Robert Marion Carn, Jr.
Class of 1962
10th Squadron

Date of Birth: 13 February 1940
Home Town: Claysburg, PA

1st Lieutenant Robert M. Carn, Jr., was killed on 29 August 1965 while on a reconnaissance mission over dense Viet Cong Jungle. He was serving as a Forward Air Controller with the Airborne Brigade, Army of the Republic of Vietnam, when his aircraft collided with another reconnaissance aircraft. A pilot flying nearby observed the aircraft go into an uncontrollable maneuver and make contact with the ground. Immediate rescue operations were directed and shortly thereafter the search party found that Carn was fatally wounded.

Loss narrative compiled by Paula Simon, Association of Graduates volunteer, Fall 2005.