

**Wayne Wadhams** passed away on August 19 in Boston, after a long illness. Wayne took off his senior year, graduating in 1969, in order to tour with his rock band, *The Fifth Estate*, after its hit song, “Ding, Dong, the Witch is Dead,” rose near the top of the charts. An English major and Film Society member, he produced and directed short films, including the award-winning “Garden,” an animation on Hieronymous Bosch’s 15<sup>th</sup> C painting, “The Garden of Earthly Delights.” Following Dartmouth, Wayne moved to Boston, as co-founder of Film Associates, an award-winning production company. In the mid-1970’s, he founded the Orson Welles Film School and Studio B Recording Studios. His own *Boston Skyline* label features a library of great classical recordings, which Wayne re-engineered or produced. In 1982, he began teaching at Berklee College of Music, creating a production and engineering department and recording studios that melded musical creativity and technical excellence. He’s the author of several books about studio recording, as well as Inside the Hits, a music lover’s guide to rock history. Wayne is survived by his partner, David Drummond Moran.

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