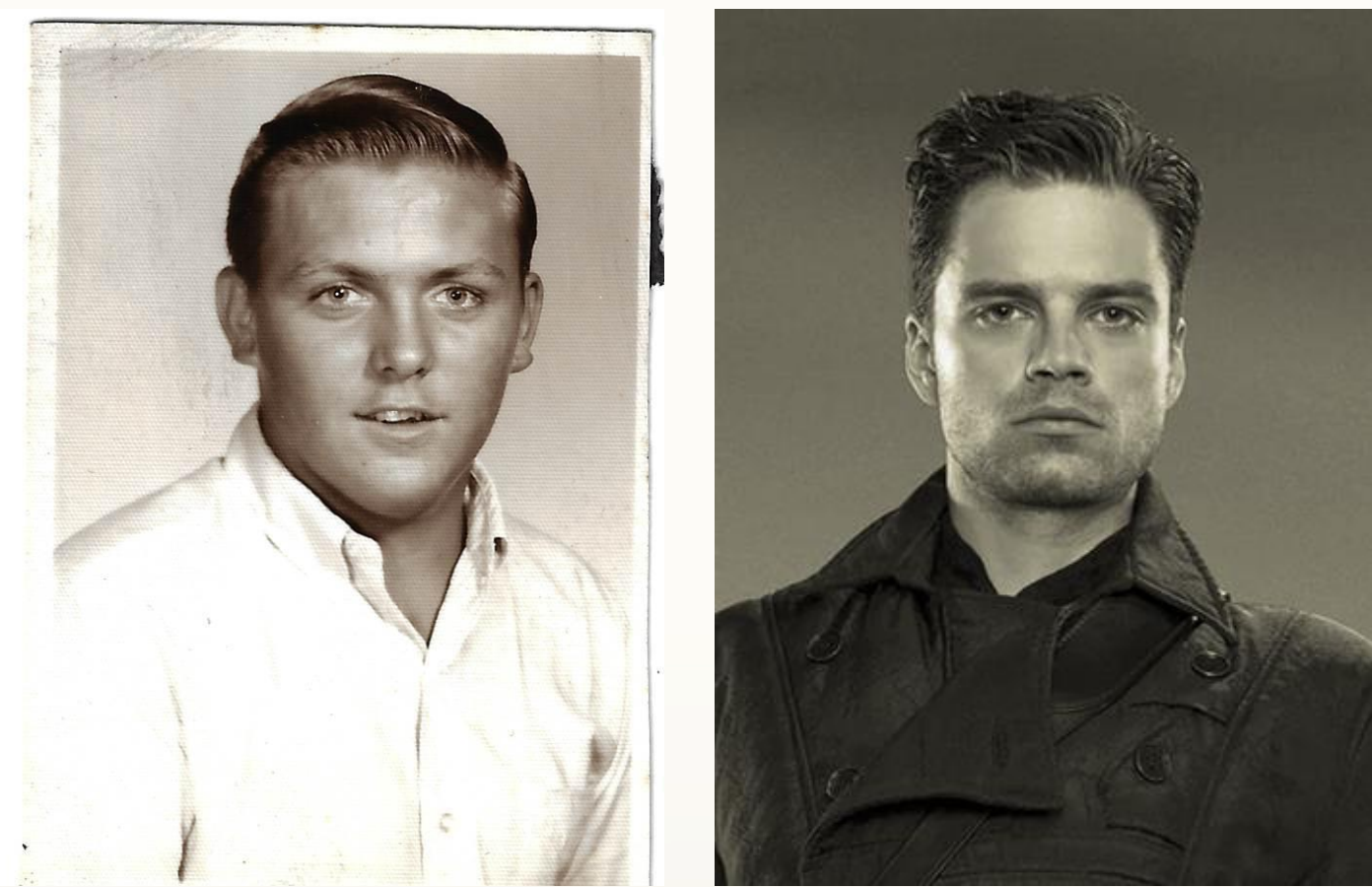


**It Always Ends in a Fight:
How a Vietnam Veteran is Allegorized by Marvel's
“Winter Soldier”**

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Archetypes are key to the processing and representation of complex issues in both popular media and psychology. In the United States, combat veterans are generally labeled as "Heroes" for having served their country.

During the Vietnam War, public outrage created a new archetypal soldier, a "Villain" who was easy to blame, in the face of unfamiliar moral ambiguity. Around the turn of the 21st century, the view of Vietnam



veterans shifted into a murky area between Hero and Villain, an archetype of their own.

The journey of the archetypal "Vietnam Veteran" is mirrored in the journey of Bucky Barnes (*left*), a character in the Marvel Cinematic Universe also known as the Winter Soldier. His characterization is compared with the nonfictional experience of Richard Waldron (*far left*), a late Vietnam veteran, as a case study of the Vietnam Veteran archetype.



Table: Casualties Reported On Feb 27 – Mar 4, 1967 by Five Infantry Units of the US Army in Vietnam. Data compiled from the National Archives File Unit "Vietnam Conflict Extract Data File, as of April 29, 2008, 6/8/1956 - 5/28/2006" in the Series "Defense Casualty Analysis System (DCAS) Extract Files, created ca. 2001 - 4/29/2008, documenting the period 6/28/1950 - 5/28/2006. - Record Group 330" which includes records of US individuals who were Killed in Action (KIA), Missing in Action (MIA), Prisoners of War (POW), or who died as a result of wounds or other occurrences during the Korean War or the Vietnam Conflict.

WALL	UNIT	LOCATION	CAS	NATURE CAS	NAME	DOB
15E 103	4 INF DIV	KONTUM	DOW	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE, WOUNDS	ALLEN ROBERT CLYDE	10/04/1943
15E 104	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	FJERSTAD DAVID ORSON	03/28/1947
15E 105	9 INF DIV	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	GONZALES SANTIAGO RODRIGU	06/01/1945
15E 105	4 INF DIV	KONTUM	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN	HUBBARD JAMES RAY	10/08/1945
15E 106	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN	JACKSON JOHN WILLIAM	06/14/1947
15E 108	9 INF DIV	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	RAY ROLAND WOOLDRIEDGE	12/17/1944
15E 108	9 INF DIV	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	SCOGGINS JOHN PAUL	02/15/1944
15E 109	4 INF DIV	TAY NINH	DOW	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE, WOUNDS	SISCO ARTHUR CLARENCE JR	09/04/1946
15E 106	4 INF DIV	TAY NINH	DOW	COMBAT: HOSTILE, ARTILLERY/MORTAR/ROCKET, WOUNDS	STEELMAN TEDDY WAYNE	11/08/1945
15E 110	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN	STRAUB CONRAD FRANCIS	12/30/1946
15E 110	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	VANHORN DONALD THOMAS	05/05/1947
15E 111	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	VARNADO CLARENCE	11/27/1941
15E 112	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	ANTHONY DAVID MARSHALL	05/20/1943
15E 112	196 L INF BDE	UNKNOWN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	BARCHAK JOHNNIE F JR	09/14/1946
15E 112	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	BERMEJO RICHARD ISMAEL	10/08/1945
15E 113	196 L INF BDE	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	BOLTZ RICHARD LEONARD	04/19/1945
15E 113	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	CALVILLO ROBERT JESS	11/03/1946
15E 114	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	CASIANO JUAN	07/23/1947
15E 114	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	COMBS CHARLES	03/22/1946
15E 114	1 INF DIV	BIINH DUONG	DOW	COMBAT: HOSTILE, EXPLOSIVE DEVICE, WOUNDS	COOK GARRY KENDALL	05/04/1947
15E 114	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	COUCH STEVEN WILLIAM	3/8/1947
15E 115	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	DICKENS RUSSELL W	05/31/1943
15E 115	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN	EDWARDS KENNETH MILES	06/04/1947
15E 116	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	GRAHAM JOHN HARRY	11/23/1935
15E 117	9 INF DIV	UNKNOWN	ACD	ACCIDENT: DROWNING	HAKES CLIFFORD EDWARD	08/17/1946
15E 118	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	HOOD WILLIAM WILLIS	06/11/1947
15E 119	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	LAMN JAMES FRANKLIN	04/23/1947
15E 119	196 L INF BDE	UNKNOWN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	LANGSTON JIMMY LEE	12/01/1945
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15E 119	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	LYONS PATRICK NICHOLAS	05/02/1947
15E 121	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	MCNEW RALPH DENNIS	09/25/1946
15E 116	1 INF DIV	UNKNOWN	ACD	ACCIDENT: VEHICLE CRASH	MEZZLES TOMMY	07/12/1943
15E 120	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	MILLER STANLEY GENE	09/15/1946
15E 120	199 L INF BDE	VINH LONG	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	MOLINA MICHAEL JOSEPH	01/29/1946
15E 120	196 L INF BDE	UNKNOWN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	MYERS MICHAEL LEE	10/04/1946
15E 121	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	PARKULO DANNY RICHARD	06/28/1946
15E 121	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	REUKAUF LEE EDWARD	03/08/1946
15E 121	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	RIX DOUGLAS ALFRED	10/29/1942
15E 122	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	SATTERFIELD HARRY TRUMAN	11/14/1945
15E 122	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	SERAVALLI JOHN ANTHONY	08/18/1946
15E 123	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	TH-UOT HUBERT OWEN	10/30/1947
15E 123	196 L INF BDE	UNKNOWN	ACD	ACCIDENT: OTHER	VAUGHAN DONALD SYLVESTER	07/08/1945
15E 124	196 L INF BDE	UNKNOWN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	WETZEL JOHN THOMAS	10/01/1947
15E 124	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	YORKER ROBERT D	03/30/1946
15E 124	25 INF DIV	BIINH DINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	BAZELL FRANK DAVID	01/02/1943
15E 126	25 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	BUTLER GREGORY WILLIAM	03/04/1947
15E 127	4 INF DIV	KONTUM	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	GRANDE JOSEPH JOHN JR	07/03/1945
15E 129	25 INF DIV	BIINH DINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	RAMIREZ DAVID THOMAS	07/27/1945
15E 129	25 INF DIV	BIINH DINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN	REID EDWARD ROWAN JR	05/06/1943
15E 130	1 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	TYLER WILLIE	10/27/1939
16E 003	9 INF DIV	KIEN HOA	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	NOVAK GERALD FRANCIS	12/28/1946
16E 004	4 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	PATTERSON TERRY ALLEN	07/09/1944
16E 004	4 INF DIV	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	SLOAN GEORGE MICHAEL	01/22/1947
16E 004	9 INF DIV	LONG KHANH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	SOUTHWICK HAROLD KENNETH	10/13/1945
16E 005	9 INF DIV	UNKNOWN	ACD	ACCIDENT: VEHICLE CRASH	STEPHENS LLOYD ISAAC	12/21/1944
16E 005	4 INF DIV	KONTUM	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, ARTILLERY/MORTAR/ROCKET	TISSIER RICHARD HENRY	11/04/1946
16E 007	199 L INF BDE	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN	BROUSSARD ANDREW RICHARD	05/28/1943
16E 007	196 L INF BDE	TAY NINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, EXPLOSIVE DEVICE	BROWN AUBREY SHAWN	08/17/1948
16E 008	199 L INF BDE	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	CAMPBELL WILLIAM LADD	08/05/1945
16E 008	196 L INF BDE	TAY NINH	DOW	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE, WOUNDS	COLDEBERG DONALD RAY	04/29/1945
16E 007	199 L INF BDE	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN	DIXON JESSE JAMES	7/1/1944
16E 009	196 L INF BDE	UNKNOWN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, EXPLOSIVE DEVICE	FITZPATRICK WALTER JOSEPH	10/17/1940
16E 010	199 L INF BDE	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	FREEMAN MARTIN LEE	02/19/1946
16E 011	4 INF DIV	KONTUM	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	JONES EDWIN	03/28/1948
16E 014	199 L INF BDE	LONG AN	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, SMALL ARMS	SMITH ROBERT BARRY	02/07/1947
16E 014	4 INF DIV	KONTUM	DOW	COMBAT: HOSTILE, UNKNOWN, WOUNDS	SMITH RONALD C	04/21/1946
16E 014	199 L INF BDE	GIA DINH	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, GRENADE	TAILLON JOHN PHILLIPS	01/21/1948
16E 015	9 INF DIV	UNKNOWN	ACD	ACCIDENT: VEHICLE CRASH	WILLIAMS ROGER RALPH	02/15/1946
16E 017	1 INF DIV	BIINH DUONG	KIA	COMBAT: HOSTILE, EXPLOSIVE DEVICE	JOHNSON RUSSELL CARL	05/11/1947

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