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Take a Stand

Some people think Agent Orange should not have been used in Vietnam. It harmed not only the land but also US forces and Vietnamese civilians. Do you think it is acceptable to use chemicals in warfare?

Why or why not?





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Dig Deeper

After reading this book, what questions do you still have about river warfare in Vietnam? With an adult's help, find a few reliable sources that can help you answer your questions. Then write a paragraph about what you learned.





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Another View

This book talks about the effectiveness of Viet Cong guerrilla tactics. Ask a librarian or another adult to help you find another source about guerrilla warfare. Write a short essay comparing and contrasting the new source's point of view with that of this book's author. What is the point of view of each author? How are they similar and why? How are they different and why?





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You Are There

This book discusses the ground war in South Vietnam. Imagine you are a US soldier. You are marching through the deep jungle. Write a blog post about your experience. What sorts of weapons do you carry? Why is it important to stay alert?

