

# Vietnam Veterans Memorial

case study  
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**Architect:** Maya Lin

**Owner:** Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund

**Year of completion:** 1982

**Climate:** Cfa, Humid Subtropical Climate

**Material of interest:** Black Granite

**Application:** walls, safety curbs and walkways

**Properties of material:** It is black granite from Bangalore, India, one of only three places in the world (the other countries are Sweden and South Africa) that you could get this amount of black granite in large sizes..

**Sources:**

<http://www.thewall-usa.com/information.asp>

