Rifleman Moore

Strong memories

I was blown up a few times. The first time I was on guard duty in a sangar, they managed to sneak up and plant and IED right underneath my sangar. Blew it up and it collapsed on me...

...because it's happening so fast you don't know what's happening. And when you wake, well come to and you get dragged out I found I was so, didn't know who I was, I didn't know what I was doing and..fear, scared anxious. Uncertaintity, and those are the big words obivously.

I was caught in a daisy chain device. It's an IED which is linked to another IED, which normally detonates at the same time or a few seconds after. I was caught in a daisy chain, I was the last man in my section who was caught and I was, we were going to assist another call sign who had a fatality in their section...

As I say, I was being extracted from PB Almas to Nolay and I was shot in the back from small arms fire.

So I assume obviously that it must have hit your Osprey armour?

Yes, my back plate. I'm happy with the Osprey. It's good, the best, probably the best armour you could probably get out there at the minute.