



Caption: "An infantry platoon of Troop B, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry, 1st Cavalry Division, three kilometers west of Duc Pho, Quang Ngai Province"

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"OPERATION BAKER" - A search and destroy mission against an element of the North Vietnamese Army (NVA), approx 8 kilometers north of Duc Pho, and approx 3 kilometers inland from the South China Sea in Quang Ngai Province. Members of Co "C", 2nd Bn, 35th Inf Regt, 3rd Bde Task Force, 25th Inf Div, are pinned down by hostile fire as a radio operator calls for air support.

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"OPERATION PERSHING"

Members of Co "A", 2nd Bn, 35th Inf Regt, take a break during a search and destroy mission to locate a suspected N.Vietnamese command post north of Phu Cat.

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"OPERATION PERSHING"

A member of Co "A", 2nd Bn, 35th Inf Regt, advances up a mountain towards a suspected N. Vietnamese command post north of Phu Cat during a search and destroy mission.

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"OPERATION PERSHING"

Members of Co "A", 2nd Bn, 35th Inf Regt, look on as a second wave of UH-1D helicopters prepares to land with more elements of the Company in preparation for their search and destroy mission north of Phu Cat.

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VIETNAM

"OPERATION PERSHING"

Members of Co "A", 2nd Bn, 35th Inf Regt, aboard  
a CH-47 "Chinook" helicopter enroute to a search  
and destroy mission north of Phu Cat.

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VIETNAM

"OPERATION PERSHING"

Members of Co "A", 2nd Bn, 35th Inf Regt, advance across a clearing in the dense jungle in search of a suspected N. Vietnamese command post north of Phu Cat during a search and destroy mission.

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Members of A Co, 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment move out against a suspected North Vietnamese Command Post north of Phu Cat as a CH-47 Chinook helicopter brings in more troops. Photographer Howard C Breedlove DASPO 11 April 1967



It was very hot during Operation Baker, Breedlove recalls, when American Soldiers crouched down under enemy fire near Duc Pho on May 10, 1967. The men are part of C Company, 2nd Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Task Force, 25th Infantry Division.



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"OPERATION PERSHING"

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