

--- General / Personal ---

**Last name:** BILLS  
**First name:** LYLE PRESTON  
**Home of Record (official):** COUNCIL BLUFFS  
**State (official):** IA  
**Date of Birth:** Friday, August 20, 1948  
**Sex:** Male  
**Race:** Caucasian  
**Marital Status:** Single

--- Military ---

**Branch:** Marine Corps  
**Rank:** PFC  
**Serial Number:** 2334520  
**Component:** Regular  
**Pay grade:** E2  
**MOS (Military Occupational Specialty code):** 1811

--- Action ---

**Start of Tour:** Monday, February 19, 1968  
**Date of Casualty:** Friday, May 17, 1968  
**Age at time of loss:** 19  
**Casualty type:** (A1) Hostile, died  
**Reason:** Gun, small arms fire (Ground casualty)  
**Country:** South VietNam  
**Province:** Quang Nam  
**The Wall:** Panel 61E - Row 023

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