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[17:00:51.07]

aerial view of ships in water, mountains, city

[17:01:26.05]

shoreline, convoy near landing strip, landing strip at airport, Marine helicopters

[17:01:50.02]

looking out of helicopter as it takes off, flying over base, city

[17:02:12.19]

soldier walking down path on base, walking up to building, guard salutes

[17:02:28.22]

soldier talking to camera

[17:02:41.26]

map of Vietnam--pointer points to 17th parallel, points to 4 areas of Vietnam,

[17:03:19.01]

zoom in to I Corps area on map,

[17:03:36.21]

map of I Corps area

[17:03:53.29]

zoom to DaNang area, points to Chu Lai

[17:04:22.02]

points to Hue Fu Bai base, points to all three bases

[17:04:47.07]

talking to camera

[17:05:01.04]

jeep drives down road, soldiers sitting on sandbags, tents set up in jungle, soldier cleaning weapon

[17:05:27.15]

group of soldiers around tents, cleaning weapons, smoking, moving through field

[17:05:46.25]

crossing stream, soldier falls backward from edge of stream, soldier looking at brush on the ground, walking through jungle vegetation

[17:06:11.19]

soldier steps off path, pulls foot back, removes branches to expose broken spiked board

[17:06:35.19]

some kind of booby trap (?), soldier finds trip wire, soldier trips wire, uncovers hole in ground under woven mat

[17:07:01.10]

soldiers walking in area with bamboo, explosion right next to soldier

[17:07:21.00]

truck drives down road, soldiers walk past, soldiers search village

[17:08:04.04]

man holding piece of paper, turns it over, Vietnamese villagers sitting on ground

[17:08:25.14]

soldiers moving captured Viet Cong soldiers, soldiers in group walking

[17:08:40.16]

climbing on helicopter, helicopter takes off

[17:08:59.23]

helicopter lands, soldier get out, run across rice patty, bandage injured soldier

[17:09:27.08]

soldiers climb into trench filled with water, climb out, run through an opening in hill, gunfire, shooting

[17:09:47.12]

soldier on phone, howitzer being shot off, incoming gunfire

[17:10:04.07]

explosion in distance, moving through high grass, explosions, shooting, fire in vegetative area

[17:10:23.18]

group of soldiers carrying injured soldier, put him in helicopter, helicopter takes off

[17:10:41.05]

helicopters on airstrip landing and taking off

[17:11:01.28]

helicopter flies over landed helicopter on ground, motor (?) being transported, loading mortar onto helicopter

[17:11:25.12]

unloading boxes from helicopter

[17:11:37.24]

helicopter places howitzer in combat area

[17:11:44.04]

black

[17:11:49.28]

view of helicopters in field from inside helicopter, ship in water carrying helicopters, landing on ship

[17:12:20.00]

soldiers climbing aboard helicopter on ship

[17:12:30.26]

looking at star on helicopter, helicopter takes off, soldiers climb up stairs to landing deck, run to board helicopter

[17:13:03.18]

helicopter takes off from ship deck, soldiers inside helicopter, shot of another helicopter from gunner's POV, aerial view of helicopters flying

[17:13:30.29]

landing craft, troops landing on beach

[17:13:54.15]

soldiers disembarking from troop transport boats, wade through water

[17:14:07.08]

view of beach with Marines in distance, soldiers running through sand

[17:14:15.28]

helicopter lands, soldiers jump out, moving through the jungle

[17:14:44.06]

soldiers on patrol in water

[17:15:11.17]

soldiers in jungle

[17:15:50.16]

moving through jungle, gunfire, shooting,

[17:16:04.02]

soldiers shooting, wearing camo helmets, gunfire, hunkered down in trench

[17:16:19.24]

plane drops bomb, explosion

[17:16:34.12]

black

[17:16:39.18]

soldier gesturing at map, CU of hand writing on small pad, commander looks at watch while talking,  
group gets up out of chairs in briefing room

[17:16:56.28]

soldiers attach bombs to aircraft, jet preparing for take off, taxiing

[17:17:28.03]

jet on airstrip, takes off, soldiers run out of building on base

[17:17:47.25]

climb into jets, taxi, take off, flying in formation

[17:18:22.29]

jets flying in formation, soldier on field phone (on ground) looks at jets flying overhead dropping bombs

[17:18:47.14]

aerial view of bomb being dropped and exploding

[17:19:01.21]

jets in formation drop bombs at same time, aerial view of explosions, bomb sight

[17:19:21.16]

jet flies, bombs, explosions

[17:19:29.15]

black

[17:19:34.17]

jet landing on air strip, pulled back by tether, aerial view of shoreline

[17:20:00.05]

machine grading sand, laying air strip

[17:20:33.26]

securing strips

[17:20:46.06]

jet takes off, tether on ground, soldier turning knob on generator

[17:21:06.08]

piled sandbags around??, men walking over hoses,

[17:21:20.05]

black

[17:21:25.16]

pan of ships docked on shoreline, crates of grenades, pile of mortar, moving cargo with a crane,

[17:21:56.25]

frying meat on mess line, soldiers eating, sign "Dia Loc Expressway Speed Limit Daytime 25, night unlimited, Big Q 9th Engineer B, Interstate 5", tractor moving through mud

[17:22:24.05]

sawing wood, building a bridge, soldiers on tracked vehicle bulldozing vegetation

[17:23:03.10]

sweeping road with metal detector, laying booby traps

[17:23:24.27]

black

[17:23:26.03]

sailor moving cylinder on ship deck, sailor adjusting valve, cleaning window of plane, moving bomb to loading area, loading ammo, screwing something on propeller, prepping plane

[17:23:53.15]

loading bomb, securing weapons, working on plane

[17:24:33.28]

airman climbs up to plane, CU sailor on deck, handing helmet to pilot, putting helmet on, helicopter flies over deck of ship

[17:24:57.18]

rolling plane out on deck, shot of "Rescue" painted on plane, signalman

[17:25:17.00]

jets take off, aerial shot of aircraft carrier, battleship

[17:25:41.17]

moving artillery and bombs to storage area, soldiers walk past picture on wall, place hand on it, enter room, shut door

[17:26:18.05]

briefing room with map on wall, soldiers report, officer gestures at map

[17:26:51.06]

moving bomb on flight deck, loading bomb, adjusting something on plane

[17:27:10.09]

fueling plane, preparing for flight, CU fueling, adjusting valve

[17:27:40.17]

loading bombs,

[17:28:06.02]

flight crew walks out on deck, signalman,

[17:28:25.27]

jets take off (numerous angles)

[17:28:44.09]

aerial view of plane dropping bombs, explosion

[17:29:12.09]

plane flying over populated area, drops bomb

[17:29:51.13]

aerial view of populated area, bomb explodes

[17:29:56.00]

black

[17:29:59.28]

sailboat on water, transport boat, swift boat, junk boat with two men on it

[17:30:29.06]

maps-South Vietnam, Da Nang, Qui Nhon, Nha Trang, Vung Tau

[17:30:52.22]

planes flying over water

[17:31:26.15]

pilot silhouetted against sky, crew, aerial view of river, inside plane

[17:31:39.13]

battleship sailing, swift boat, Vietnamese boat alongside US boat

[17:32:10.10]

searching Vietnamese boat, looking under hatches

[17:32:34.20]

flag in FG, junk sailing, pulling up next to junk

[17:32:56.04]

checking paperwork of Vietnamese on junk, looking in hatches, searching boat

[17:33:19.04]

soldier writing on clipboard, checking paperwork of Vietnamese on boat, Vietnamese man on boat

[17:33:40.09]

looking down at junk, battleship

[17:33:51.10]

black

[17:33:55.03]

loading ammo into gun, teaching Vietnamese soldier to spin tank turret

[17:34:45.12]

ships in harbor, sailors sitting on deck, transporting soldiers in boat, sailor with gun, boat passes by

[17:35:16.29]

soldiers check map, talk on phone, shot of soldier looking down, pointing at map, docked boat

[17:35:47.22]

soldiers disembarking, wade into water

[17:36:06.12]

soldiers moving through field

[17:36:10.29]

black

[17:36:14.11]

sailor checking scope, sailor releasing ammo?, talking into mic,

[17:36:46.02]

weapons handed out from inside ship, pile of weapons,

[17:37:18.02]

looking through scope, shooting from boat

[17:37:52.24]

black

[17:37:54.24]

signalman, helicopter rotor spinning, pilot, tail blade spinning, signalman, helicopter takes off, flies away

[17:38:19.09]

pilot from inside helicopter, aerial of river, gunner, river, crewman inside helicopter, footage repeats

[17:38:44.16]

aerial view of water, shore, helicopter flying, gunner looking out, pilot

[17:39:04.11]

helicopter flies along shoreline dragging a line, pilot, shoreline

[17:39:19.23]

soldier is lowered into water, rocky shoreline

[17:39:45.12]

soldier swimming, shore, pilot in helicopter, soldier reaches shore

[17:40:03.28]

inside helicopter, swimmer opens raft

[17:40:39.22]

pan of rocky shoreline, two soldiers swim with raft,

[17:41:14.10]

helicopter, soldier floating in water, pulled to helicopter

[17:41:52.18]

pulling soldier from water

[17:42:08.20]

rock face, helicopter flies off, aircraft carrier sailing

[17:42:22.26]

black

[17:42:23.18]

soldiers searching village, Vietnamese on beach cutting up pig, cooking pot with pig head

[17:42:48.13]

butchering pig, Vietnamese repairing nets on beach, sewing, harbor with ships docked

[17:43:10.19]

junks, hut with people outside, weighing fish, woman cooking dog looks on, chicks run past

[17:43:35.17]

little girl carries water, woman follows with more water, soldiers talk to group of villagers, women holding children, medic cleaning ears of crying baby

[17:44:02.24]

shots of villagers standing around, soldier bandages toddler's leg,

[17:44:18.06]

soldiers in formation, salute, checking weapons

[17:44:45.13]

soldiers walking, climb into canoe, paddle in water, two canoes moving down river

[17:45:06.08]

soldier and boy carry dirt on litter, dump into pile, jeep driving away with group following

[17:45:18.15]

soldier carrying dirt, shoveling, soldier and villager unloading dirt from back of jeep, soldiers washing child

[17:45:38.00]

mom and soldier giving baby a bath, soldier teaching women to read, group of women reading at table

[17:46:02.26]

two men looking at paper on table, soldier looking at baby's torso

[17:46:14.29]

black

[17:46:19.09]

soldier bandaging injured soldier's arm, bandaging leg, cleaning foot, injured soldier's face, cleaning arm

[17:46:57.20]

group of medics bandaging fallen soldier, carrying soldiers to helicopter, carrying into tent

[17:47:22.14]

light in surgery tent, masked doctor, handing instruments, bag inflating, doctor, handing instruments, anesthetist, light, putting cast on leg in traction

[17:47:51.19]

hospital boat, helicopter lands, deck, unloading soldier, carrying stretcher to doctor

[17:48:25.12]

lab tech prepping slide, looking under microscope, nurse puts chart in rack, smoke stack of hospital ship with red cross

[17:48:50.12]

altar with cross and communion chalice, group singing hymn, praying, chaplain praying (outside)

[17:49:28.03]

worship service inside tent, group praying, sitting on benches praying

[17:49:51.09]

soldiers walking around, take black tarp off body, carrying dead body to helicopter, helicopter takes off

[17:50:36.28]

OTS to freeze frame of soldier writing in diary (with VO)

[17:51:29.19]

soldier wearing life jacket writing letter (freeze frame with VO)

[17:52:45.15]

soldier in tent writing (freeze frame with VO)

[17:53:28.12]

soldier opening box, soldiers taking packages out of truck, passing them along, soldiers marching in jungle, sailors turn valve, soldier shaving in the field, gunner looks out door of helicopter, soldier in trench with letter

[17:53:53.24]

soldiers in field, soldier on field phone, medic examining group of villagers, soldiers interact with children, sailors sweeping water off the deck, soldiers washing clothes in stream, take bath in stream

[17:54:23.22]

soldier standing tall, looking out of binoculars, climbing onto helicopter on aircraft carrier, playing with children on beach, worship service outside, soldiers wading through stream, walking on jungle path

[17:54:52.12]

CUs of soldiers and sailors, soldier shoots gun, more close ups

[17:55:26.00]

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