

Thomas Richard Dwyer Obituaries

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Sp4 Thomas R. Dwyer Dies in Vietnam at 23


Army Sp-4 Thomas R. Dwyer, 23, of 111 Dudley st., Cambridge, was killed July 6 in Vietnam, where he had been serving four months with F Battery of the 16th Artillery, the Pentagon announced.

Drafted in September of 1968, he attended Boston State College for three years. He planned to return to school for his degree and later to pursue a career as a writer after discharge from the service.

He was the second son of Richard B. and Beatrice G. Dwyer to serve in Vietnam. His brother, John, served a one-year tour there, ending December, 1967, and was discharged from the service in May, 1968.

Thomas graduated from St. Mary's High School, Cambridge, in 1963. He played basketball there and took an interest in the Catholic Youth Organization of Notre Dame Church, Cambridge, and the Redmen Assn. in Wakefield.

An English major, he was an actor with the Shake-



THOMAS R. DWYER
... in 1964

speare Club at Boston State and was also a member of the Cardinal Newman Club there.

He received his basic training at Ft. Gordon, Ga. and advanced training at Ft. Sill, Okla., before his Vietnam assignment.

He leaves his parents, his brother, and two sisters, Nancy and Patricia Dwyer, both of Cambridge.

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Army Sp/4 Thomas R. Dwyer, 23, of 111 Dudley st., was killed in action, in Vietnam, July 6.

A native of Somerville, he had lived in Cambridge for about 6 years and was a graduate of St. Mary's High School. He entered the service in Sept. 1968 and had been in Vietnam for five months.

He is survived by his parents, Richard B., and Beatrice G. Dwyer, a brother, John R., and two sisters, Nancy M., and Patricia A. Dwyer, all of Cambridge.

Services were held yesterday (Wednesday) from the Keefe Funeral Home, followed by a requiem high Mass in St. John's Church. Burial, with full military honors, was in Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden.

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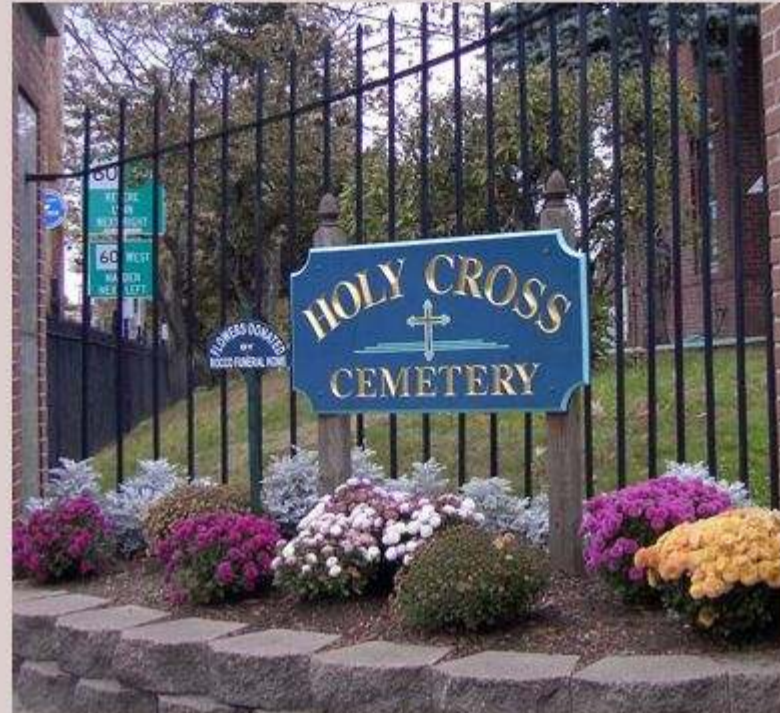
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