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PROUD VVA MEMBER

MEMORIAL SERVICE

10 August 1969

1930 Hours

PRELUDE

*PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS

*NATIONAL ANTHEM

MEMORIAL TRIBUTE

CPT James M. Lewis

MEMORIAL PRAYER

Chaplain

SCRIPTURE READING

MEMORIAL ADDRESS

Chaplain

BENEDICTION

TAPS

*RETURN OF THE COLORS

*Congregation Standing

589TH ENGINEER BATTALION (CONSTRUCTION)
LTC Donald A. Ramsay, Battalion Commander
James E. Rogers, Battalion Chaplain

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In Memory

SSG Jessie J. Tyler, Co D, 589th Engineer Bn., was born 25 December 1931 at Neeses, S.C. He died on 8 August 1969 of wounds received during an enemy attack. He had attended Sand Hill School at Neeses, S.C.

SSG Tyler entered the Army on 13 Feb 1953 and received an Honorable Discharge two years later. He re-enlisted in May 1955 and has served continuously since that time. His duty assignments include the following engineer battalions: 577th, 87th, 70th, 864th, 92nd, 538th, 75th, and the 589th. His awards and decorations include the Good Conduct Medal, the National Defense Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Vietnamese Service Medal.

SSG Tyler is survived by his wife and two children of Columbia South Carolina. He was a Baptist.

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Sp/5 Freddie M. Sherlin, Co D, 589th Engineer Bn., was born 6 July 1948 at Athens, Tenn. He died on 8 August 1969 as a result of wounds received during an enemy attack. He had attended Ingliside Grammar School and McMinn County High School.

Sp/5 Sherlin entered the Army in May 1967 at Fort Benning, Georgia. He was assigned to Co D in March 1968 and served as a carpenter. He had worked as a motorized scraper operator since 16 July.

His awards and decorations include the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnam Campaign Medal, and two overseas bars. He is survived by his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Oliver Sherlin of Athens, Tennessee. Sp/5 Sherlin was a Baptist.