

Error in Decorations and Awards as it pertains to Basil Plumley.txt

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Attachments: IMG\_0001.jpg; IMG\_0003.jpg; IMG\_0004.jpg; 02 Combat Infantry Badge Circular.jpg; Pages from 320th Gli FA Bn Btry B MR 1944-02-04 35425274.pdf; Pages from 320th Gli FA Bn Btry B MR 1944-07-24 35425274.pdf; Pages from 320th Gli FA Bn Btry B MR 1944-09-30 35425274.pdf

Mr. Barrera,

I want to thank you for the work you did on this information you sent my.

There is an error on the Awards and Decorations though.

You have Plumley down for two Combat Infantry Badges. He wasn't in an Infantry Unit in WWII but a Field Artillery Unit. The CIB is only awarded to an Infantry Unit as mentioned above. I have attached Morning Reports showing his arm of service as Field Artillery.

I have attached the Circular 186 11 May 1944 as it pertains to the Combat Infantry Badge.

I have also included the first three pages you sent to me.

Please let me know that you have received this email.

I was also wondering was it the 1965 or the 1968 Vietnam Tour of Duty that he received the CIB. He was Cavalry in Vietnam on the first Tour of Duty and that isn't an Infantry Unit but maybe CAV was under an Infantry Unit.

I would also like the Picture taken of CSM Plumley when leaving the service.

Thank you,

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