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Captain Paul Justin Cassidy July 13, 2003 Operation Iraqi Freedom

Captain Paul Justin Cassidy was born June 23, 1967. He was an Army Reserve officer assigned to the 432nd Civil Affairs Battalion, Green Bay, Wis.

Cassidy was killed during Operation Iraqi Freedom at Camp Babylon, Iraq, on July 13, 2003, of non-combat injuries. He was a resident of Laingsburg, Mich. In civilian life, he was employed by the Township of Meridian, Mich.

He was commissioned through the Reserve Officer Training Course with a date of appointment of May 14, 1989. He graduated from Ripon College, Ripon, Wis., with a bachelor's degree in physics.

He first assignment as a civil affairs officer was with the 432nd

Civil Affairs Battalion where he deployed to Operation Desert Storm. He later moved to the 415th Civil Affairs Battalion in Kalamazoo, Mich. Captain Cassidy deployed with the 415th to Bosnia in 1996 and then to Kosovo in 1998.

He was reassigned to the 432nd CAB to deploy with the unit in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

Captain Cassidy is survived by his wife, Susan and one son, Collin.

