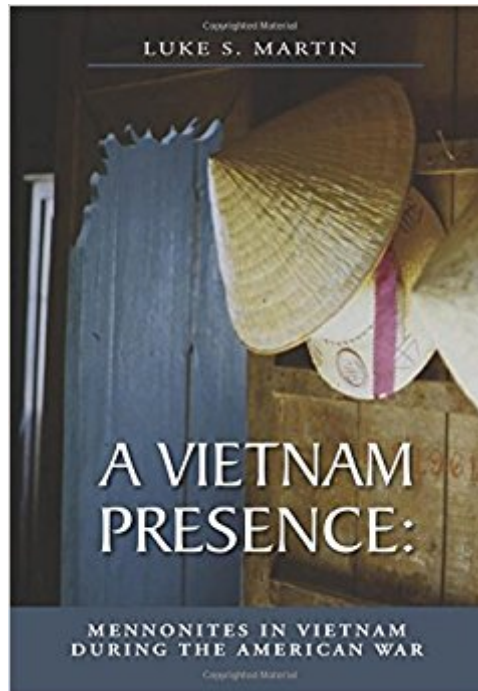


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# A Vietnam Presence: Mennonites In Vietnam During The American War



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Luke Martin's *A Vietnam Presence: Mennonites in Vietnam during the American War*; is quite simply

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