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SERGEANT DANIEL W. WINEGEART
Killed in action on October 17, 2006
Operation Iraqi Freedom

Sergeant Daniel W. Winegeart was born on November 18, 1982, in Lake Charles, La. He was an a special electronic devices repairer assigned to the Group Support Battalion, 5th Special Forces Group (Airborne) at Fort Campbell, Ky.

He died October 17, 2006, from injuries sustained while supporting convoy operations in the Baghdad area.



Winegeart entered the Army in November 2002 from Honey Island, Texas as a special electronic devices repairer. After completing basic combat training at Fort Jackson, S.C. and advanced individual training at Fort Gordon, Ga., he was assigned to the GSB, 5th SFG(A), to serve in the electronic maintenance shop. Winegeart deployed with his unit to Iraq in August 2006.

Winegeart's awards and decorations include the Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon and Parachutist Badge.

Winegeart is survived by his father David Winegeart of South Kountze, Texas, mother Terri Winegeart of Beaumont, Texas, sister Casey Winegeart of Clarksville, Tenn. and grandparents Phillip and Eva Mae Winegeart of Sour Lake, Texas and Lester and Melba Turner of Silsbee, Texas.

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