

STEPS FOR PROTECTION

GOOD NEWS! THESE SOLDIERS IN GERMANY HAVE COME UP WITH THREE GOOD WAYS TO KEEP YOU AVENGING!



THAT IS GOOD NEWS!

Dear Editor,

These Avenger suggestions are cheap and easy.

Get a step ladder and keep it in the Avenger maintenance truck. That way, in the field operators and repairmen can use the ladder for boresighting and general maintenance and not have to hang on the side of the Avenger, where they risk a fall or damage to Avenger components.

Turn the combat identification panels so that the OFF side faces out. If you leave the panels with the working side facing out, they often are damaged by trees or other object slamming into them. Keeping that side facing in gives the panel protection. In a training or battle situation, you can quickly slide the panels out of their brackets, reverse them, and be ready to operate.

Store the M3P machine gun feed chutes in a cool, dry place with a light coat of CLP. Most units leave the chute either hooked up to the Avenger or stored in the bustle box. Moisture corrodes the chute and then you have feeding problems.

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