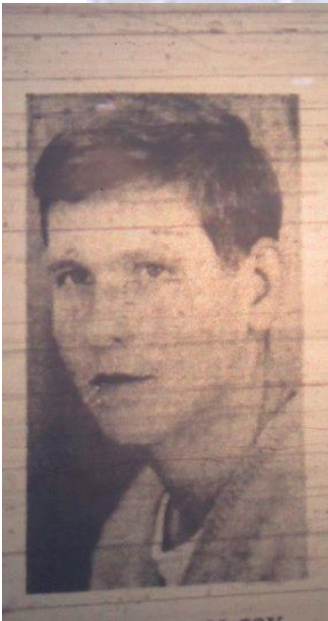


Carl Thomas McCoy, Jr., T-66

1 August 1948 – 29 May 1969

(aged 19)



Enemy fire in South Vietnam has taken the lives of two more Shelby Countians, according to Defense Department telegram received by their families. One was Spec. 5 Carl T. McCoy, Jr., an Army helicopter crew chief, whose father lives at 2317 Longstreet Drive. Carl was killed by mortar fire Tuesday morning at an undisclosed place.

A lifelong Memphian and a Tech High School 1966 graduate. Specialist McCoy joined the Army in March 1967 and had been in Vietnam eight months.

He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church.

He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. James O. Berryhill and Mrs. John T. Hardy, and his grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Johnson; all of Memphis, and grandmother, Mrs. Ola McCoy of New Site MS.

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