

It was Howard Plunkett who got most of my Korat, Thailand, Vietnam War 1965-1966 tape recordings and diary cleared. ... only a few years ago. It was Dan Shaw who captured www.BobKrone.com three years ago and reminded me about it earlier this year. And it has been Alex Ssequjja, in Uganda, our Kepler Space Institute Web Master who created the site so I could upload my publications and writings.

My latest uploads are five of my diary letters written in Korat as Ops and CO for the 469th TFS. They are:

25 November 1965
26 November 1965
2 Dec 1965
5 Dec 1965
6 Dec 1965

Once I get all 62 diary files uploaded it will be a research source for military museums, schools, and people still interested in the early Vietnam Air War over the North. And it will contain unique personal stories about the pilots, the environment, and the flying operations.

For instance in the November 25, Thanksgiving file I note that it is the first day that we heard from Saigon and 13th Air Force that 100 Missions would be the tour over North Vietnam. The 6 December file describes how Captain Fred deJong and I created the decorations process for the Squadron. I'm enjoying these as I have forgotten most of the details.

You can now find these first five on www.bobkrone.com ... click on the Vietnam War category, then on the date of the diary entry.

I'm aiming for end August to have all 62 uploaded.