

**DONALD MAURICE WILSON****Class 19-66**

is honored on Panel 24E, Row 79 of  
the Vietnam Veterans Memorial

**Full Name:** DONALD MAURICE WILSON  
**Wall Name:** DONALD M WILSON  
**Date of Birth:** 7/11/1939  
**Date of Casualty:** 8/4/1967  
**Home of Record:** EVANSVILLE  
**County of Record:** VANDERBURGH COUNTY  
**State:** IN  
**Branch of Service:** ARMY  
**Rank:** 1LT  
**Casualty Country:** SOUTH VIETNAM  
**Casualty Province:** QUANG NGAI



1LT Wilson was killed in action just 10 days into his tour of duty in Vietnam. He was serving with Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 2nd Battalion, 9th Artillery, 4th Infantry Division at the time of his death. At the time of his death he was a Forward Observer attached to Company C, 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry.

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Donald arrived in Nam just days before I left to come back home. Though I don't remember meeting him specifically, I have met his daughter via the internet. He had just been assigned duty as the artillery forward observer for C Co. 2nd Bn. 35th Inf. when we lost him.

You have a wonderful family Don and I know you are proud of them as they are of you. Rest in peace my friend. Your brothers have not forgot.

Dean Springer  
Brother in Arms  
Rest In Peace My Friend  
Mar 4, 2007

## remember you well -OCS

2 cubes over. Good man. God Bless your family. No child should lose a father.

Posted by: Cpt Bob Wcislo 1966 (ret)

October 12, 2008

The decorations earned by 1LT Donald Maurice Wilson include: the Parachute Badge, the Bronze Star with V, the Purple Heart, the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnam Campaign Medal and the Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm Unit Citation.



**Donald is buried at Locust Hill Cemetery in Evansville, Indiana**