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At approximately 0810 AGL the parasite was spotted hanging in a tree top at the bottom of a small valley. The location was approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ mile from the position originally indicated by the AEs. One more orbit was required to position the helicopter over the survivor so a pickup could be accomplished. Approximately 60 feet of hoist cable was necessary to reach the survivor. He was located high in the top of a large tree. It was estimated that his position was about 150 feet above the ground. The helicopter hovered to within 2 or 3 feet rotor tip clearance from other trees which were beside the aircraft. Some rather careful maneuvering was required to thread the hoist cable down to the survivor. He entered the hoist sling at which time he dropped his survival equipment. The hoist was started up; however, the survivor became tangled in the shroud lines from his chute. The hoist was let down a short distance and the survivor kicked free. The hoist was again started up. No further complications were encountered. The pickup was completed at 0815Z and an immediate takeoff was initiated. A circling climb was utilized to obtain enough altitude to clear AAA in the immediate vicinity. During the climb Hobby 21 joined up with Hobby 22. Hobby 21 had been orbiting over the pickup site while Hobby 22 was making the pickup. A heading of 270° was established after reaching 6,500'. The climb was continued to 9,000'. Two AEs and Uncap 32 escorted Hobby Flight back to Invert where a landing was made at 0925Z. The survivor was transferred to the Uncap aircraft for return to Brigham. Mission closed for both Hobby aircraft.

7. Survivor: Major Robert W. Wilson, 357 TFS, Korat AB, Thailand.

8. Crews:	<u>Low Hobby 22</u>	<u>High Hobby 21</u>
	RCC Bruce C. Hepp, Capt	P Walter P. Turk, 1st Lt
	CP Thomas J. Curtis, Capt	CP Stanley O. Schaetsle, Capt
	HM Francisco Alvarado, ALC	HM David M. Gutillo, A2C
	PJ James E. Poole, A2C	PJ Michael T. Henebry, A2C

FOR THE COMMANDER

BRUCE C. HEPP
Capt, USAF
Rescue Crew Commander

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Eq ARS SC No. 653731

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<u>Mission Number</u>				<u>Rescue Aircraft</u>			<u>Persons Saved</u>			<u>Totals</u>			
Det	ARC	Sq	Msn	Date	HU-16	HH-43	HH-3	USAF	USN	USA	Fgn Mil	Indiv Msn	Accumu- lative
5	PARC		70	8 Feb		1					1	1	1
3	PARC		128	11 Feb	1				1			1	2
3	PARC		187	2 Mar	1	4		4			1	5	7
3	PARC		252	22 Mar	1			1				1	8
3	PARC		266	26 Mar	1	1			2			2	10
3	PARC		277	29 Mar	1				1			1	11
3	PARC		283	31 Mar		1		1				1	12
3	PARC		319	9 Apr	1				1			1	13
3	PARC		393	27 Apr		1			1			1	14
3	PARC		428	7 May	1			1				1	15
3	PARC		433	8 May	1				1			1	16
3	PARC		448	12 May		1		1				1	17
3	PARC		469	17 May		1		1				1	18
3	PARC		493	23 May	1			1				1	19
4	PARC		269	28 May		1				1		1	20
3	PARC		529	1 Jun	1				1			1	21
5	PARC		313	2 Jun		4		4				4	25
3	PARC		562	8 Jun		1		1				1	26
3	PARC		568	9 Jun		2		2				2	28
3	PARC		630	23 Jun		1		1				1	29

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MISSIONS

RESCUERS

LOCATIONS

SURVIVORS

3-PARC-562-8 Jun
3-PARC-568-9 Jun

3-PARC-630-23 Jun

38-664-3 Jul

6-38-446-20 Jul

38-744-24 Jul

38-754-27 Jul

38-761-28 Jul

38-814-11 Aug

38-822-13 Aug

38-860-24 Aug

38-882-31 Aug

38-899-6 Sep

38-901-6 Sep

38-902-6 Sep

7-38-532-6 Sep

6-38-718-9 Sep

38-918-10 Sep

38-919-10 Sep

38-931-10 Sep

38-943-17 Sep

38-954-21 Sep

Capt Curtis
Capt Cunningham

Capt Curtis
Capt Allen
Capt Layman
Capt Curtis
Capt Martin
Lt Turk

Capt Graue
Capt Reichardt
Capt Stambaugh

Capt Holm
Capt Berthold
Capt Nicholas
Capt Lockhart
Capt Seebo

Capt Murden
Capt Pruvine
Lt Machabo

Capt Vatis
Capt Purvine

Capt Cook
Capt Martin

HH-43B
HH-43B

HH-43B
HH-43B
HH-43F
HH-43B
HH-3
HH-43B
HU-16B
HU-16B
HH-3
HH-43B
HU-16B
HH-43B
HU-16B
HH-43F

HH-43F
HH-43F
HH-43F
HH-43B

HH-43F
HH-3

1812N - 10549E
1624N - 10415E

1752N - 10552E
1821N - 10301E
1055N - 10654E
1638N - 10634E
2105N - 10513E
1748N - 10547E
1910N - 10609E
1853N - 10556E
1948N - 10450E
2105N - 10420E
1740N - 10650E
1642N - 10345E
1938N - 10555E
1605N - 10812E

5 NM E. Bein Hoa
1523N - 10754E
1726N - 10716E
1614N - 10850E

1105N - 10650E
1736N - 10543E

Capt Rademacher USAF F-105
Capt Keeter USAF F4C

Capt Getman
Maj Willson USAF F-105
Capt Johnson USAF F-105
Lt Barriere USAF F-100
Maj McClelland USAF F-105
Capt Tullo USAF F-105
LTJG Townsend USN A4E
Capt Wilson USAF F-105
LT Hyland USN A1H
Maj Tagreco USAF F-105
LtCol Hendricks USAF F-105
Capt Clark USAF F-105
Capt Barnhill USAF F-105
LT Burton USN A1H
Capt Hamann USAF B-57
Lt Lane USAF

E-4 Williams USA
Capt Pope USA 01F
Sgt Jackson USA
Capt Graybill USAF A1E
Lt Davidson USA L-19
SP-5 Kee
Lt CaoVan VNAF H-34
Capt Greenwood USAF F-105

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