Binh Thuy Air Base PHOTO JOURNAL

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- I. Binh Thuy Air Base, River, Bridge and Road, Villages and People.
- II. Aerial Photos, Perimeter Road, Towers and Bunkers, and QRT.

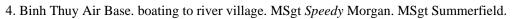


- 1. Bnh Thuy Air Base. Area river bridge. MSgt Summerfield.
- 2. Binh Thuy Air Base. Area river. Note farmer talking to fisherman. MSgt Summerfield.





3. Binh Thuy Air Base. West river, greeting by boat girl. MSgt Summerfield.







5 Binh Thuy Air Base. Village nearby base. MSgt Summerfield, 1969.

6. Binh Thuy Air Base, mamasan finds a quiet-cool palm tree as shade to do her laundry. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.





7. Binh Thuy Air Base. Mamasan do washie-clothes while kids swim. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



8. Binh Thuy Air Base. Village hamlet along river. Lazy Sunday, Mamasans do laundy, and kids play in river. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



- 9. Binh Thuy Air Base. Village girl fetching river water. MSgt Summerfield.
- 10. Binh Thuy Air Base. River village kids take a bath. Dad's tired of getting splashed. Mamasan gets a few minutes peace. MSgt Summerfield.





11. Binh Thuy Air Base. Young mother and babysan. MSgt Summerfield: 11

12. Binh Thuy Air Base. Oldest sister raises youngs infant. Mamasan still at the river doing laundry. Young women helping at the Budhist Refugee Center. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



13. Binh Thuy Air Base. Kids playing. Hey you no give candy. MSgt Summerfield.

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14. Binh Thuy Air Base. Grannysan corraled one. Mamasan happily gets to comb her hair. Great Grannysan is *beatin' feet*. And *I* get to play with the village-kids -- *I Win!* MSgt Summerfield. 196.



15. Binh Thuy Air Base. David Summerfield (SMSgt, Ret), when he was a pup Air Policeman. Note AP helmet liner. 1968.

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16. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta. MSgt Summerfield.



17. Binh Thuy Air Base, Perimeter, and Mekong Delta. MSgt Summerfield, 1969.



18. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-8 tower, south-west view. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



19. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-8 tower, South view. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



20. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-10 tower, South view. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



21. Binh Thuy Air Base, flight line view. Mekong Delta-6 tower, West view. MSgt Summerfield.



22. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-8 tower, South view. Revetments. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



23. Binh Thuy Air Base, Radar. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.



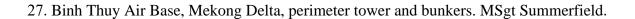
24. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-1 tower, North view, perimeter towers and bunkers. MSgt Summerfield.



25. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-2 tower, perimeter towers and bunkers. MSgt Summerfield.



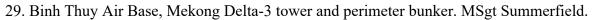
26. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-5 tower and perimeter bunkers. MSgt Summerfield.







28. Binh Thuy Air Base, Mekong Delta-4 tower and perimeter bunker. MSgt Summerfield.

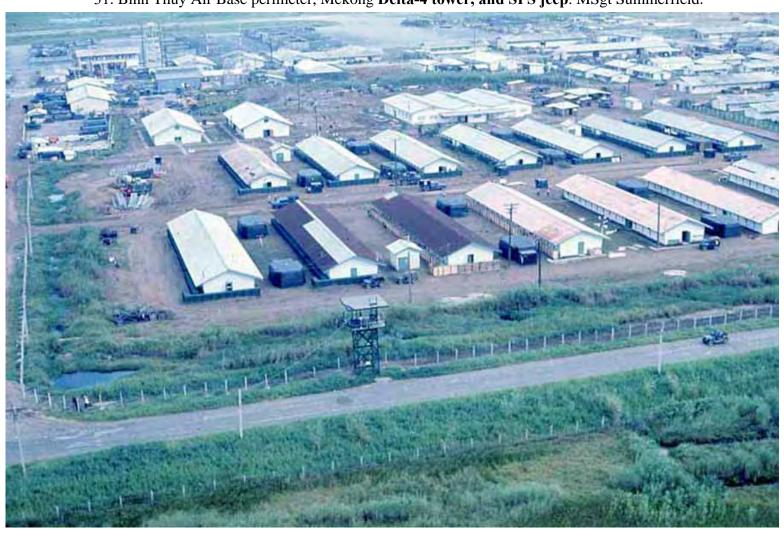


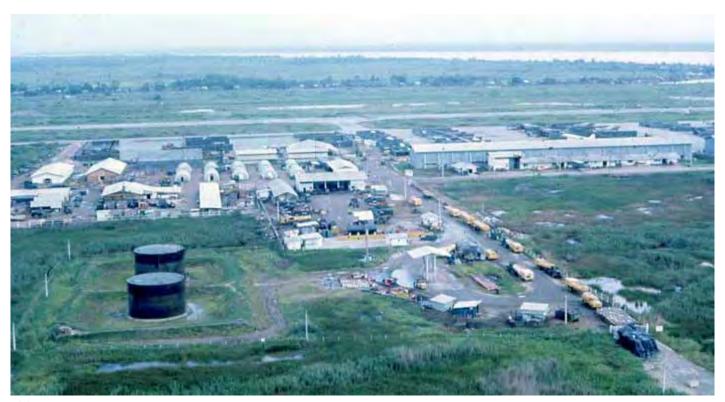




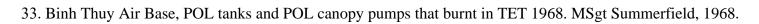
30. Binh Thuy Air Base, perimeter road. Blessed cloud drifts over. A momentary respite from oppresive sun. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.

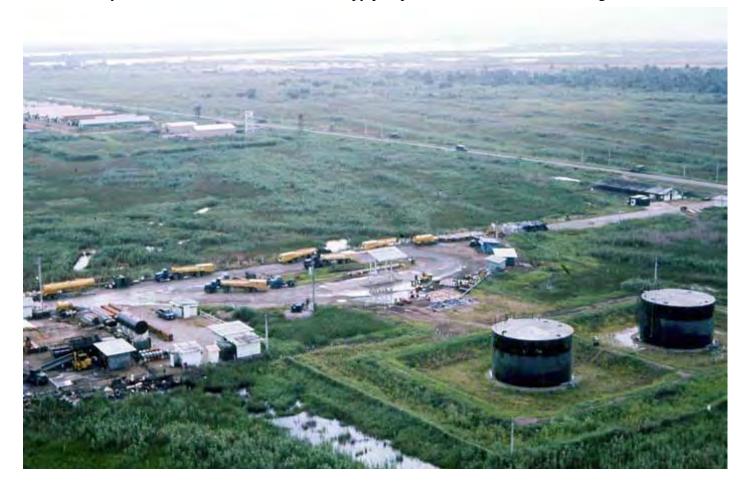






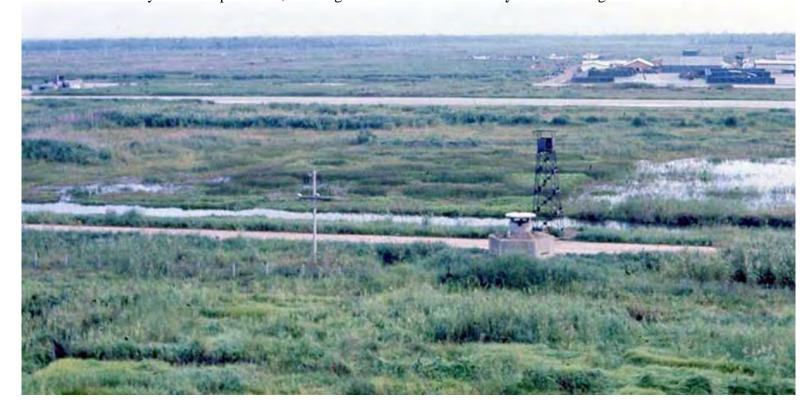
32. Binh Thuy Air Base, POL tanks and POL canopy pumps that burnt in TET 1968. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.





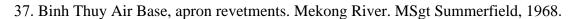


- 34. Binh Thuy Air Base, aerial-scenic. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.
- 35. Binh Thuy Air Base perimeter, Mekong **Delta-9 tower and heavy bunker**. MSgt Summerfield.





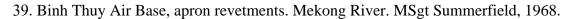
36. Binh Thuy Air Base, North perimeter. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.







38. Binh Thuy Air Base, apron revetments. Mekong River. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.







- 40. *Left.* Binh Thuy Air Base: Closeup: Perimeter road SPS Tower. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.
- 41. *Below.* Binh Thuy Air Base: Perimeter road SPS Tower. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.

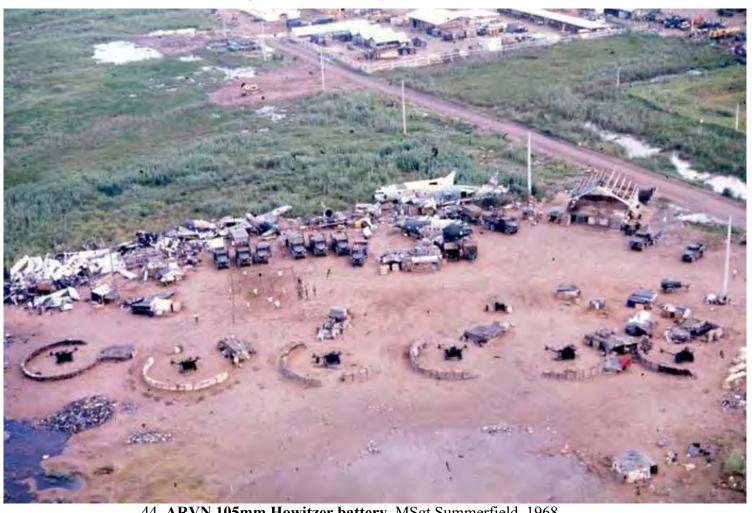




42. Binh Thuy Air Base, USAF SPS QRT Team and jeep, M151, M79 and M60. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.







44. ARVN 105mm Howitzer battery. MSgt Summerfield, 1968.





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