



03/23/03 Lance Corporal Patrick R. Nixon 21 St. Louis, Missouri
 Killed in action on March 23, 2003, on the outskirts of Nasiriya, Iraq
 1st Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Chief Warrant Officer Johnny Villareal Mata 35 El Paso, Texas
 Killed when his convoy was ambushed at Nasiriya , Iraq
 507th Maintenance Company, 11th Air Defense Artillery Brigade



03/23/03 Specialist James M. Kiehl 22 Des Moines, Iowa
 Killed when his convoy was ambushed near Nasiriya, Iraq
 507th Maintenance Company, 11th Air Defense Artillery Brigade



03/23/03 Private Nolen R. Hutchings 19 Boiling Springs, South Carolina
 Killed in operations on the outskirts of Nasiriya v
 1st Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Corporal Jorge A. Gonzalez 20 Los Angeles, California
 Killed in action near Nasiriya, Iraq
 1st Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Sergeant Michael E. Bitz 31 Ventura, California
 Killed in action near Nasiriya , Iraq
 2nd Assault Amphibious Battalion, 2nd Marine Division



03/23/03 2nd Lieutenant Frederick E. Pokorney Jr. 31 Nye, Nevada
 Killed in action near Nasiriya, Iraq
 Headquarters Battery, 1st Battalion, 10th Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Lance Corporal Brian Rory Buesing 20 Cedar Key, Florida
 Killed in action near Nasiriya , Iraq
 1st Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Private Jonathan L. Gifford 30 Decatur, Illinois
 Killed in operations on the outskirts of Nasiriya, Iraq
 1st Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Corporal Jose A. Garibay 21 Orange, California
 Killed in action near Nasiriya , Iraq
 1st Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Lance Corporal David K. Fribley 26 Lee, Florida
 Killed in action near Nasiriya, Iraq
 1st Battalion, 2nd Marine Regiment



03/23/03 Flight Lieutenant Kevin Barry Main 37 Burntwood, Staffordshire Eng.
 Killed as aircraft was downed by a U.S. Patriot missile near the Kuwaiti border .
 9 Squadron, Royal Air Force



03/23/03 Sergeant George Edward Buggs Barnell 31 South, Carolina
 Killed after his convoy was ambushed in Iraq
 3rd Forward Support Battalion, 3rd Infantry Division