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PERSONAL DATA:

Home of Record: Glenolden, PA
Date of birth: 07/20/1944

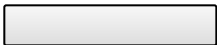
MILITARY DATA:

Service Branch: Army of the United States
Grade at loss: O1
Rank: Second Lieutenant
Promotion Note: None
ID No: 05326939
MOS: 1542: Infantry Unit Commander
Length Service: 02
Unit: 3RD PLT, A CO, 2ND BN, 7TH CAVALRY,
1ST CAV DIV, USARV

CASUALTY DATA:

Start Tour: 06/30/1966
Incident Date: 08/02/1966
Casualty Date: 08/02/1966
Status Date: Not Applicable
Status Change: Not Applicable
Age at Loss: 22
Location: Pleiku Province, South Vietnam
Remains: Body recovered
Repatriated: Not Applicable
Identified: 08/04/1966
Casualty Type: Hostile, died while missing
Casualty Reason: Ground casualty
Casualty Detail: Gun or small arms fire
URL: www.VirtualWall.org/dm/MccarthyHC01a.htm
Data accessed: 9/8/2019

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File Unit: Vietnam Conflict Extract Data File, as of April 29, 2008, 6/8/1956 - 5/28/2006**in the Series:** Defense Casualty Analysis System (DCAS) Extract Files, created ca. 2001 - 4/29/2008, documenting the period 6/28/1950 - 5/28/2006. - *Record Group 330* ([info](#)).**Brief Scope:** This series contains records of U.S. military officers and soldiers who died as a result of either a hostile or non-hostile occurrence or who were missing in action or prisoners of war in either the Korean War or the Vietnam Conflict.You may wish to [View the series-level FAQs](#) or [View the file-level FAQs](#).

Field Title	Value	Meaning
SERVICE NUMBER	05326939	05326939
MEMBER COMPONENT CODE	V	Reserve
PERSON TYPE NAME CODE	L	ACTIVE - GUARD/RESERVE
PERSON TYPE NAME	ACTIVE - GUARD/RESERVE	ACTIVE - GUARD/RESERVE
MEMBER NAME	MCCARTHY HOWARD C JR	MCCARTHY HOWARD C JR
MEMBER SERVICE CODE	A	Army
MEMBER SERVICE NAME	ARMY	ARMY
MEMBER RANK OR RATE	2LT	SECOND LIEUTENANT
MEMBER PAYGRADE	O01	OFFICER
MEMBER OCCUPATION CODE	1542	1542
MEMBER OCCUPATION NAME	INFANTRY UNIT COMMANDER	INFANTRY UNIT COMMANDER
MEMBER BIRTHDATE	19440720	07/20/1944
MEMBER'S GENDER	M	Male
HOME OF RECORD CITY	GLENOLDEN	GLENOLDEN
HOME OF RECORD COUNTY	DELAWARE	DELAWARE
HOME OF RECORD COUNTRY CODE	US	UNITED STATES
HOME OF RECORD STATE CODE	PA	PENNSYLVANIA
STATE OR PROVINCE NAME	PENNSYLVANIA	PENNSYLVANIA
MARITAL NAME	NEVER MARRIED	NEVER MARRIED

RELIGION SHORT NAME	ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH	ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
RELIGION CODE	CR	ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
RACE NAME	WHITE	WHITE
ETHNIC SHORT NAME	NOT SPECIFIED	NOT SPECIFIED
RACE OMB NAME	WHITE	WHITE
ETHNIC GROUP NAME	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN
CASUALTY CIRCUMSTANCES		
CASUALTY CITY		
CASUALTY STATE OR PROVINCE CODE		
CASUALTY COUNTRY/OVER WATER CODE	VS	SOUTH VIETNAM
REGION NAME	ASIA	ASIA
COUNTRY/OVER WATER NAME	SOUTH VIETNAM	SOUTH VIETNAM
MEMBER UNIT	1 CAV DIV AIRMOBILE	1 CAV DIV AIRMOBILE
DUTY CODE	Z	UNKNOWN
PROCESS DATE	19660801	08/01/1966
INCIDENT OR DEATH DATE	19660802	08/02/1966
YEAR OF DEATH [OR INCIDENT]	1966	1966
WAR OR CONFLICT CODE	V	Vietnam Conflict
OPERATION INCIDENT TYPE CODE	C	COMBAT
OPERATION/INCIDENT NAME	VIETNAM CONFLICT	VIETNAM CONFLICT
LOCATION NAME	SOUTHEAST ASIA	SOUTHEAST ASIA
CLOSURE DATE	19660801	08/01/1966
AIRCRAFT TYPE		
HOSTILE OR NON-HOSTILE DEATH INDICATOR	H	Hostile Death
CASUALTY TYPE NAME	DECEASED	DECEASED
CASUALTY CATEGORY	KILLED IN ACTION	KILLED IN ACTION
CASUALTY REASON NAME	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN
CASUALTY CAT. SHORT NAME		
REMAINS RECOVERED	Y	Body Remains Recovered
CASUALTY CLOSURE NAME	REMAINS ACCEPTED - UNKNOWN DISP	REMAINS ACCEPTED - UNKNOWN DISP
VIETNAM WALL ROW AND PANEL INDICATOR	09E 099	09E 099
INCIDENT CATEGORY		
INCIDENT CASUALTY CATEGORY DATE		

INCIDENT CASUALTY CAT. SHORT NAME		
INCIDENT HOSTILE OR INCIDENT NON-HOSTILE DEATH		
INCIDENT AIRCRAFT TYPE		

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Falls Church Resident Killed In Viet Nam

Lt. Howard C. McCarthy, Jr., son of S. Sgt. and Mrs. Howard C. McCarthy, Sr. of Falls Church, is reported killed in action in Viet Nam on August 2. Lt. McCarthy was a paratrooper platoon leader and had been in Viet Nam a little over a month. He was a native of New Jersey and attended the Georgia Institute of Technology before entering the Army in 1964.

Movies at County

Enlargement of George Mason University

George Mason College now has a new, greatly enlarged master site plan, according to Dr. Lorin A. Thompson, chancellor.

The plan provides a blueprint for growth from a small two-year college into a 12,500 student university.

The new plan calls for 600 acres—450 more than the present campus south of Fairfax City. The heart of the new campus would be a 350-acre tract, to be

First Handicapped Graduate

Over 2,100 teenagers have graduated from a summer driver education program in Fairfax County, according to assistant coordinator Edmond Gainszewski.

One handicapped youth, Mike Alexander, who graduated from Lee High School in June, passed with "flying colors" and is the county's first handicapped graduate.

Mike drives a specially equipped hand-control car which he will use to commute between his home in Springfield to

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HONORED ON PANEL 9E, LINE 99 OF THE WALL
HOWARD C MCCARTHY JR

WALL NAME
HOWARD C MCCARTHY JR

PANEL / LINE
9E/99

DATE OF BIRTH
07/20/1944

CASUALTY PROVINCE
PR & MR UNKNOWN

DATE OF CASUALTY
08/02/1966

HOME OF RECORD
GLENOLDEN

COUNTY OF RECORD
Delaware County

STATE
PA

BRANCH OF SERVICE
ARMY

RANK
2LT