



# MOSS CREEK MARINES ADOPTED UNITS



Company K, 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion, 4<sup>th</sup> Marines  
19 June 2011

Upper Gereshk Valley, Helmand Province, Afghanistan

Sgt Dare CAAT Blue, SSgt Espinoza 2ndPlt, SSgt Lewis 1stPlt, SSgt Mast 3rdPlt, 1stLt Hanson 1stPlt,  
1stLt DeMayo 3rdPlt, Capt McGrath Co XO, 1stLt Inman CAAT 2, Capt Reese Co CO, 1stLt Powell 2ndPlt,  
1stSgt Sandoval Co 1stSgt, SSgt Dixon Mobile Aslt, GySgt Uribe Co GySgt, 1stLt Littlejohn Arty LNO,  
GySgt Torres Wpns Plt, 1stLt Riley Wpns Plt, Capt Tyler FAC

**ADOPTED UNIT NO. 49**  
**Kilo CO, 3rd BATTALION, 4th MARINES**  
**250 MARINES**

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**To:** Alan Calderon  
**Subject:** RE: Kilo 3d Bn 4th Marines

----- Original Message -----

From: "Reese Capt Craig Q (RC(SW) V3/4 Kilo Co CO)"  
<craig.reese2  
To: "Alan Calderon"  
Sent: Wednesday, July 20, 2011 9:43 AM  
Subject: Kilo 3d Bn 4th Marines

Gentlemen,

Thank you for all the hygiene/morale items you have sent. The Marines and Sailors appreciate it very much. It means a lot to us to know people are out there thinking about us and taking the time to help out in any way. We have been extremely busy, and you can go to the battalion website to follow us as we continue through the summer. Once again, thank you for your support.

Captain Craig Q. Reese  
Kilo Company Commander  
3d Battalion 4th Marines  
Upper Gereshk Valley, Afghanistan  
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-----Original Message-----

From: Alan Calderon  
Sent: Sunday, May 22, 2011 19:39  
To: Reese Capt Craig Q (RC(SW) V3/4 Kilo Co CO)  
Cc: Mott, Bill  
Subject: Second Request Fw: Moss Creek Marines

----- Original Message -----

From: Alan Calderon  
To: craig.reese2

Sent: Wednesday, May 18, 2011 5:06 PM  
Subject: Moss Creek Marines

Captain Reese,

I am the Commanding Officer of the Moss Creek Marines. We are delighted to adopt your unit. Please let me know how many Marines you have in your unit so that we supply an adequate number of each item. In addition, please let me know if there are any other items, in addition to the ones listed below, that your Marines require or want. We will do whatever we can to accommodate their requests.

As veteran Marines, we want to do what we can to support you and improve morale for Marines in harm's way. We above all know that freedom is not free.

Semper Fi,

Alan Calderon  
Commanding Officer Moss Creek Marines  
843 837-2176

----- Original Message -----

From: Bill Mott  
To: Alan Calderon  
Sent: Wednesday, May 18, 2011 11:03 AM  
Subject: Fw: Thank You

Al,  
Can we get the ball rolling to adopt this unit.....  
Bill

----- Original Message -----

From: Reese Capt Craig Q (RC(SW) V3/4 Kilo Co CO)  
To: Bill Mott  
Sent: Wednesday, May 18, 2011 8:22 AM  
Subject: Thank You

Mr. Mott,  
I want to start by thanking you for taking the time to help out forward-deployed Marines. As time goes on, I can forward articles about the company as they are posted on [www.marines.mil](http://www.marines.mil). This should keep you and your friends informed as to our whereabouts and operations that we have conducted. For many of the Marines, this is their first time in combat, and they are performing in typical Marine fashion. Marines of yesterday should be proud of the reputation that the Marines of today carry on. I am just lucky to have been able to serve with the finest men the United States has to offer. I look forward to staying in touch, and hopefully you enjoy watching a rifle company go through an Afghanistan deployment. I will pass on the Facebook page our battalion has to help with communication and provide information about the progress of the battalion. As for the Marines and what they need is very basic. We are located in both a desert and jungle-type environment. Socks, baby powder, baby wipes and typical hygiene products are what the Marines seem to need the most. If there is anything I can do for you, please let me know. Additionally, I write a monthly newsletter which is posted on our battalion web page.

Captain Craig Q. Reese  
Kilo Company Commander

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"Voodoo 6"

People sleep peaceably in their beds at night only because rough men stand ready to do violence on their behalf.  
George Orwell

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