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NAME: Phillip Gerald WRIGHT  
HOR: Ashland, Kentucky  
DoB: 09/06/1943 AGE: 26 RACE: Caucasian  
BURIAL: ASHLAND CEMETERY, ASHLAND, KY

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SVC NO: 407605008  
BRANCH: Army of the United States COMPONENT: Reserve  
RANK: Warrant Officer  
PAY GRADE: W1 LENGTH OF SVC: \*\* (Rounded down)  
POSTHUMOUS PROMOTION?  
None

MOS: 100B = Utility/Observation Helicopter Pilot

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TOUR BEGAN: 06/23/1970  
UNIT: A TRP, 7TH SQDN, 17TH CAVALRY, 1ST AVIATION BDE, USARV

INCIDENT: 07/21/1970 DIED/PFoD: 07/21/1970  
GROUP:  
EVENT: OH-6A SHOT DOWN 17 KM NORTHEAST OF PLEIKU CITY 19700721

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 66-07860  
UTM REF: Unknown VHPA UTM: AR887606  
COUNTRY: Pleiku Province, South Vietnam

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

SOURCES: DA2496 (RMN 69), observer; VHPA OH-6A 66-07860 - OH-6A 67-16311 also shot down, no deaths.

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WALL LOCATION: 08W 041  
Last change to record on 03/31/2013

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