MARTIN NELSON TULL

Captain Martin N. Tull, USMC, was killed in action near Quang Nam, South Vietnam, on 19 May when his unit's position was hit by mortar fire. He was commanding officer of Artillery Battery D, 2ND BATTALION, 11TH MARINES, 1ST MARINE DIVISION.

Services were held at Ft. Myer Chapel, with interment in Arlington National Cemetery. Captain Tull was born in Ada, OK, and graduated from the Naval Academy in 1960. After basic training at Quantico, VA, he was assigned for three years to the Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station at Hawaii, where he was with the 3RD BATTALION, 12TH MARINES. For two years he was a gunnery instructor at Ft. Sill, OK. He was assigned to Vietnam in September 1966 as an official observer for the 2ND BATTALION, 11TH MARINES. In April of this year he became commanding officer of Delta Battery.

He is survived by his widow, Cecile Marie, the daughter of LTCOL and Mrs. P. H. McArdle, a son, Martin, Jr., and a daughter Laura Ann, of Potomac, MD, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Tull of North Little Rock, AR; a grandfather, Mr. Walter Nelson Henry of Ada, OK, and a grandmother, Mrs. Gertie Tull of Maysville, OK.

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