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NAME: Alton Darnell WOODRUFF
HOR: La Grange, Georgia
DoB: 08/11/1940 AGE: 28 RACE: Caucasian
BURIAL: BAY MINETTE CEMETERY, BAY MINETTE, AL

SVC NO: 14769038
BRANCH: Army of the United States COMPONENT: Regular
RANK: Staff Sergeant
PAY GRADE: E6 LENGTH OF SVC: 06 (Rounded down)
POSTHUMOUS PROMOTION?
None

MOS: 67V4F = Observation/Scout Helicopter Repairer (Flight Qual)

TOUR BEGAN: 12/07/1968
UNIT: A TRP, 7TH SQDN, 17TH CAVALRY, 1ST AVIATION BDE, USARV

INCIDENT: 04/26/1969 DIED/PFoD: 04/26/1969
GROUP:
EVENT: BY GROUND FIRE 9 KM N-NW OF BU DOP AFLD 19690426

CASCODES: A1-B-6 = Hostile, died outright. Air loss or crash over land. Helicopter - Noncrew.

REMAINS: Body recovered
DATE RECOVERED: N/A IDENTIFIED: N/A
VEHICLE: OH-6A 67-16640
UTM REF: Unknown VHPA UTM: XU942378
COUNTRY: Phuoc Long Province, South Vietnam

KNOWN AWARDS: Purple Heart. Air Medal. Standard Service and Campaign medals.

SOURCES: DA2496 (RMN 68); VHPA OH-6A 67-16640 UTM XU342378 probably "942" rather than "342" -

WALL LOCATION: 26W 058
Last change to record on 12/01/2010

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