

Sergeant Dies In Vietnam

Army Sgt. Roger L. Troxell, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Troxell of 11 E. 66th street, Carthage, has been killed in Vietnam.

His family was notified last week that he died of an accidental gunshot wound Jan. 4.

He was a combat engineer with Company A, 19th Engineering Battalion, and had been in Vietnam since last August.

Sgt. Troxell entered the Army in 1958. He attended Taft High School.

He leaves besides his parents, three children by a previous marriage, David Lee, 9; Debbie Sue, 7; and Brenda Jean, 3; three



SGT. ROGER L. TROXELL

sisters, Mrs. Velma Profett, Mrs. Judy Ann Rose, and Mrs. Barbara Rose.

The John Hodapp and Sons Funeral Home, 7401 Vine street, is in charge of arrangements.



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Commanding Officer
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On behalf of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Farley and myself, I would like to express our thanks and appreciation for the services rendered by Sergeant Roger L. Troxell of your Command during the funeral and burial of the Farley's son.

Due to Sergeant Troxell's cooperation and tact, I was able to carry out my duties as survivor assistance officer with dispatch. His presence and consideration of the Farley's feelings in this time of loss made it easier for them to bear up under the burden that was placed upon them.

I consider Sergeant Troxell an outstanding non-commissioned officer, and recommend him to you highly as a worthy representative, not only of your Command, but of the entire United States Army.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas R. Butler

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