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VIETNAM WAR



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A mile to the LZ you carried me then. My blood soaked your back, until there was no more. Medevac took my body, and I saw you run back to rejoin the fight, as my spirit winged away.

Decades passed and then I felt your call. Your dreams scare even me; it was as worse as you remember, but you have not yet understood you could not, and cannot, change a thing. *Many veterans do not understand either*.

Don't blame yourself...you couldn't have ran carrying me any faster...the Huey was taking fire, and delayed, and *it was my time.* 

What happened to us then was *numba-10-thou*. What is happening to you now *is just wrong*, and I want you to live your life in peace.

You carried me then... *I will carry you now...* for as long as it takes the dust off to arrive.