

**VIETNAM**  
**ĐÀ NẰNG AIR BASE**  
**PHOTOS**

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DN, 366th SPS, DET CB-China Beach; DH, 1/620th TCS/SP; BT, 632nd SPS  
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I arrived at Đà Nẵng in December 1967. The Air Base was scheduled to become somewhat "state-sided" but the Tet offensive somewhat displaced that rosy scenario. *SSgt Mel*



1. Đà Nẵng AB, 366th SPS, Guardmount.



**2. Đà Nẵng AB, 366th SPS, Guardmount.**



**3. Composite of 1. & 2., Đà Nẵng AB, 366th SPS, Guardmount. by Don Poss**



4 Mel Hecker. Too Cool QRT jeep. 1968.





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8. SPS Basketball Court.



9. POL tanks (center).



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12. Đà Nẵng AB, East perimeter and Tent City. 1968.



13. Đà Nẵng AB, flight line.



14. VNAF Bird dog FACs.



15. C-141 Starlifter. flight line.



16. Đà Nẵng AB, flight line. C-47 Spooky.



17-18. Đà Nẵng AB, flight line, O-2 (push/pull).





18. Đà Nẵng AB, flight line. C-47 Spooky, starboard and cockpit nose-art.



19. Đà Nẵng AB, flight line. C-47 Spooky, starboard side.



20. Flight line. Jolly Green Giant.

21. A-1E Sandy

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23. A-1E, Sandy.





24. East flight line. C-130 and various aircraft parking.



25. Đà Nẵng AB. flight line Freedom Bird.



26. flight line. Boarding C-121.



27. Fightline. Revetment. F-4 Phantom, bomb loading.



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29. Đà Nẵng AB, East perimeter SP Tower.



30. Đà Nẵng AB, East perimeter road Pagoda.



31. Đà Nẵng AB, East perimeter Road. K-9 and handler -- (center of road)



31. (left) - 32. (below) Đà Nẵng AB, East perimeter Road: Rice Paddie Fields.



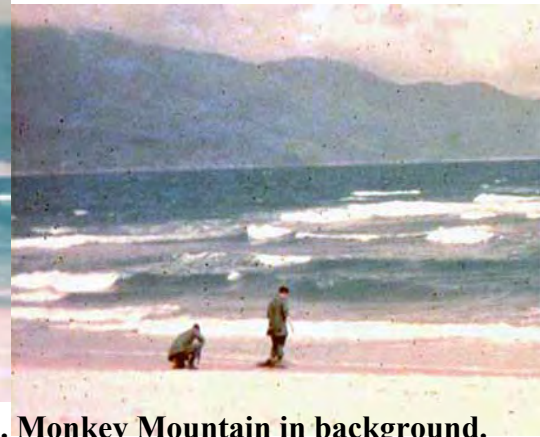


**33. (left): Road from Đà Nẵng AB to China Beach. View of Monkey Mountain.**

**34. Đà Nẵng AB. *Tourane* Harbor.**







**36. (above) and 37. (right) China Beach. Monkey Mountain in background.**

**38. China Beach. Da Nang, RVN**



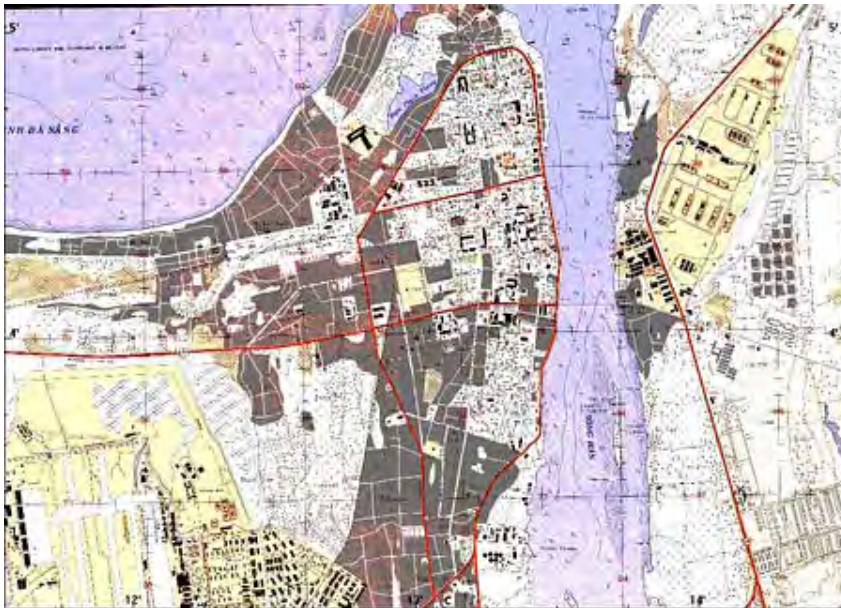




39. Đà Nẵng AB. Map.



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41. Đà Nẵng AB. Map.



42. Đà Nẵng AB. Map.

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