

A5130 AMBUSH (USA, 1992)

Credits: director/writer, Joseph Terrence Gray

Cast: Gregory Etter, Henry Haggard

Summary: Melodrama set in 1990s Kentucky. Three Vietnam veterans dig a grave for a friend who died of a drug/alcohol overdose and recriminate with each other over who was responsible for the death. Interspersed with flashbacks of their relationship, meetings of a veterans therapy group, and discussions of the effects of PTSD. At the end of the film it is revealed that one of the three is an impostor, pretending to be a veteran.

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