilian at the Naval Research Lab near Washington, D. C. and afterwards to a defense contract company for many years. Mike was a member of the Episcopal church. Surviving are his wife, Kay Williamson Randolph of Florence; four siblings: Lee (Sydney) Randolph of Darlington, Russell Randolph of West Yarmouth, Massachusetts, Elizabeth R. Brock (Gary) of Ruby and Josie R. Solomon (Paul) of Pawleys Island; also, a nephew, Henry Fletcher Solomon.