

# Mrs. Nhu Says Reds Won't Last

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Mrs. Ngo Dinh Nhu, once a formidable political power in South Vietnam who fled after her husband's assassination in 1963, predicts Communist rule in South Vietnam will not last.

"Vietnam may fall many times, but that does not mean each time is forever. And I think this time will be the shortest," she said in a television interview aired yesterday.

Mrs. Nhu said the American record in South Vietnam over the last 12 years "has proven that military strength means nothing."

"The dilemma of North Vietnam is that the Communists now have exactly the same problems as the Americans did for 12 years," she said. "The North Vietnamese do not have control of the people."

Mrs. Nhu, on her first visit here since 1963, was interviewed on NBC-TV's "Tomorrow" program a few hours after she arrived from Rome.

Considered one of her country's most powerful women in the early 1960s, Mrs. Nhu fled after her husband and her brother-in-law, South Vietnamese president Ngo Dinh Diem were killed.

Before the telecast, a spokesman confirmed that NBC paid Mrs. Nhu \$1200 for her appearance.

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MRS. NHU ON TV  
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