A Columnist Who ...

Editor — Throughout the long, ugly history of the Vietnam war it has been a comfort to turn your editorial pages and find a columnist who has so deftly used humor to expose the failures of our policy. His satiric exaggerations of the claims of the American and South Vietnamese governments have done more than straight reporting ever could to reveal matters in perspective. The biting with applies in evaluating the current offensive carries on this tradition magnificently.

Thank you for Joseph Alsop.

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