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In the dense jungles and treacherous waterways of Vietnam, a small band of elite warriors fought a secret war. These were the Recon Marines, the eyes and ears of the U.S. military in Southeast Asia.

Operating in small teams, the Recon Marines conducted long-range reconnaissance patrols, ambushes, and raids. They were experts in camouflage, survival, and hand-to-hand combat. Their mission was to gather intelligence on the enemy, disrupt their operations, and pave the way for larger units.

The Recon Marines were some of the most highly trained and decorated soldiers in the Vietnam War. They were awarded more than 1,000 Purple

Hearts and 200 Silver Stars. Many of them went on to become leaders in the U.S. military and law enforcement.

In "Swift, Silent, and Deadly," author Jonathan P. Dunn tells the story of these extraordinary warriors. Based on interviews with dozens of Recon Marines, Dunn provides a gripping account of their dangerous missions and the sacrifices they made.

The book is a tribute to the courage and dedication of the Recon Marines. It is also a reminder of the importance of special forces in modern warfare.

Here are some excerpts from the book:

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""We were the tip of the spear," said one Recon Marine. "We went into places where no one else would go." "

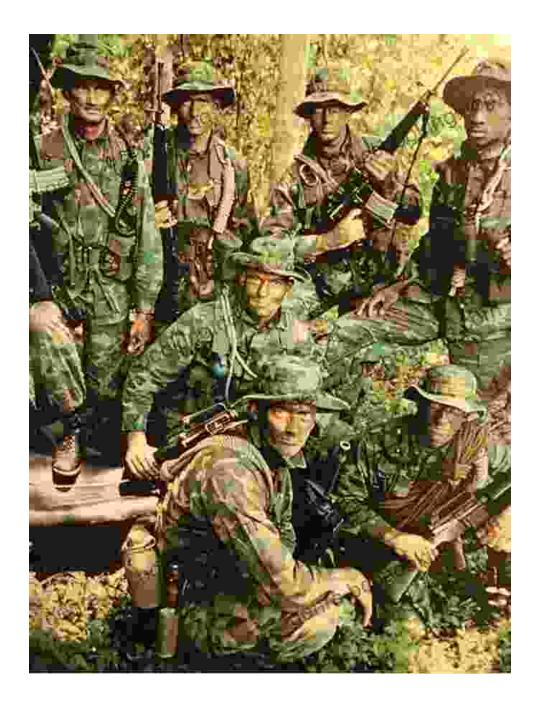
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""We were a brotherhood," said another. "We relied on each other for our lives." "

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""We saw some terrible things in Vietnam," said a third. "But we also saw some amazing things. We saw the courage of our fellow Marines. We saw the resilience of the Vietnamese people. And we saw the beauty of the country." " "Swift, Silent, and Deadly" is a must-read for anyone interested in the Vietnam War, special forces, or military history. It is a gripping account of the courage and sacrifice of the Recon Marines.

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