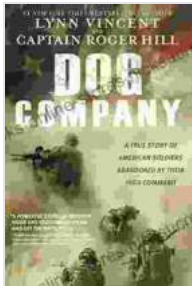


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The Vietnam War was a long and bloody conflict that claimed the lives of many American soldiers. But there is one group of soldiers whose story is often forgotten: the soldiers who were abandoned by their high command.

These soldiers were part of a secret mission to Laos, a country that was officially neutral in the war. But in reality, Laos was a key battleground in the conflict. The American soldiers were sent to Laos to train and support the Hmong people, an ethnic minority group that was fighting against the communist Pathet Lao.

The mission was a success at first. The American soldiers helped the Hmong to win several important battles. But in 1970, the United States government decided to withdraw its support from the Hmong. The

American soldiers were ordered to leave Laos, and they were told to leave the Hmong behind.

The Hmong were devastated by the American withdrawal. They had been fighting for their freedom for years, and they had come to rely on the American soldiers for support. But now, they were on their own.

The American soldiers who had been abandoned by their high command were also devastated. They had fought bravely for their country, but they had been betrayed by their own government. They felt abandoned and forgotten.

The story of the American soldiers who were abandoned by their high command is a tragic one. These soldiers fought bravely and made many sacrifices, but they were ultimately betrayed by their own government. This article tells the story of these forgotten soldiers and the sacrifices they made.

The Mission

The mission to Laos began in 1961, when the United States government decided to provide covert support to the Hmong people. The Hmong were an ethnic minority group that was fighting against the communist Pathet Lao.

The American soldiers who were sent to Laos were part of a secret unit known as the Civilian Irregular Defense Group (CIDG). The CIDG was made up of American soldiers and Hmong fighters. The Americans provided training and support to the Hmong, and the Hmong fought on the ground against the Pathet Lao.

The mission was initially successful, and the Hmong were able to win several important battles. But in 1970, the United States government decided to withdraw its support from the Hmong. The American soldiers were ordered to leave Laos, and they were told to leave the Hmong behind.

The Withdrawal

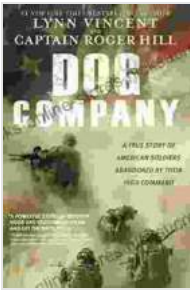
The American withdrawal from Laos was a disaster. The Hmong were unprepared to fight on their own, and they were quickly overrun by the Pathet Lao. Thousands of Hmong were killed, and many more were forced to flee their homes.

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The Aftermath

The story of the American soldiers who were abandoned by their high command is a tragic one. These soldiers fought bravely and made many sacrifices, but they were ultimately betrayed by their own government.

The American government has never fully acknowledged its responsibility for the abandonment of the Hmong and the American soldiers who were sent to Laos. But the story of these forgotten soldiers is a reminder of the sacrifices that American soldiers have made for their country, and the betrayal that they have sometimes suffered at the hands of their own government.

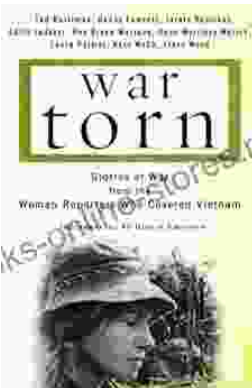


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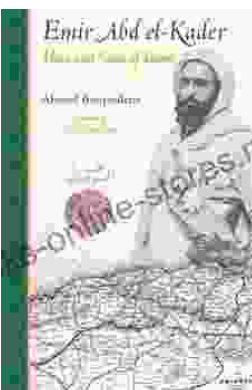
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