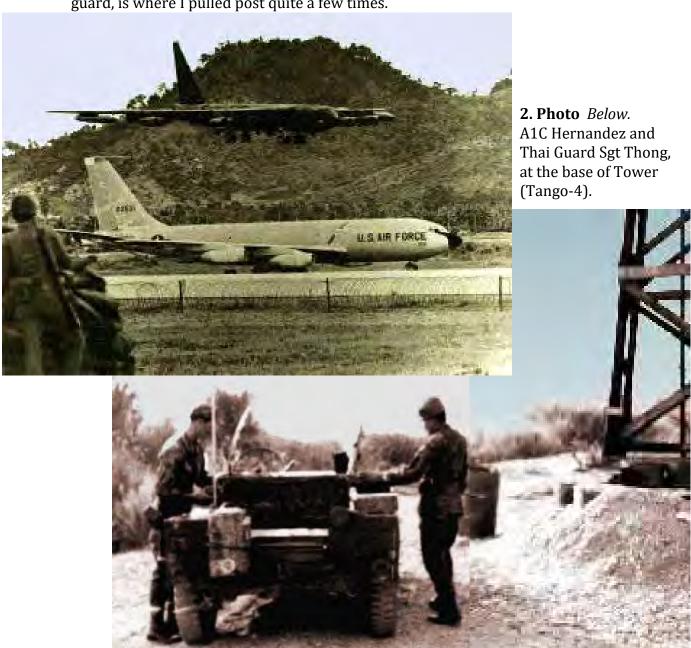
## **U-Tapao RTAFB**

## Home to the B-52!

## 635th Security Police Squadron Last Flag over U-Tapao RTAFB

Photos and captions by James R. Flack and Dan Wandersee (1970-1971)

1. **Photo** *Below.* I was with the 635th SPS at U-Tapao RTAFB Thailand, from 1970 to 1971. I found this picture of U-Tapao with a KC-135 tanker on the runway and a B-52 bomber returning from a mission. The guardpost on the left, showing a Thai guard, is where I pulled post quite a few times.



**3. Photo** *Above.* **Sunrise.** Jack Flack (me), waiting patiently on the base perimeter at the base of Guard Tower-4.

3. An SP standing with our two houseboys at the SP barracks. I can't remember any names... except the barracks number was 2051.



4. Photo Below. U-Tapao RTAFB Mail Room



5. Picture of the baseball field across from the barracks, it also had a few concessions there where you get jackets and caps made to order.



Photos 6. & 7. A day at U-Tapao Beach. It was nice to go down to the beach and see a movie at the outdoor theater, or eat at the beach restaurant.



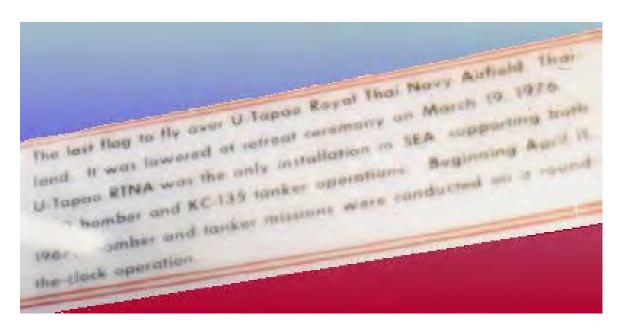






Photos 8. & 9. One of my favorite pastimes was just to sit on the beach in the evenings with a cold Bud or Singha beer, and watch the B-52's come and go . . . or do nothing at all but watch the waves come in and go out... at U-Tapao Beach.

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## 10. From the AF museum. These are the last U.S. flags to fly over U-Tapao RTAFB.



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