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NAME:

JOSEPH BERNARD MURPHY

BRANCH OF SERVICE AND SERIAL/SERVICE NUMBER(S):

U.S. ARMY SN: 2207836

DATES OF SERVICE:

March 26, 1951 - December 31, 1977

DUTY STATUS:

RETIRED

RANK/GRADE:

COLONEL

SALARY:

NA

SOURCE OF COMMISSION:

BY DIRECTION OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

PROMOTION SEQUENCE NUMBER:

NA

ASSIGNMENTS AND GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATIONS:

SEE ATTACHED

MILITARY EDUCATION:

SEE ATTACHED

DECORATIONS AND AWARDS:

SEE ATTACHED

TRANSCRIPT OF COURT-MARTIAL TRIAL:

NOT IN FILE

PHOTOGRAPH:

NOT AVAILABLE

PLACE OF ENTRY:

FT. HOOD, TX

PLACE OF SEPARATION:

FT. MYER, VA

FOR DECEASED VETERAN ONLY

PLACE OF BIRTH

DATE OF DEATH

LOCATION OF DEATH

PLACE OF BURIAL

NOTE: N/A denotes information is not available in the veteran's records

EFFECTIVE DATE	MOS	DUTIES PERFORMED	ORGANIZATION ABBREVIATION AND LOCATION	ACTIVITY DAYS	REPORT
510126	Comd IN	Res Ir SR ROTC			
510326	0001	Dy unasgd	HO TIC Ft Benning GA		
510403	2136	Unit Off Non-Fact	HFC/TSR Ft Benning, GA		
510627	2700	DS w/101st Co 2d Stu Rept Stu Off	HFC/TSR Ft Benning, GA		
511018	2136	Unit Off Non-Fact	HFC/TSR Ft Benning, GA		
520310	2700	Stu Off	8147 AU FECON		
520403	1542	Plt Ldr	Co L 32d IN FECON		
520718	2162	Asst S-3 Off	HO Co 3d Bn 32d IN FECON		
521001	1542	Co Comdr	Co K 32d IN FECON		
521020	0003	Patient	25th Evac Hosp, FECON		
521003	0003	Patient	382d GH Japan		
530118	2162	Tng Off w/dy C3 DS w/HQ 37th IN Div	Co F 145th IN Regt, Cp Polk LA		
530808	2162	Tng Off	HQ 37th IN Div, Cp Polk LA		
530810	2162	Asst C-3	HQ 37th IN Div, Cp Polk LA		
530830	2030	Aide-de-Camp	HQ 37th IN Div, Cp Polk, LA		
540615	2030	Aide-de-Camp	HQ 10th IN Div, Ft Riley, KS		
550511	1542	Exec Off	Co K 85th IN, Ft Riley, KS		
550711	1542	Co Comdr	Co K 85th IN, Ft Riley, KS		
551130	1542	Co Comdr	Co K 85th IN USAREUR		
570102	1542	Co Comdr	Co M 85th IN USAREUR		
570715	1542	Co Comdr	Co D 2d Bat Gp 15th IN USAREUR		
580625	1542	Co Comdr	Co D 2d Bat Gp 9th IN Ft Benning, GA		
580705	2162	Asst S-3	Hq Co 2d Bat Gp 9th IN Ft Benning, GA		
580813	0001	Dy Unasg	1st Co 1st Stu Bn TSB Ft Benning, GA		
580828	0006	Stu O (Adv #2)	1st Co 1st Stu Bn TSB Ft Benning, GA		
590607	2517	Asst PMS	USA Instr Unit (ROTC) Dallas-HS(4383), Dallas, TX		
620212	1542	SDC Tr Div Tng Sec (Cinsgcy)	MAAG (9787) Vietnam		
620424	1542	Civ Cd & Self Def Corps Reg Adv	MAAG (9787) Vietnam		
621213	1542	Bien Hoa III Corps (Cinsgcy) CG SDC Reg Adv Bien Hoa III Corps (Cinsgcy)	MAAG (9787) Vietnam		
630311	81542	Area Orient Instr (IDY USASMS)	HQ 1st USA (1200) (SGS Sec) Governors Island, NY		
630611	2011	ASGS	HO 1st USA (IA-1200) Gov Isl, NY		
641101	2260	Act Off Svc Br ODCSPER	HQ 1st USA (IA-1200) Gov Isl, NY		
641123	2011	ASGS	HQ 1st USA (IA-1200) Gov Isl, NY		
641201	2011	SGS	HQ 1st USA (IA-1200) Gov Isl, NY		
650819	0006	Stu Off (C&GS-250-A-2C)	Stu Det USACGEC (5025) Ft Leavenworth, KS		
660706	2162	Ch Nuc B, Gens Div, HQ AFNORTH	HQ USA ELM AFNORTH (SD-6223-5F) AFO NY 09085		
680102	2162	Ch Nuc Br, Opns Div, HQ AFNORTH	HQ USA ELM AFNORTH, Oslo, Norway		

SECTION II - CLASSIFICATION AND ASSIGNMENT DATA (Continued)

PILOT RATINGS		CURRENT		DATE	
ORIGINAL	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE	DATE
FLYING STATUS <input type="checkbox"/> CONT					
INSTRUMENT CERTIFICATION					
INTERNSHIPS, RESIDENCIES AND FELLOWSHIPS <input type="checkbox"/> CONT					
HOSPITAL					
TYPE OR SERVICE MONTHS YEAR					
HOSPITAL/TEACHING APPOINTMENTS AND PRIVATE PRACTICE <input type="checkbox"/> CONT					
FROM	THRU	INSTITUTION/LOCATION	TYPE	DURAT	DATE

SECTION III - SERVICE, TRAINING AND OTHER DATES

APPOINTMENTS AND REDUCTIONS		DATE OF ELIG/RANK		SUBJECT	
GRADE	COMP	EFFECTIVE DATE	DATE OF ELIG/RANK	SUBJECT	DATE
2LT	USAR			ATP 21-114 (BCT)	
2LT	AUS			Geneva-Hague Conventions	780780
2LT	RA			Military Justice	700786
1LT	AUS			Benefits of Honorable Discharge	
1LT	RA				
CPT	AUS				
CPT	RA				
MAJ	AUS				
Dt1 GSWT 630611 HQ 1A term 650726					
MAJ	RA				
LTC	AUS				
Dt1 GSWT 671213 HQAFNORTH term690804					
BASIC ENLISTED SERVICE					
DATE (BEST) <input type="checkbox"/> CONT					
TIME LOST (Sec 972, Title 10, USC) <input type="checkbox"/> CONT					
FROM	THRU	DAYS	REASON		

SECTION IV - PERSONAL AND FAMILY DATA

PHYSICAL STATUS		PLACES OF BIRTH AND CITIZENSHIP	
HEIGHT	WEIGHT	GLASSES	SELF
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	SPOUSE
DATE OF EXAM		CITIZENSHIP OF SPOUSE	
24. NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS		HOME OF RECORD/ADDRESS	
ADULT CHILDREN		HOR:	
26. CIVILIAN OCCUPATION			
JOB TITLE: Professional Soldier			
DOT CODE: 378.000			
CRITICAL OCCUPATION <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
DUTIES PERFORMED			
EMPLOYER			

DECORATIONS AND AWARDS:

NATIONAL DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL (1 OLC) / ARMED FORCES EXPEDITIONARY MEDAL // PURPLE HEART / COMBAT INFANTRY BADGE (2nd Award) / UNITED NATIONS SERVICE MEDAL / KOREAN SERVICE MEDAL / ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL (1 OLC) / ARMY OCCUPATION MEDAL / JOINT SERVICE COMMENDATION MEDAL / BRONZE STAR MEDAL / HAZARDOUS SERVICE MEDAL / AIR SERVICE MEDAL / VIETNAM SERVICE MEDAL (3 Svc Stars) / ARMED FORCES HUMANITARIAN MEDAL / NATIONAL SECURITY MEDAL / REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM CROSS OF GALLANTRY w/Palm / OVERSEAS SERVICE BARS (4) / EXPERT BADGE (Rifle) / SHARPSHOOTER BADGE (Pistol)

LIEUTENANT COLONEL JOSEPH B. MURPHY, [REDACTED], INFANTRY, United States Army, distinguished himself by meritorious service while assigned as Commanding Officer of 2d Battalion, 3d Basic Combat Training Brigade, United States Army Training Center Engineer and Fort Leonard Wood, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, during the period 13 September 1969 to 30 July 1970. Over this period, Lieutenant Colonel Murphy produced notably outstanding results, winning eleven Commanding General's Outstanding Training Company Awards out of three training cycles. This superior record was a direct result of his untiring efforts. He involved himself directly with all phases of training in the units, personally inspecting every training company daily. During his first cycle as commander, he underwent and successfully passed the Annual General Inspection, though critically short of personnel, by literally working day and night and personally supervising every phase of preparation. His superior efforts were again noted when his battalion was given special recognition at the completion of the Command Maintenance Management Inspection as being one of the top battalions in the brigade. The exceptionally meritorious service rendered by Lieutenant Colonel Murphy was in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflects the utmost credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

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