JOHN PAUL CULP

JOHN PAUL CULP is honored on Panel 36E, Row 68 of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

Full Name:	JOHN PAUL CULP
Wall Name:	JOHN P CULP
Date of Birth:	5/10/1942
Date of Casualty:	2/2/1968
Home of Record:	LANCASTER
County of Record:	LANCASTER COUNTY
State:	SC
Branch of Service:	ARMY
Rank:	2LT
Casualty Country:	SOUTH VIETNAM
Casualty Province:	KONTUM

2LT Culp was assigned to Battery B, 4th Battalion, 42nd Artillery, 4th Infantry Division. He was killed in action while serving as a Forward Observer with Company D, 1st Battalion, 22nd Infantry.

CULP HN PAUL JO 20 LT COC 42 ARTY 4 TETNAM EB 2 1968 MAY 10 1942

Buried at Lancaster Memorial Park, Lancaster, South Carolina

Class 5-67

A good friend and great leader.

I served as Lt. Culp's RTO, (radio, telephone operator), and was on R&R when he was killed. I was in the field with him for several months. A better officer I never knew. God bless him and his family.

Posted by: Mike Stevens Relationship: We served together July 30, 2010

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Young Lions

As FO for Charlie Company, I was very near John, the day he was wounded, in Kontum. John and I went through OCS together and were very good friends. His loss broke my heart. John was an outstanding officer. We did our best and loved every minute we spent with our comrades. It was the luck of the draw who made it out. Anyone near John was lucky to have him on their team. Only those that trooped the highlands loaded down as we were could understand the special bond those conditions forged. Good job, brother.

Rick Lindsay Fellow FO. 59, Rivendell Road, Sylva, NC., 28779, USA September 09, 2005

