

OPERATION FREQUENT WIND (1975)

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CM / CSA #	LM-#	LAST, FIRST (MI)	YEARS	BASES & SQUADRONS	K-9 NAME and TATTOO #	OPERATIONS	CASUALTY KIA, LOD, RIP	DATE: KIA, LOD, RIP	CASUALTY (CAS#) DATA, KNOWN BURIAL LOCATION	BOARD, STAFF, LIAISON, SISTERHOOD, ASSOCIATE. - [or Cont. Info]	ID# ADMIN USE
		Daniel, Don L. Jr.	1975-1975	U.S. Embassy, Saigon (ESGN): OPERATION EAGLE PULL: (1A.) OP BABYLIFT (April 3-26 1975): Back and forth From Clark AB, PL to TSN AB, RVN. (2A.) OP FREQUENT WIND (From 1st day till Fall of Saigon and Vietnam).		1975 OPERATION EAGLE-PULL: 1.BABY-LIFT. 2.FREQUENT-WIND			DANIEL, DON L. Jr. - (1B) OPERATION BABYLIFT The evacuation of South Vietnamese orphans to the United States and other countries, began on April 3, 1975, and concluded on April 26, 1975. The operation was launched as North Vietnamese forces advanced on Saigon, and the first flight, a C-5A, tragically crashed shortly after takeoff, resulting in significant casualties. Despite the initial tragedy, the operation continued. (2B) OPERATION FREQUENT WIND the final helicopter evacuation of Americans and South Vietnamese citizens from Saigon, occurred from April 29-30, 1975. It began with the commencement of the evacuation by the US military due to the impending fall of Saigon to North Vietnamese forces. The operation concluded with the last helicopter departing the US Embassy at 753 AM on April 30th, marking the end of US involvement in the Vietnam War, with the evacuation of thousands of children to safety.		0723