

Square Name: Duke Square

Veteran Name: Alan Everett Duke

Square Location: Located at the intersection of Grafton Street and Kenilworth Road

GPS Coordinates: 42.286029, -71.711891

Date of Birth: 8 September 1922

Location of Birth: Worcester, Massachusetts

War: World War II

Branch / Rank: Army Air Force / Corporal

Group: 46 Bomb Squadron, 79 Bomb Group

Date of Death: 27 September 1942 (20)

Location of Death: Cherry Point, North Carolina

Other Facts: Enlisted 1 May 1941. Lived at 101 Grafton Street in 1940. Radioman aboard an A-29 bomber flying out of what is now Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point, NC. His squadron's mission was to fly anti-submarine patrols off the coast. Alan's aircraft was seen to crash into the ocean while on patrol; all hands were lost. Memorial in Mountain View Cemetery Section 25. Interned at Massachusetts National Cemetery in 30 September 1983.

