Last Days

Description

I see the â€œwakeupâ€• clearly up ahead.

Here is a quote from â€œLast Days at the FOBâ€•:

> â€œDo not mistake my words. I am not broken, nor am I damaged. The story of our mission is not a tragedy, despite our losses. The deepest etchings on my soul, the ones that will remain in both this life and the next, were the incandescent examples of valor, courage, and brotherhood I witnessed each and every day. The men who served at my side were bound to me, and I to them, with tidal forces that have no equivalent in the sterile formality of the living world. Back home the concept of â€œselfâ€• is a rigid construct, a domain mapped with the rigid formality of a land agreement. But here on the bleeding edge we became more something greater than our individual parts. We became a family.â€•

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Profound to the very coreâ€¦

Lt Currie, CPT Bout, and Major K are almost out of the combat zone, but, as Danjel says above, itâ€™s about those he fought beside, that have changed him. An echo of the veterans of combat in so many wars once more.

Hereâ€™s a link to an interview with CPT Danjel Bout on the Milblogging site. Itâ€™s a very interesting read, and a chance to find out what one manâ€™s stress relief has managed to accomplish. (HT: Mudville Gazette.

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