**Robert Flanders Not a Jr. and not in the Marines**

Name Robert Johnson Flanders **Korea & Vietnam**

Birth Date 27 Sep 1929

Death Date 23 Dec 1993

Cemetery Fort Smith National Cemetery

Has Bio? Y

Spouse Martha Ruth *Doyle*

*Marriage Nov 13, 1949 in Fort Smith, Ar.*

*His residence was Douglas, Coffee Co., Ga.*

Joseph “Joe” Flanders

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Name Robert Johnson Flanders

Death Age 64

Birth Date 27 Sep 1929

**Service Start Date 28 May 1948**

**Service End Date 31 Aug 1974**

Death Date 23 Dec 1993

Cemetery Ft. Smith National Cemetery

Notes **Csm Us Army Korea Command sergeant major**

**A command sergeant major (CSM) is a non-commissioned rank and position of office in the United States Army. The holder of this rank and position is the most senior enlisted member of a color-bearing Army unit (battalion or higher). The CSM is appointed to serve as a spokesman to address the issues of all soldiers, from enlisted to officers, from warrant officers and lieutenants to the Army's highest positions. As such, they are the senior enlisted advisor to the commander. The exact duties vary depending on the unit commander, including observing training and talking with soldiers and their families.**

Name Robert J Flanders

Date Eligible to Return from Overseas 1 May 1969

Date Recommended Award Received 29 Apr 1969

Date Award Forwarded 24 May 1969

Service/Country U.S. Army

**Command/Staff IV Corps** - { *It was one of four corps in the ARVN, and it oversaw the Mekong Delta region of the country*.}

Recommended Award Legion of Merit

Approved Award Bronze Star Medal (Service)

Location Award Presented Award not Presented in Republic of Vietnam [South Vietnam] (RVN)

Posthumous Award presented while Living