



MEDIA PEACE AWARDS 2016

Promotion of Positive Images of the Older Person

FINALIST

Rebecca Baillie and Philippa McDonald
ABC TV Australian Story

What a Wonderful World

Timed to coincide with the 50th anniversary of the Battle of Long Tan, Australian Story accompanied Patricia Amphlett (or Little Pattie as she has always been fondly known) as she returned to sing in Vietnam, as she had done at 17 when she became the youngest Australian to entertain troops during the Vietnam War.

Pattie's lifelong contribution to raising awareness of the plight of Vietnam veterans was highlighted in this program, along with her reaction to the last minute cancellation of the planned commemoration.

