





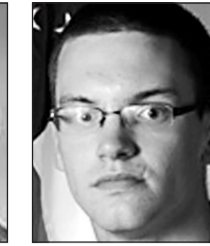





<p>April 6</p>  <p>Seaman Benjamin D. Rast, 23, Niles, Mich., hostile fire.</p>	<p>April 7</p>  <p>Staff Sgt. Jason A. Rogers, 28, Brandon, Miss., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 10</p>  <p>Spec. Keith T. Buzinski, 26, Daytona Beach, Fla., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 11</p>  <p>Sgt. Jose M. Caraballo Pietri, 32, Yauco, Puerto Rico, small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 13</p>  <p>Pvt. Brandon T. Pickering, 21, Fort Thomas, Ky., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 15</p>  <p>Spec. Brent M. Maher, 31, Council Bluffs, Iowa, improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 16</p>  <p>Spec. Donald L. Nichols, 21, Shell Rock, Iowa, improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 16</p>  <p>Spec. Joseph A. Kennedy, 25, St. Paul, Minn., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 16</p>  <p>Spec. Joseph B. Cemper, 21, Warrensburg, Mo., suicide bombing.</p>
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<p>April 16</p>  <p>Sgt. Linda L. Pierre, 28, Immokalee, Fla., suicide bombing.</p>	<p>April 18</p>  <p>Staff Sgt. Cynthia R. Taylor, 39, Columbus, Ga., suicide bombing.</p>	<p>April 20</p>  <p>Sgt. First Class Charles L. Adkins, 36, Sandusky, Ohio, suicide bombing.</p>	<p>April 18</p>  <p>Capt. Charles E. Ridgley Jr., 40, Baltimore, suicide bomber.</p>	<p>April 20</p>  <p>Spec. Paul J. Atim, 27, Green Bay, Wis., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 20</p>  <p>Sgt. Charles J. Wren, 25, Beeville, Texas, improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 20</p>  <p>Pfc. Joel A. Ramirez, 22, Waxahachie, Texas, improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 20</p>  <p>Spec. Sonny Jade Moses, 22, Koror, Palau, hostile fire.</p>	<p>April 20</p>  <p>Pfc. John F. Kihm, 19, Philadelphia, nonhostile cause.</p>
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<p>April 22</p>  <p>Sgt. John P. Castro, 25, Andrews, Texas, small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 22</p>  <p>Capt. Joshua M. McClimans, 30, Akron, Ohio, indirect hostile fire.</p>
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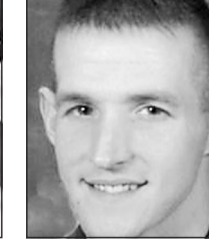





Marines during Taps at the funeral for Cpl. Joseph C. Whitehead, 22, of Axis, Ala., who was killed Jan. 17, 2011, by an improvised explosive device. JOHN DAVID MERCER / Associated Press

<p>April 23</p>  <p>Sgt. Sean T. Callahan, 23, Warrenton, Va., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 23</p>  <p>Lance Cpl. Dominic Ciaramitaro, 19, South Lyon, Mich., improvised explosive device.</p>
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<p>April 23</p>  <p>Chief Warrant Officer Terry L. Varnadore 2d, 29, Hendersonville, N.C., nonhostile, helicopter crash.</p>	<p>April 24</p>  <p>Staff Sgt. James A. Justice, 32, Grimes, Iowa, small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 24</p>  <p>Sgt. First Class Benjamin F. Bitner, 37, Greencastle, Pa., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 24</p>  <p>Sgt. David P. Day, 26, Gaylord, Mich., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 24</p>  <p>Sgt. First Class Bradley S. Hughes, 41, Newark, Ohio, nonhostile incident.</p>	<p>April 27</p>  <p>Cpl. Joe M. Jackson, 22, White Swan, Wash., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 27</p>  <p>Capt. Charles A. Ransom, 31, Midlothian, Va., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 27</p>  <p>Capt. Nathan J. Nylander, 35, Hockley, Texas, small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 27</p>  <p>Maj. Raymond G. Estelle 2d, 40, New Haven, Conn., small-arms fire.</p>
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<p>April 27</p>  <p>Lt. Col. Frank D. Bryant Jr., 37, Knoxville, Tenn., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Master Sgt. Tara R. Brown, 33, Deltona, Fla., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Maj. David L. Brodeur, 34, Auburn, Mass., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Maj. Jeffrey O. Ausborn, 41, Gadsden, Ala., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Maj. Philip D. Ambard, 44, Edmonds, Wash., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Pfc. Jonathan M. Villanueva, 19, Jacksonville, N.C., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Cpl. Adam D. Jones, 29, Germantown, Ohio, hostile fire.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Lance Cpl. Ronald D. Freeman, 25, Plant City, Fla., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>April 28</p>  <p>Spec. Preston J. Dennis, 23, Redding, Calif., improvised explosive device.</p>
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<p>April 28</p>  <p>Sgt. Matthew D. Hermanson, 22, Appleton, Wis., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>May 2</p>  <p>Cpl. Kevin W. White, 22, Westfield, N.Y., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 4</p>  <p>Spec. Riley S. Spaulding, 21, Sheridan, Texas, nonhostile incident.</p>	<p>May 9</p>  <p>Sgt. Ken K. Hermogino, 30, Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., vehicle accident.</p>	<p>May 10</p>  <p>First Lt. Demetrius M. Frison, 26, Lancaster, Miss., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 12</p>  <p>Sgt. Kevin B. Balduf, 27, Nashville, small-arms fire.</p>	<p>May 13</p>  <p>Lt. Col. Benjamin J. Palmer, 43, Modesto, Calif., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>May 14</p>  <p>Sgt. Amaru Aguilar, 26, Miami, hostile fire.</p>	<p>May 14</p>  <p>Sgt. Robert C. Schlotte, 26, Norfolk, Neb., illness.</p>
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<p>May 15</p>  <p>Spec. Brian D. Riley Jr., 24, Longwood, Fla., nonhostile incident.</p>	<p>May 16</p>  <p>Pvt. Cheziray Pressley, 21, North Charleston, S.C., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 16</p>  <p>Pvt. Lamarol J. Tucker, 26, Gainesville, Fla., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 16</p>  <p>Spec. Bradley L. Melton, 29, Rolla, Mo., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 18</p>  <p>Staff Sgt. David D. Self, 29, Pearl, Miss., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 23</p>  <p>Spec. Brandon M. Kirton, 25, Centennial, Colo., small-arms fire.</p>	<p>May 23</p>  <p>Pvt. Thomas C. Allers, 23, Plainwell, Mich., improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 23</p>  <p>Pvt. Andrew M. Krippner, 20, Garland, Texas, improvised explosive device.</p>	<p>May 23</p>  <p>Pfc. William S. Blevins, 21, Sardinia, Ohio, improvised explosive device.</p>
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