

★ Remembrances On This Day ★

May 8

"All gave some. These gave all."

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KIAs — May 8



Gilbert Bush

Second Lieutenant Gilbert Byron Bush FA 1-65 died from gun or small arms fire 8 May 1968 while serving with A Btry, 2nd Bn, 17th Artillery, I Field Force, RVN. He had been in country 124 Days.



Joe Carrillo

First Lieutenant Joe Carrillo, Jr IN 17-67 died from burns 8 May 1968 while serving with C Co, 3rd Bn, 39th Infantry, 9th Infantry Division, RVN. For action on this date he was awarded the Silver Star. He had been in country 67 Days.



David Rodman

Captain David B Rodman FA 8-64 died from a helicopter non crew air loss 8 May 1968 while serving with Hq & Svc Btry, 2nd Bn, 40th Artillery, 199th Infantry Brigade, RVN. For action on this date he was awarded the Silver Star. He had been in country 181 Days.



Woodroe Warth

First Lieutenant Woodroe Warren Warth AR 10-67 died from gun or small arms fire 8 May 1968 while serving with I Trp, 3rd Sqdn, 11th Armored Cavalry, RVN. He had been in country 53 Days.



Gary Frasher

First Lieutenant Gary D Frasher IN 518-68 died from a helicopter crew air loss 8 May 1970 while serving with A Co, 25th Avn Bn, 25th Infantry Division, RVN. He had been in country 49 Days.



Robert Mincey

Captain Robert Earle Mincey IN 63-67 died from multiple fragmentation wounds 8 May 1970 while serving with A Co, 3rdn, 8th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division, RVN. He had been in country 151 Days.

Valor Awards — May 8



Craig Chamberlain

◆ DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS ◆

Captain Craig R Chamberlain IN 4-59 was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for actions on 8 May 1967 while serving with Detachment A-110, 5th Special Forces Group (Airborne), 1st Special Forces, RVN. He was inducted into the OCS Hall of Fame in 2024.

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