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U.S. CASUALTIES

2009 **Faces of the Fallen** 2009

### January 3, 2009

**Lance Cpl. Chadwick A. Gilliam, 29**
**Mayking, Kentucky**

2nd Battalion, 6th Marines, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from non-hostile causes in Kuwait.

### January 6, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Anthony D. Davis, 29**
**Daytona Beach, Florida**

1st Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment

Died from hostile fire in northern Iraq.

### January 10, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Justin L. Bauer, 24**
**Loveland, Colorado**

2nd Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### January 11, 2009

**Pvt. Sean P. McCune, 20**
**Euless, Texas**

2nd Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died from hostile causes in Samarra.

**Sgt. Marquis R. Porter, 28**
**Brighton, Massachusetts**

2nd Battalion, 10th Marine Regiment, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from non-hostile causes in Al Asad.

### January 16, 2009

**Pfc. Ricky L. Turner, 20**
**Athens, Alabama**

3rd Brigade Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive attack in Baghdad.

### January 17, 2009

**Senior Airman Omar J. McKnight, 22**
**Marrero, Louisiana**

6th Security Forces Squadron

Died from non-hostile causes in Balad.

### January 18, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Roberto Andrade Jr., 26**
**Chicago, Illinois**

1st Battalion, 66th Armor, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive attack in Baghdad.

### January 22, 2009

**Spc. Matthew M. Pollini, 21**
**Rockland, Massachusetts**

772nd Military Police Company

Died in a non-hostile vehicle accident at FOB Delta.

### January 24, 2009

**Sgt. Kyle J. Harrington, 24**
**Swansea, Massachusetts**

542nd Maintenance Company, 80th Ordnance Battalion, 593rd Sustainment Brigade

Died in a non-hostile vehicle accident in Basra.

**Pvt. Grant A. Cotting, 19**
**Corona, California**

515th Sapper Company, 5th Engineer Battalion, 4th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade

Died from non-hostile causes in Kut

### January 26, 2009

**Chief Warrant Officer Philip E. Windorski, Jr., 35**
**Bovey, Minnesota**

6th Squadron, 6th Cavalry Regiment, 10th Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division

Died in a non-hostile helicopter accident in Kirkuk.

**Chief Warrant Officer Matthew G. Kelley, 30**
**Cameron, Missouri**

6th Squadron, 6th Cavalry Regiment, 10th Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division

Died in a non-hostile helicopter accident in Kirkuk.

**Chief Warrant Officer Joshua M. Tillery**
**Beaverton, Oregon**

6th Squadron, 6th Cavalry Regiment, 10th Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division

Died in a non-hostile helicopter accident in Kirkuk.

**Chief Warrant Officer Benjamin H. Todd**
**Colville, Washington**

6th Squadron, 6th Cavalry Regiment, 10th Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division

Died in a non-hostile helicopter accident in Kirkuk.

### January 31, 2009

**Spc. Darrell L. Fernandez, 25**
**Truth or Consequences, New Mexico**

1st Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died in a non-hostile vehicle accident in Kirkuk.

### February 4, 2009

**Petty Officer 1st Class Theophilus K. Ansong, 34**
**Bristow, Virginia**

USS San Antonio (LPD 17

Lost at sea in the Gulf of Aden.

### February 6, 2009

**Spc. Christopher P. Sweet, 28**
**Kahului, Hawaii**

3rd Battalion, 66th Armor Regiment, 172d Separate Infantry Brigade

Died from non-hostile causes in Kirkush.

### February 8, 2009

**Sgt. James M. Dorsey, 23**
**Beardstown, Illinois**

1st Battalion, 66th Armor Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Kamaliyah.

### February 9, 2009

**Lt. Colonel Garnet R. Derby, 44**
**Missoula, Montana**

3rd Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Sgt. Joshua A. Ward, 30**
**Scottsville, Kentucky**

3rd Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Pfc. Albert R. Jex, 23**
**Phoenix, Arizona**

3rd Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Pfc. Jonathan R. Roberge, 22**
**Leominster, Massachusetts**

3rd Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

### February 14, 2009

**Cpl. Stephen S. Thompson, 23**
**Tulsa, Oklahoma**

1st Battalion, 22nd Infantry Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

### February 15, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Sean D. Diamond, 41**
**Dublin, California**

610th Engineer Support Company, 14th Engineer Battalion, 555th Engineer Brigade

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in As Salam.

### February 19, 2009

**Pfc. Cwislyn K. Walter, 19**
**Honolulu, Hawaii**

29th Special Troops Battalion, 29th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, Hawaii National Guard

Died from non-hostile causes in Kuwait City, Kuwait.

### February 21, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Mark C. Baum, 32**
**Telford, Pennsylvania**

1st Battalion, 111th Infantry Regiment, 56th Stryker Brigade Combat Team, Pennsylvania Army National Guard

Died in Baghdad following hostile fire in Mushada.

### February 23, 2009

**Cpl. Michael L. Mayne, 21**
**Burlington Flats, New York**

5th Squadron, 1st Cavalry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died from hostile fire in Balad.

**Cpl. Micheal B. Alleman, 31**
**Logan, Utah**

5th Squadron, 1st Cavalry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died from hostile fire in Balad.

**Pfc. Zachary R. Nordmeyer, 21**
**Indianapolis, Indiana**

5th Squadron, 1st Cavalry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died from hostile fire in Balad.

### February 24, 2009

**1st Lieutenant William E. Emmert, 36**
**Lincoln, Tennessee**

269th Military Police Company, 117th Military Police Battalion

Died from hostile fire in Mosul.

### February 26, 2009

**Cpl. Brian M. Connelly, 26**
**Union Beach, New Jersey**

40th Engineer Battalion, Task Force 1-6, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division

Died following a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Adhamiyah.

### February 28, 2009

**Cpl. Donte J. Whitworth, 21**
**Noblesville, Indiana**

Combat Logistics Regiment 15, 1st Marine Logistics Group, Marine Corps Air Station

Died in a non-hostile vehicle accident in Anbar Province.

### March 2, 2009

**Sgt. Jeffrey A. Reed, 23**
**Chesterfield, Virginia**

411th Military Police Company, 720th Military Police Battalion, 89th Military Police Brigade

Died in Balad from injuries sustained from hostile causes in Taji.

### March 3, 2009

**Pfc. Jessica Y. Sarandrea, 22,**
**Miami, Florida**

3rd Brigade Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Heavy Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from hostile fire in Mosul.

### March 7, 2009

**1st Lt. Daniel B. Hyde, 24**
**Modesto, California**

2nd Battalion, 35th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died in Samarra from injuries sustained from hostile fire in Tikrit.

### March 10, 2009

**Lance Cpl. Patrick A. Malone, 21**
**Ocala, Florida**

2nd Tank Battalion, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from non-hostile causes in Saqlawiyah.

### March 16, 2009

**Spc. Gary L. Moore, 25**
**Del City, Oklahoma**

978th Military Police Company, 93rd Military Police Battalion

Died in a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### March 19, 2009

**Sgt. Jose R. Escobedo Jr., 32**
**Albuquerque, New Mexico**

1st Battalion, 77th Field Artillery Regiment

Died in Baghdad following a non-hostile incident the night before at FOB Kalsu in Iskandariyah.

### March 25, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Raphael A. Futrell, 26**
**Anderson, South Carolina**

13th Military Police Detachment, 728th Military Police Battalion, 8th Military Police Brigade, 8th Theater Sustainment Command

Died in Baghdad from injuries sustained in a non-combat related incident.

### March 31, 2009

**Lance Cpl. Nelson M. Lantigua, 20**
**Miami, Florida**

2nd Battalion, 10th Marine Regiment, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from non-hostile causes in Al Anbar Province.

**Sgt. Devin C. Poche, 25**
**Jacksonville, North Carolina**

Special Troops Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 25th Infantry Division

Died at Contingency Operating Base Speicher (Tikrit) from injuries sustained in a non-combated related incident.

### April 3, 2009

**Sgt. Daniel J. Beard, 24**
**Buffalo, New York**

147th Postal Company, 21st Theater Sustainment Command, Wiesbaden, Germany.

Died in Al Diwaniyah from injuries sustained in a non-combated related incident.

**Lance Cpl. Stephen F. Dearmon, 21**
**Crossville, Tennessee**

2nd Marine Logistics Group, II Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from non-hostile causes in Al Anbar Province.

### April 5, 2009

**Spc. Israel Candelaria Mejias, 28**
**San Lorenzo, Puerto Rico**

1st Battalion, 2nd Infantry Regiment in Task Force 3rd Battalion, 66th Armor Regiment, 172nd Infantry Brigade Combat Team

Died from hostile fire in Baghdad.

### April 10, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Gary L. Woods Jr., 24**
**Lebanon Junction, Kentucky**

1st Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Sgt. 1st Class Bryan E. Hall, 32**
**Elk Grove, California**

1st Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Sgt. Edward W. Forrest Jr., 25**
**St. Louis, Missouri**

1st Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Cpl. Jason G. Pautsch, 20**
**Davenport, Iowa**

1st Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Pfc. Bryce E. Gautier, 22**
**Cypress, California**

1st Battalion, 67th Armor Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

### April 12, 2009

**Spc. Michael J. Anaya, 23**
**Crestview, Florida**

2nd Battalion, 27th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Infantry Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Bayji.

### April 13, 2009

**Sgt. Raul Moncada, 29**
**Madera, California**

563rd Military Police Company, 91st Military Police Battalion, 10th Sustainment Brigade, 10th Mountain Division

Died in Karbala following a hostile improvised explosive device attack..

### April 16, 2009

**Lance Cpl. Ray A. Spencer II, 20**
**Ridgecrest, California**

3rd Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment, 3rd Marine Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Anbar Province.

### April 22, 2009

**Cpl. Brad A. Davis, 21**
**Garfield Heights, Ohio**

82nd Brigade Support Battalion, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive attack in Baghdad.

**Cpl. William C. Comstock, 21**
**Van Buren, Arkansas**

2nd Battalion, Combat Logistics Regiment 25, 2nd Marine Logistics Group, II Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from non-hostile causes in Anbar province.

### April 24, 2009

**CSM Benjamin Moore, Jr., 43**
**Waycross, Georgia**

2nd Battalion, 27th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes at Contingency Operating Base Speicher (Tikrit).

### April 25, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Leroy O. Webster, 28**
**Sioux Falls, South Dakota**

3rd Battalion, 82nd Field Artillery Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from hostile fire in Kirkuk.

### April 30, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Mark A. Wojciechowski, 25**
**Cincinnati, Ohio**

7th Engineer Support Battalion, 1st Marine Logistics Group, I Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from hostile fire in Al Anbar province.

**Sgt. James R. McIlvaine, 26**
**Olney, Maryland**

1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division, I Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from hostile fire in Al Anbar province.

**Petty Officer 2nd Cl. Tyler J. Trahan, 22**
**East Freetown, Massachusetts**

Explosive Ordnance Disposal Unit Twelve

Died from hostile fire in Anbar province.

### May 2, 2009

**Spc. Jake R. Velloza, 22**
**Inverness, California**

1st Battalion, 12th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from hostile fire in Mosul.

**Spc. Jeremiah P. McCleery, 24**
**Portola, California**

1st Battalion, 12th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from hostile fire in Mosul.

### May 7, 2009

**Spc. Shawn D. Sykes, 28**
**Portsmouth, Virginia**

215th Brigade Support Battalion, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died at Landstuhl Regional Medical Center from a non-hostile vehicle accident at Combat Outpost Crazy Horse (Iraq).

### May 8, 2009

**Pvt. Justin P. Hartford, 21**
**Elmira, New York**

699th Maintenance Company, Corps Support Battalion, 916th Support Brigade

Died from a non-hostile incident at Joint Base Balad (Iraq).

**Staff Sgt. Randy S. Agno, 29**
**Pearl City, Hawaii**

325th Brigade Support Battalion, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died at Walter Reed Army Medical Center following a non-hostile incident at Forward Operating Base Olsen (Iraq).

### May 9, 2009

**Spc. Omar M. Albrak, 21**
**Chicago, Illinois**

Headquarters, Multi-National Forces Iraq

Died from a non-hostile accident in Baghdad.

### May 10, 2009

**Maj. Steven Hutchison, 50**
**Scottsdale, Arizona**

2nd Battalion, 34th Armor Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Al Farr.

### May 11, 2009

**Maj. Matthew P. Houseal, 54**
**Indianapolis, Indiana**

55th Medical Company

Died from a non-hostile incident in Camp Liberty (Baghdad).

**Staff Sgt. Christian E. Bueno-Galdos, 25**
**Paterson, New Jersey**

3rd Battalion, 66th Armor Regiment, 172nd Infantry Brigade

Died from a non-hostile incident in Camp Liberty (Baghdad).

**Spc. Jacob D. Barton, 20**
**Lennox, Missouri**

277th Engineer Company, 420th Engineer Brigade

Died from a non-hostile incident in Camp Liberty (Baghdad).

**Pfc. Michael E. Yates, 19**
**Federalsburg, Maryland**

3rd Battalion, 66th Armor Regiment, 172nd Infantry Brigade

Died from a non-hostile incident in Camp Liberty (Baghdad).

**Commander Charles K. Springle, 52**
**Wilmington, North Carolina**

55th Medical Company

Died from a non-hostile incident in Camp Liberty (Baghdad).

### May 13, 2009

**Cpl. Ryan C. McGhee, 21**
**Fredericksburg, Virginia**

3rd Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment

Died from a hostile attack in Central Iraq.

### May 16, 2009

**Spc. David A. Schaefer Jr., 27**
**Belleville, Illinois**

1st Battalion, 2nd Infantry Regiment, 172nd Infantry Brigade

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### May 21, 2009

**Major Jason E. George, 38**
**Tehachapi, California**

252nd Combined Arms Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

**1st Lieutenant Leevi K. Barnard, 28**
**Mount Airy, North Carolina**

252nd Combined Arms Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

**Sgt. Paul F. Brooks, 34**
**Joplin, Missouri**

935th Aviation Support Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### May 22, 2009

**Sgt. 1st Class Brian Naseman, 36**
**New Breman, Ohio**

2nd Battalion, 127th Infantry, 32nd Infantry Brigade Combat Team

Died from a non-hostile incident in Taji (Iraq).

### May 25, 2009

**Commander Duane G. Wolfe, 54**
**Port Hueneme, California**

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Gulf Region Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Fallujah.

**Maged M. Hussein, 43**
**Cairo, Egypt**

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Fallujah.

### May 27, 2009

**Spc. Chad A. Edmundson, 20**
**Williamsburg, Pennsylvania**

2nd Battalion, 112th Infantry, 56th Stryker Brigade

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### May 29, 2009

**Pvt. Thomas E. Lee, III, 20**
**Dalton, Georgia**

3rd Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Mosul.

**Pvt. Bradley W. Iorio, 19**
**Galloway, New Jersey**

Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division

Died from a non-hostile incident in Tallil.

### May 30, 2009

**Pfc. Samuel D. Stone, 20**
**Port Orchard, Washington**

Squadron, 303rd Cavalry Regiment

Died from a non-hostile incident in Tallil.

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### May 31, 2009

**Spc. Marko M. Samson, 30**
**Columbus, Ohio**

277th Aviation Support Battalion, 10th Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division

Died from a non-hostile incident in Tikrit.

### June 2, 2009

**Sgt. Justin J. Duffy, 31**
**Cozad, Nebraska**

3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### June 4, 2009

**Spc. Christopher M. Kurth, 23**
**Alamogordo, New Mexico**

3rd Battalion, 82nd Field Artillery Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile attack in Kirkuk.

**Spc. Charles D. Parrish, 23**
**Jasper, Alabama**

5th Engineer Battalion, 555th Engineer Brigade

Died from a hostile attack in Balad.

### June 5, 2009

**Lance Cpl. Robert D. Ulmer, 22**
**Landisville, Pennsylvania**

1st Battalion, 8th Marine Regiment, II Marine Expeditionary Force Headquarters Group, II Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from a non-hostile incident in Anbar province.

### June 13, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Edmond L. Lo, 23**
**Salem, New Hampshire**

797th Ordnance Company, 79th Ordnance Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Samarra City.

### June 16, 2009

**Capt. Kafele H. Sims, 32**
**Los Angeles, California**

18th Engineer Brigade

Died from a non-hostile incident in Mosul.

**Sgt. Joshua W. Soto, 25**
**San Angelo, Texas**

1st Battalion, 77th Armor Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Iraq.

### June 19, 2009

**Spc. Chancellor A. Keesling, 25**
**Indianapolis, Indiana**

961st Engineer Company

Died from a non-hostile incident in Baghdad.

### June 24, 2009

**Spc. Casey L. Hills, 23**
**Salem, Illinois**

100th Battalion, 442nd Infantry Regiment

Died from a non-hostile accident in Iraq.

### June 25, 2009

**Spc. Joshua L. Hazelwood, 22**
**Manvel, Texas**

614th Automated Cargo Documentation Detachment

Died from a non-hostile incident in Arifjan, Kuwait.

### June 28, 2009

**Sgt. Timothy A. David, 28**
**Gladwin, Michigan**

2nd Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### June 29, 2009

**Sgt. 1st Class Edward C. Kramer, 39**
**Wilmington, North Carolina**

120th Combined Arms Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

**Sgt. Roger L. Adams Jr., 36**
**Jacksonville, North Carolina**

120th Combined Arms Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

**Sgt. Juan C. Baldeosingh, 30**
**Newport, North Carolina**

120th Combined Arms Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

**Spc. Robert L. Bittiker, 39**
**Jacksonville, North Carolina**

120th Combined Arms Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### July 8, 2009

**Pvt. Lucas M. Bregg, 19**
**Wright City, Missouri**

2nd Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

### July 13, 2009

**Chief Warrant Officer Rodney A. Jarvis, 34**
**Akron, Ohio**

46th Engineer Battalion, 1st Maneuver Enhancement Brigade

Died from non-hostile causes in Fort Polk, Louisiana.

### July 16, 2009

**Spc. Daniel P. Drevnick, 22**
**Woodbury, Minnesota**

34th Military Police Company, 34th Infantry Division, Minnesota Army National Guard

Died from indirect hostile fire in Basra.

**Spc. James D. Wertish, 20**
**Olivia, Minnesota**

34th Military Police Company, 34th Infantry Division, Minnesota Army National Guard

Died from indirect hostile fire in Basra.

### July 19, 2009

**Lance Cpl. Brandon T. Lara, 20**
**New Braunfels, Texas**

3rd Battalion, 4th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division, I Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from hostile fire in Al Anbar Province.

### July 24, 2009

**Herberth A. Berrios-Campos, 21**
**Bealeton, Virginia**

1st BN 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Babil.

### July 25, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Johnny Roosevelt Polk, 39**
**Gulfport, Texas**

3rd BN, 82nd Field Artillery Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from hostile fires at the Landstuhl Regional Medical Center.

### August 4, 2009

**Pvt. Keiffer P. Wilhelm, 19**
**Plymouth, Ohio**

2nd BN, 13th Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division

Died from non-hostile causes at Forward Operating Base Hunter.

### August 10, 2009

**Spc. Richard A. Walters Jr., 41**
**Cleveland, Ohio**

14th Combat Support Hospital

Died from non-hostile causes in Al Salem.

### August 17, 2009

**Spc. Matthew D. Hastings,23**
**Claremore, Oklahoma**

582nd Medical Logistics Company, 1st medical Brigade, 13th Sustainment Command

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghad.

### August 19, 2009

**Pfc. William Z. Vanosdol, 23**
**Pinson, Alabama**

172nd Support Battalion

Died from hostile fire in Qadisiyah.

### August 23, 2009

**2nd Lieutenant Joey Fortin, 22**
**St. Johnsbury, Vermont**

1st Battalion, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Babil.

### August 28, 2009

**Sgt. Earl D. Werner, 38**
**Mondovi, Wisconsin**

41st Special Troops Battalion, 41st Infantry Brigade Combat Team

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

**Pvt. Taylor D. Marks, 19**
**Monmouth, Oregon**

41st Special Troops Battalion, 41st Infantry Brigade Combat Team

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

### September 3, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Todd W. Selge, 25**
**Burnsville, Minnesota**

5th Battalion, 20th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 2nd Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Diyala.

**Spc. Jordan M. Shay, 22**
**Salisbury, Massachusetts**

5th Battalion, 20th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 2nd Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Diyala.

### September 8, 2009

**1st Lieutenant Joseph D. Helton, 24**
**Monroe, Georgia**

6th Security Forces Squadron

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Baghdad.

**Staff Sgt. Shannon M. Smith, 31**
**Marion, Ohio**

545th Military Police Company, Arctic Military Police Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Salah Ad Din.

**Pfc. Thomas F. Lyons, 20**
**Fernley, Nevada**

545th Military Police Company, Arctic Military Police Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Salah Ad Din.

**Pfc. Zachary T. Myers, 21**
**Delaware, Ohio**

545th Military Police Company, Arctic Military Police Battalion

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Salah Ad Din.

### September 12, 2009

**Sgt. 1st Class Duane A. Thornsbury, 30**
**Bridgeport, West Virginia**

2nd Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

### September 19, 2009

**Spc. Michael S. Cote Jr., 20**
**Denham Springs, Louisiana**

1st Battalion, 52nd Aviation Regiment, Task Force 49

Died from non-hostile causes in Salah Ad Din.

### September 20, 2009

**Senior Airman Matthew R. Courtois, 22**
**Lucas, Texas**

366th Security Forces Squadron

Died from non-hostile causes at Abdullah Al Mubarak Airbase.

### September 29, 2009

**Spc. Ross E. Vogel, III, 27**
**Red Lion, Pennsylvania**

67th Signal Battalion, 35th Signal Brigade

Died from non-hostile causes in Wasit.

### October 1, 2009

**Spc. Paul E. Andersen, 49**
**Dowagiac, Michigan**

855th Quartermaster Company

Died from hostile fire in Baghdad.

### October 6, 2009

**Maj. Tad T. Hervas, 48**
**Coon Rapids, Minnesota**

34th Infantry Regiment

Died from non-hostile causes in Basra.

### October 18, 2009

**Pfc. Daniel J. Rivera, 22**
**Rochester, New York**

3rd Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Ninawa.

### October 19, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Bradley Espinoza, 26**
**Mission, Texas**

1st Battalion, 12th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from a hostile improvised explosive device attack in Ninawa.

### October 27, 2009

**Maj. David L. Audo, 36**
**Saint Joseph, Illinois**

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 22nd Military Police Battalion, 6th Military Police Group

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

### October 28, 2009

**(Not Yet Reported) Joseph L. Gallegos, 39**
**Questa, New Mexico**

720th Transportation Company

Died from non-hostile causes in Dhi Qar.

### October 29, 2009

**Spc. Adrian L. Avila, 19**
**Opelika, Alabama**

1343rd Chemical Company, 151st Chemical Biological Radiological and Nuclear Battalion, 115th Fires Brigade

Died from non-hostile causes at Khabari Crossing.

### October 30, 2009

**Pfc. Lukas C. Hopper, 20**
**Merced, California**

1st battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 82nd Airborne Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

**Spc. Christopher M. Cooper, 28**
**Oceanside, California**

2nd Battalion, 28th Infantry, 172nd Infantry Brigade

Died from non-hostile causes in Babil.

### November 2, 2009

**Spc. Jonathon M. Sylvestre, 21**
**Colorado Springs, Colorado**

1st Battalion, 10th Field Artillery Regiment, 3rd Heavy Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Babil.

### November 4, 2009

**Spc. Tony Carrasco Jr., 25**
**Berino, New Mexico**

2nd Battalion, 32nd Field Artillery Regiment, 4th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry Division

Died from hostile small-arms fire in Ad Dawr.

**Staff Sgt. Amy C. Tirador, 29**
**Albany, New York**

209th Military Intelligence Company, 1st Squadron, 14th Cavalry Regiment, 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 2nd Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Kirkush.

### November 8, 2009

**Chief Warrant Officer Mathew C. Heffelfinger, 29**
**Kimberly, Idaho**

2nd Squadron, 6th Cavalry Regiment, 25th Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died in a non-hostile helicopter accident in Tikrit.

**Chief Warrant Officer Earl R. Scott III, 24**
**Jacksonville, Florida**

2nd Squadron, 6th Cavalry Regiment, 25th Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division

Died in a non-hostile helicopter accident in Tikrit.

### November 9, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Stephen L. Murphy, 36**
**Jaffery, New Jersey**

2nd Intelligence Battalion, II Marine Expeditionary Force Headquarters Group

Died from non-hostile causes in Al Anbar Province.

### November 16, 2009

**Staff Sgt. Ryan L. Zorn, 35**
**Upton, Wyoming**

34th Armor Regiment, 1st Brigade, 1st Infantry Division

Died in a non-hostile vehicle accident in Tal Afar.

### November 19, 2009

**Petty Officer 2nd Cl. Brian M. Patton, 37**
**Freeport, Illinois**

(Not yet reported)

Died from non-hostile causes in Kuwait.

### November 22, 2009

**Sgt. Briand T. Williams, 25**
**Sparks, Georgia**

1st Battalion, 10th Field Artillery Regiment, 3rd Heavy Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division

Died from hostile fire in Numaniyah.

### November 27, 2009

**Pfc. Michael A. Rogers, 23**
**White Sulphur Springs, Montana**

210th Brigade Support Battalion, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry)

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

### November 29, 2009

**Pfc. Derrick D. Gwaltney, 21**
**Cape Coral, Florida**

1st Battalion, 377th Field Artillery Regiment, 17th Fires Brigade

Died from non-hostile causes in Basra.

### December 8, 2009

**Sgt. Ralph Anthony Webb Frietas, 23**
**Detroit, Michigan**

Marine Wing Support Squadron 172, Marine Wing Support Group 17, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, III Marine Expeditionary Force

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

### December 10, 2009

**Pvt. Jhanner A. Tello, 29**
**Los Angeles, California**

3rd Aviation Support Battalion, 227th Aviation Regiment, 1st Air Cavalry Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Baghdad.

### December 11, 2009

**Pfc. Jaiciae L. Pauley, 29**
**Austell, Georgia**

1st Battalion, 30th Infantry Regiment, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division

Died from non-hostile causes in Kirkuk.