

H2520 HAMBURGER HILL (USA, 1987)

(Other titles: La colina de la hamburguesa)

Credits: director, John Irvin ; writer, Jim Carabatsos.

Cast: Anthony Barrile, Michael Patrick Boatman, Don Cheadle.

Summary: War film set in South Vietnam in 1969. Story of a platoon of the 101st Airborne Div. fighting in the Ashau Valley. They attack and capture a well entrenched NVA force on a mud-covered mound of earth, "Hill 937," nicknamed Hamburger Hill because it chews up soldiers like meat. They fight for their country, their fellow soldiers, and their lives with both desperation and an awareness of the futility of it all.

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