

September 2018 S-Cut feedback:

LTC XXX,

Sir,

I wanted to wait until I had used the S-Cut tool "under fire" a few times before I sent you my opinion on this tool.

This cutter is the absolute best tool I have used to remove clothing on a medical call in my 21 years of emergency services work.

I cannot say enough good things about this tool.

The first call it was used on was a stabbing. I had to remove the patient's shirt. I was able to cut the shirt off before the Paramedic could cut the short sleeve of ONE of the sleeves of the shirt with our regular trauma sheers.

When the tool is dull, the ability to twist the blade and keep working is a HUGE time saver. When Trauma sheers becomes dull, we are usually searching the truck for a new pair. The number system on the blade also gives an indicator that the blade needs replaced as opposed to finding out when you need it the most.

The ONLY disadvantage to this tool is the length and ability to keep it in my cargo pocket. However, the combat medic will most likely keep this in their aid bag making it a non-issue.

If the Tennessee Army National Guard is looking for a tool that will help the combat medic do his/her job more efficiently, this is the tool. Each time I have used it, my partners and even ER nurses have asked where they can purchase one.

If you have any more questions or concerns, I'll be happy to answer them.

Thank you for allowing me to test this tool in real world conditions. I will most likely purchase another when this one has worn out.

Respectfully,

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"There's no substitute for guts."

Paul "Bear" Bryant

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