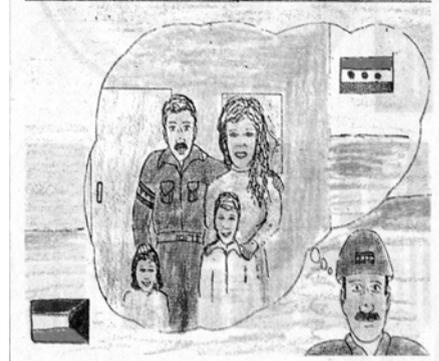
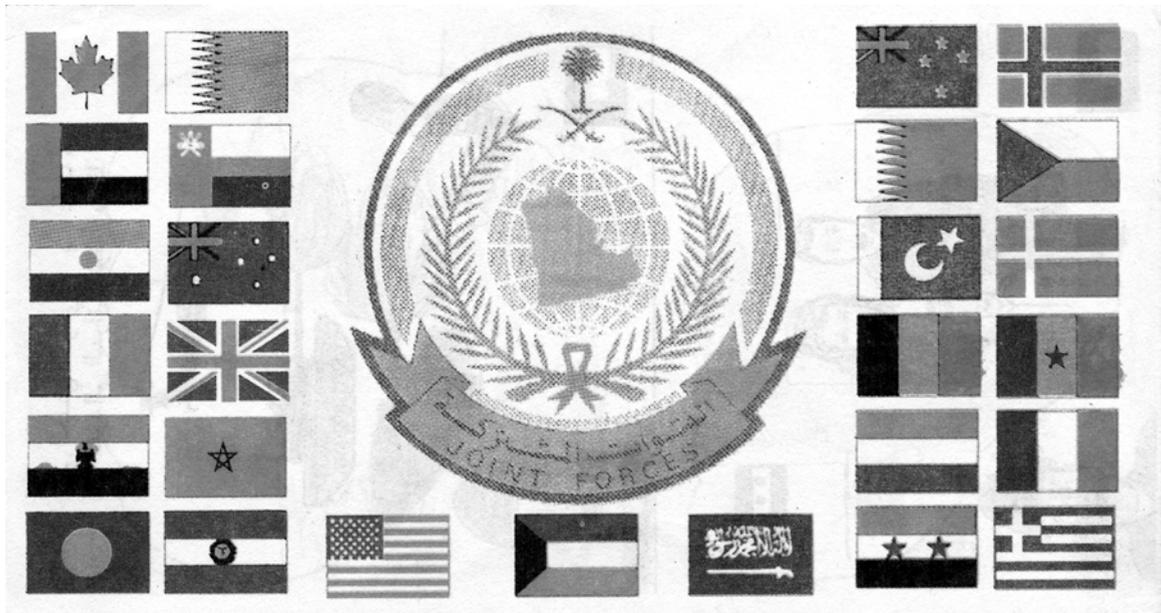


GULF WAR IMAGES



- ▶ Combat artist Lieutenant Colonel Frank Thomas standing on Kuwaiti Emir's Palace balcony on March 26, 1991. Courtesy of Frank M. Thomas.
- ▼ Example of leaflet dropped in Iraq during Operation Desert Storm. Courtesy of Brent Johnson.
- ◀ Combat artist Lieutenant Colonel Frank Thomas with burning oil field fires in the background, north of Kuwait City on March 20, 1991. Courtesy of Frank M. Thomas.
- ▼ An Iraqi 25 dinar banknote. Courtesy of Brent Johnson.



Reverse side of leaflets dropped in Iraq during Desert Storm visually showing that a coalition of many nations was united to remove Iraqi forces from Kuwait. Courtesy of Brent Johnson.

Desperate Extraction: North of the Euphrates, Two Days Before the War by U.S. Army combat artist Frank M. Thomas. This nine-man Special Forces team is shown being extracted after their commando operation went awry in Iraq. Courtesy of the artist.





Baghdad Express: Special Operations Assault into Iraq by U.S. Army combat artist Frank M. Thomas. The artist painted this after learning of a helicopter that was forced to land on a stack of Army mattresses because its rear wheels had been shot off. Courtesy of the artist.



Desert Storm: M1 Abrams Main Battle Tanks in the Attack by Latter-day Saint U.S. Army combat artist Frank M. Thomas. Nicknamed "Whispering Death" by U.S. soldiers, the tank's quiet jet engine allows it to approach within a mile of its intended target without being heard. Courtesy of the artist.



Thunder in the Desert: Arkansas National Guard 142nd Brigade Firing in Desert Storm by U.S. Army combat artist Frank M. Thomas. Courtesy of the artist.



Cutting the Basra Highway: 1/4 "Horse Cavalry" Attacks the Retreating Iraqi Army by U.S. Army combat artist Frank M. Thomas. Known as the "Quarter-Horse" cavalry since the Civil War, this painting illustrates one of the last battles fought in the Gulf War. Courtesy of the artist.