

Into the Storm



A Study in
Command



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Vietnam Aug 69
May 70

West Point 59
Armor - "tanker"
Columbia AA - 64

Czech
Border Berlin Crisis - 61
Cuban missile 62

Retired Nov 1994

146,000 AMER
and British
Corps Commander

12-4 star general
42-3 star
495,000 allies
force

38 years in Army
10 1/2 years a general
wife Denise 38 years

Process - Blackburn/Vietnam Veteran
What happened to the boy who lost his leg (1991)

"Don't worry General we trust you"

Duty, honor, country, integrity, loyalty, patriotism

"Chicken plate" - Snow (p58) 5 May 1970
Grenadine p61 at Snow

"Got Blue Flame" p79

Destroy fish in a barrel - image in D.C. (p463)
war wouldn't go on long

Swartzhoff accusing me of disobeying an order p465

Tom Brokaw's generosity

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End of Gulf War 445

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p 454 - disobeying of an order

p 346 - footnote Schwytkoff's criticism of me

Big Five p 104

The Bradley

the Apache

the Blackhawk

the Patriot

MI Abrams

General Hancock at Gettysburg p 248

Today a corps commander's life is not important

"not a screamer" p 519

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