

Taliaferro's Division Monument ^[1]

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Description: The monument is a granite slab commemorating the division that manned the first line of defense for the Confederates during the Battle of Averagesboro. The slab is rectangular with a shallow point at the top, giving it a tombstone-like appearance.

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Inscription:

Front:

TALIAFERRO'S / DIVISION ELLIOTT'S BRIGADE / 22ND GA BN 28TH GA BN / HANLEITER'S BN MANIGAULT'S BN /
2ND SC HEAVY ARTY BN / GIST GUARD ARTY / 6TH NC BN ARMORY GUARDS / RHETT'S BRIGADE / 1ST SC INF
(REG) / 1ST SC HEAVY ARTY BN / LUCAS'S SC BN

ARTILLERY BATALLION / LEGARDEUR'S BTRY / STUART'S BTRY /

Rear: DEDICATED TO THE / CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS / OF TALIAFERRO'S DIVISION / WHO FOUGHT AND DIED /
DURING / THE BATTLE OF AVERASBORO / MARCH 15-16, 1865

Dedication date: 1999

Materials & Techniques: Granite

Sponsor: Averagesboro Battlefield Commission

Subject notes: This division manned the first line of defense for the Confederates during the Battle of Averagesboro

Location: The marker is located near Dunn, in Cumberland County. It sits on Burnett Road (North Carolina Route 82), just south of the Harnett County line.

Landscape: The monument is located at the site of the first line of the Confederate defense and is within walking distance of a number of other markers.

City: Dunn

County: Cumberland

Subjects: Civil War

Latitude: 35.2519

Longitude: -78.6805

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