



U.S. Air Force Staff Sgt. Daniel Taylor of Pittsburg, Penn., assigned to 11th Security Forces Squadron, Detachment 3, 732 Expeditionary Security Forces Squadron, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division folds an American flag after a photo opportunity in front of the Crossed Swords in Baghdad, Iraq, Dec. 4, 2008.

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U.S. Army Sgt. 1st Class Greg Seamon (right) of Headquarters Company, Brigade Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division, shares a laugh with a local Iraqi teenager while presenting him with a sweatshirt during a leader's engagement in Muhallah 726, 9 Nissan, eastern Baghdad, Iraq, Dec. 10, 2008.

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Iraqi police enter a house in search of suspected criminals during Cordon and Search operations in Diwaniyah, Iraq, Dec. 10, 2008. The Iraqi army and Iraqi police work together to complete the operation.

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An Iraqi woman cradles her child as a combined U.S. Air Force security and Iraqi national police patrol passes by in the Rashid community of southern Baghdad, Iraq, Dec. 4, 2008.

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U.S. Air Force Security personnel accompany an Iraqi national policeman of the criminal investigations division on a walking patrol. They are meeting Iraqi civilians and handing out leaflets in the Rashid community of southern Baghdad, Iraq, Dec. 4, 2008. The Airmen are assigned to Squadron 11, Detachment 3, 732 Expeditionary Security Forces Squadron, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division. (U.S. Navy Photo by Petty Officer 2nd Class Todd Frantom/Released) 081204-N-1810F-077

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U.S. Air Force Senior Airman Drew Freeburg of Warner Robbins, Ga., patrols the streets among Iraqi boys in the Rashid community of southern Baghdad, Iraq, Dec. 04, 2008. The Airmen are assigned to Squadron 11, Detachment 3, 732 Expeditionary Security Forces Squadron, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division.

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U.S. Air Force Security personnel greet Iraqi civilians during a walking patrol in the Rashid community of southern Baghdad, Iraq, Dec. 4, 2008. The Airmen are assigned to Squadron 11, Detachment 3, 732 Expeditionary Security Forces Squadron, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division.

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A young Iraqi child clinches a coloring book given to her by Iraqi policemen during a walking patrol with the U.S. Air Force. They are meeting Iraqi civilians and handing out leaflets in the Rashid community of southern Baghdad, Iraq, Dec. 4, 2008. The Airmen are assigned to Squadron 11, Detachment 3, 732 Expeditionary Security Forces Squadron, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division. (U.S. Navy Photo by Petty Officer 2nd Class Todd Frantom/Released) 081204-N-1810F-069

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U.S. Army 1st. Lt. Jacob Cook leads his Soldiers while patrolling the Udaim River Valley. U.S. Army Soldiers from the 1st Battalion, 24th Infantry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division and Iraqi soldiers from 2nd Battalion, 19th Brigade, 5th Division conduct a foot patrol search of the Udaim River Valley for enemy weapons caches and transport routes, Dec. 12, 2008. This joint operation called Hammer Pursuit III is intended to stop the trafficking of weapons in the Diyala Province, Iraq.

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An Iraqi Army soldier surveys the river bed for possible enemy crossing points. U.S. Army Soldiers of 1st Battalion, 24th Infantry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division and Iraqi Army soldiers of the 2nd Battalion, 19th Brigade, 5th Division conduct foot patrol searches of the Udaim River Valley for enemy weapons caches and transport routes, Dec. 11, 2008. This joint operation called Hammer Pursuit III is intended to stop the trafficking of weapons in the Diyala Province, Iraq.

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U.S. Army Capt. Scott Edelein and Ssgt. Ian Martinez investigate a hole near a suspected weapons trafficking area. U.S. Army Soldiers of 1st Battalion, 24th Infantry Regiment, 1st Stryker Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division and Iraqi Army soldiers of 2nd Battalion, 19th Brigade, 5th Division conduct foot patrol searches of the Udaim River Valley for enemy weapons caches and transport routes, Dec. 11, 2008. This joint operation called Hammer Pursuit III is intended to stop the trafficking of weapons in the Diyala Province, Iraq.

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