

A6230 ANGEL HILL : L'ULTIMA MISSIONE (ITALY, 1988)

(Other titles: Last platoon; Ultima missione)

Credits: director, Paul T. Robinson [i.e. Ignazio Dolce] ; writer, Tito Carpi.

Cast: Richard Hatch, Donald Pleasance, Max Laurel, Milene Thy-Sanh.

Summary: War film set in Vietnam in the 1960s. After his Vietnamese girlfriend disappears, Sgt. Costa (Hatch), a veteran of numerous commando missions, accepts a mission to blow up a bridge deep in Viet Cong territory. To accomplish this he is given command of six convicts who are only interested in escaping. After numerous ambushes the unit encounters counterrevolutionary villagers led by Costa's girlfriend, May Li (Thy-Sanh) who are out to avenge the murder of her brother by the VC. With the villagers help the Americans blow up the bridge, but May Li is captured, tortured and killed and all the Americans but Costa are killed in attempting to rescue her.

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