

Marker # 163

Surname(s): Root

Inscription Transcription and Photo(s):

Sheldon C. Root  
Born in  
Southampton Mass.  
Dec. 3, 1810  
Died in  
Northville, Mich  
Oct. 14, 1892.



Lat / Long: 42° 25' 45.92" N , 83° 29' 10.66" W

**Condition of Inscription:**

- Excellent
- Clear but worn
- Mostly decipherable
- Mostly undecipherable

**Inscription Technique:**

- Incised
- Relief
- Other (describe):

**Inscription:**

# of individuals commemorated: 1  
 # of carved surfaces: 1  
 Stonecutter mark: no

**Gravestone Design Features/Motifs:** none

**Material:**

- Marble
- Limestone
- Zinc
- Granite
- Sandstone
- Other Stone/Material (describe)

**Gravestone Dimensions:**

Height: 42"  
 Width: 20.25"  
 Thickness: 3.75"

**Condition of Marker:**

- Sound
- Weathered
- Vandalized
- Leaning in Ground
- Missing (base only)
- Mower Scars
- Other (describe):
- Stained / Discolored
- Cracked
- Unattached to Base
- Repaired
- ? Loose (not in ground, but marks grave)
- Portions Missing (list):
- Buried
- Broken—# of pieces: 2 found
- Overgrown (grass / groundcover)
- Biological (moss / lichen covered)
- Displaced (not marking grave)

**Type of Marker / Monument:**

probably die in socket, but socket wasn't found

**Type of Tombstone Arch:**



segmental

**Previous Repairs:**

**Remarks / Comments:** This stone is broken across the bottom. It is most likely in the correct location.