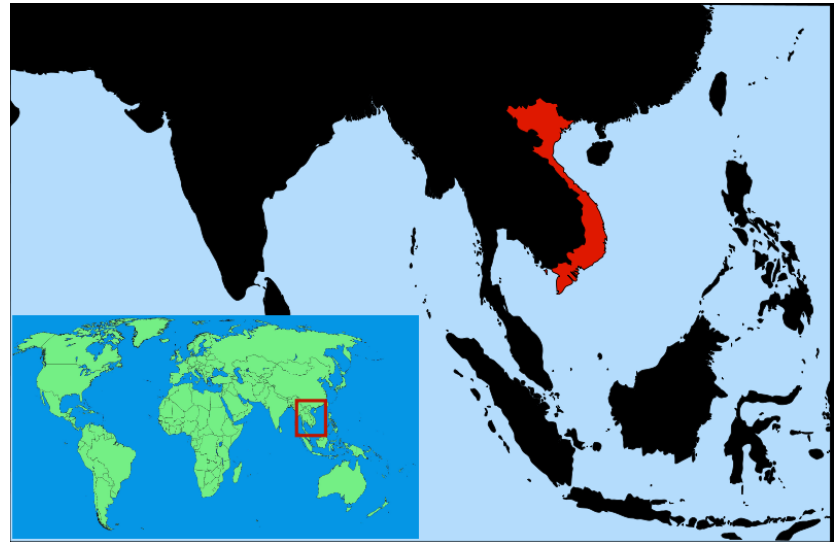




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- The Vietnam War was a long, costly armed conflict that took place in North Vietnam and started on November 1, 1955 and lasted until April 30, 1975, which is about 20 years! More than 3 million people, including 58,000 Americans, were killed in the war.



Cause:

- Some Vietnamese wanted to become Communists like in the Soviet Union and China, while other Vietnamese didn't want to.
- After the end of the second world war (1945) the two parties in Vietnam started to fight between themselves.



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- In 1955, civil war broke out in Vietnam. One army was supported by the Soviet Union (now Russia) and China. The other army was supported by the U.S.A and other countries.



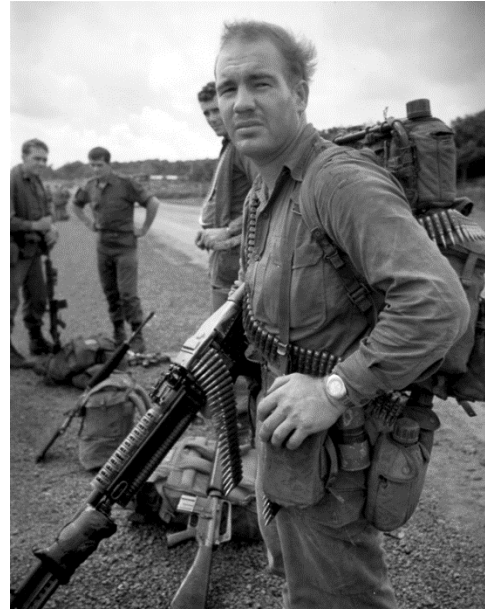
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- In 1960 the U.S.A joined and helped the war. They thought that this fact would help end the war sooner. In fact, the U.S.A got stuck in the war and realised that they couldn't win.



The Vietnam War!!!

- In 1974 president Ford decided that the U.S.A would leave the war and so, it ended.
- Apart from 58,000 American soldiers who were killed in the war, about 150,000 Vietnam veterans (old soldiers) came home injured, while at least 21,000 were unable to work for the rest of their lives.



KIM PHUC!

- Kim Phuc is the girl that we can see running without clothes with the other children because their village is on fire. This photo has won an Award and is world famous!



KIM PHUC!

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THE END!!!

