

**D CO., 227<sup>TH</sup> ASSAULT HELICOPTER BATTALION, 1<sup>ST</sup> AIR CAVALRY**

**AH-1G's assigned with their serial numbers (where known) A/C number and nicknames**

<b>A/C</b>	<b>Nickname</b>	<b>Serial Number</b>
<b>I</b>		
<b>II</b>		
<b>III</b>	<b>Leprechaun and Raid</b>	<b>68-17058 or 68-15058</b>
<b>IV</b>		
<b>V</b>	<b>Corsair</b>	<b>68-17077    ???</b>
<b>V1</b>	<b>Arizona Gambler</b>	
<b>V11</b>	<b>The Odyssey</b>	<b>548    ???</b>
<b>V111</b>	<b>Johnny* then "Ghost"?</b>	<b>442    ???    *first VIII crashed</b>
<b>IX</b>	<b>Hulk</b>	<b>66-15262</b>
<b>X</b>	<b>The Gremlin</b>	<b>67-15803 VHPA Mag. Vol.23No.1</b>
<b>XI</b>	<b>Timujin Ship</b>	<b>67-15768</b>
<b>XII</b>		
<b>XIII</b>	<b>El-Loch-O</b>	<b>-14388            (OH-6A)</b>

**We lost three ships between Aug 69 and Aug 70 that I know something about, one was Captain Carl Chapman, one WO1 Glenn Harata? Spelling, and one was one of our of our IP's Warrant Officer Clark with an engine failure. Carl was shot down near Song Be a 50 Carl to the tail rotor, Glenn crashed, and the IP forgot to flare at the end of an autorotation to Thunder Road, near Thunder one just north of Lai Khe. I was part of this flight of two returning to LK.**

**Martin P Beckman Jr**

**Sunday, 22 January, 2012**

Martin P Beckman Jr	El Lobo 18
Bob Childs	El Lobo 22
Floyd Kosinsky	El Lobo 24
Jimmy Hugging	El Lobo 15