

Biographical Data Form

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Veteran Civilian MICHAEL B. LAYTON

Place of Birth ORANGE, CA Birth Date 1/42 /year

Race/Ethnicity (optional) _____ Male Female

Branch of Service or Wartime Activity U.S. ARMY

Commissioned Enlisted Drafted Service dates 3/10/66 to 2/20/69

Highest Rank 1ST LIEUTENANT

Unit, Division, Battalion, Group, Ship, etc. (Do not abbreviate.) CHARLEY BATTERY,
6TH BATTALION, 84TH ARTILLERY

War, operation, or conflict served in VIETNAM

Locations of military or civilian service BASIC & ADVANCED TRAINING AT FT. ORD;
OCS AT FT. SILL; COMBAT TRAINING AT FT. IRWIN; COMBAT IN VIETNAM

Battles/campaigns (please name) MY UNIT FOUGHT IN THE GREAT RAIN
HIGHLANDS IN SUPPORT OF 4TH AVN DIVISION, 173RD AIRBORNE,
MULTIPLE ARVN UNITS BOTH THE WHITE HORSE & TIGER FORCES

Medals or special service awards. If so, please list (be as specific as possible):
US NATIONAL DEFENSE, VIETNAM SERVICE, VIETNAM
CAMPAIGN 1968, BRONZE STAR

Special duties/highlights/achievements FIRE DIRECTION OFFICER FOR MAX
BATTERY FROM SUMMER OF 67 TO JUNE OF 68, THEN PROMOTED
TO EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF MY BATTERY SERVING UNTIL 2/17/69

Was the veteran a prisoner of war? Yes No

Did the veteran or civilian sustain combat or service-related injuries? Yes No

Interviewer (if applicable) _____

(Please use reverse for any additional biographical information.)

Additional Service History Information

Branch of Service or Wartime Activity _____

Commissioned Enlisted Drafted Service dates _____ to _____

Highest Rank _____

Unit, Division, Battalion, Group, Ship, etc. (Do not abbreviate.) _____

War, operation, or conflict served in _____

Locations of military or civilian service _____

Battles/campaigns (please name) _____

Medals or special service awards. If so, please list (be as specific as possible): _____

Special duties/highlights/achievements _____

Was the veteran a prisoner of war? Yes No

Did the veteran or civilian sustain combat or service-related injuries? Yes No

Additional Biographical Information

I RECEIVED THE BRONZE STAR FOR "MERITORIOUS SERVICE IN GROUND OPERATIONS AGAINST HOSTILE FORCES" IN VIETNAM FROM MARCH 1968 TO FEBRUARY 1969