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MR AND MRS DESIDERIO G LAUREL SR, REPORT DELIVERY

3824 SARITA ST CORPUS CHRISTI TEX

I DEEPLY REGRET TO CONFIRM THAT YOUR SON LANCE CORPORAL DESIDERIO G LAUREL JR USMC DIED 21 JUNE 1967 IN THE VICINITY OF DUY XUYEN, REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM. HE SUSTAINED A GUNSHOT WOUND TO THE BODY FROM RIFLE FIRE WHILE ON AN OPERATION. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED TO ASSIST IN MAKING FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

HIS REMAINS WILL BE PREPARED, ENCASED, AND SHIPPED AT NO EXPENSE TO YOU, ACCOMPANIED BY AN ESCORT, EITHER TO A FUNERAL HOME OR TO A NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED BY YOU. IN ADDITION YOU WILL BE REIMBURSED AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS TOWARD FUNERAL AND INTERMENT EXPENSES IF INTERMENT IS IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY, ONE HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS IF REMAINS