★ Remembrances On This Day ★

July 12

"All gave some. These gave all."

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DICs — July 12

Brian Rushton

Captain Brian Wayne Rushton IN 7-64 died of hostile small arms fire while listed as missing on 12 July 1967 while serving with Company B, 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division, RVN. He had 34 days in country.

Gaylord Nootz

Second Lieutenant Gaylord Eugene Nootz IN 1-67 died of hostile small arms fire 12 July 1967 while serving with Company B, 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division, RVN. He had 40 days in country.

Ralph Bray

Captain Ralph Oscar Bray, Jr. IN 8-64 died from a hostile explosive device on 12 July 1969 while serving with Company C, 1st Battalion, 52nd Infantry, 198th Infantry Brigade, Americal Division, RVN. He had 26 days in country.

Michael De Masi

First Lieutenant Michael Armond De Masi IN 17-69 died from a non-combat accident on 12 July 1970 while serving with Company C, 2nd Battalion, 22nd Infantry, 25th Infantry Division. He had 226 days in country.

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Gail Lee

Hubert Miller

✦ DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS ✦

First Lieutenant Hubert G Miller IN 79A-42 received the Distinguished Service Cross for actions on 12 July 1944 while serving as the commander, Company I, 3rd Battalion, 358th Infantry, 90th Infantry Division, La Valaisserie, France. He was inducted into the OCS Hall of Fame in 1968.

Charles Stapleton

Ward Neville

✦ DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS ✦

First Lieutenant Ward Orville Neville EN 27-43 was posthumously awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for actions 11 August 1950 while serving Company B, 3d Engineer Combat Battalion, 24th Infantry Division in Korea. He was also awarded a Silver Star for actions on 12 July 1950 near Chongju, Korea and a Bronze Star Medal for actions on 8 July 1950 near Chochiwon, Korea.

Fred Bragg

✦ DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS ✦

First Lieutenant Fred Garland Bragg, Jr. FA 10-65 was posthumously awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for actions on 12 July 1967 while serving with Battery B, 4th Battalion, 42nd Field Artillery, 4th Infantry Division, RVN. He had 354 days in country. He was inducted into the OCS Hall of Fame in 2024.

Gary Rasser

✦ DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS ✦

Second Lieutenant Gary Vene Rasser IN 20-66 received the Distinguished Service Cross for actions on 12 July 1967 while serving with Company B, 1st Battalion, 12th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division, RVN. He was inducted into the OCS Hall of Fame in 2024.