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DAYTON, Ohio, January 12, 1969 --- Major Thomas Kirk Krapf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ordell L. Krapf, 439 Wonderly Avenue, will be awarded the Bronze Star Medal Tuesday, January 13, in ceremonies in the John F. Kennedy Memorial Union at the University of Dayton. Lieutenant Colonel William F. Murley of the University of Dayton Military Science Department, will make the presentation.

Major Krapf distinguished himself by meritorious service in connection with "military operations against a hostile force during the period January 1969 to December 1969 while serving as Logistics Staff Officer" in the United States Military Assistance Command, Republic of Vietnam. He has also been awarded the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with oakleaf cluster and the Vietnamese Honor Medal First Class.

Major Krapf is a graduate of Chaminade High School and a 1961 graduate of the University of Dayton, where he was commissioned through the ROTC Program. At present Major Krapf is detailed by the United States Army to pursue studies for a Masters of Business Administration at the University. He resides at 165 Tuxworth Drive, Centerville, with his wife Joan and son Joseph Eric.