

PFC- W. Wallace Richard Church Street Bridge

A bronze plaque located on the Church St. bridge over the Mass Pike in Newton Corner, near the West Suburban YMCA building, is dedicated to the memory of PFC W. Wallace Richard, an Auburndale resident who was Newton's first casualty of the Vietnam War killed in action on December 21, 1965.



W. WALLACE RICHARD BRIDGE

IN MEMORY OF

W. WALLACE RICHARD

JULY 12, 1941 - DECEMBER 21, 1965

PFC., CO. B, 2 INF., 1ST INFANTRY DIVISION

NEWTON'S FIRST WAR CASUALTY

OF THE VIETNAM CONFLICT

1968