



John Crosson Taylor Jr.

October 5, 1931 - February 18, 2023

To our loving father your spirit will always be with us in our hearts, we love you Dad you are our Superhero.

John Crosson Taylor Jr. 91 years old, of Clermont FL, passed away on February 18th, 2023. He was born in Jacksonville FL, on October 5th, 1931 to parents John Crosson Taylor and Ethel Mae Johnson.

John served in the United States Airforce from May 16th, 1969 till his retirement as Master Sergeant on November 5th, 1989.

John is survived by his sons Richard Taylor, James Taylor, Joseph Taylor. Daughter Melinda Taylor Smart, grandsons Jared Taylor, Jacob Taylor, Michael Taylor, Jonathan Kempf, Christopher Taylor. Two granddaughters Megan Floyd and Kristine Kempf. John had 12 great grandkids.

Funeral Service at Florida National Cemetery on Friday March 3rd, 2023 at 11:15 AM.

Address - 6502 SW 102nd Ave Bushnell, FL 33513.

Tribute Wall

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“ John took me in off the streets many years ago -- Eugene was there before me - I was homeless at the time -- John was the most kindest, soul you will ever meet -- He took Bandit and I and allowed us to stay in the shed -- there were times he could have asked us to leave but he never did -- he never gave up on me - John became a father figure to me and always pushed and wanted me to be better than I felt I was - He drove me to doctors' appointments, vet, even picked me up from the hospital because of my severe anxiety -- he never gave up on me -- the only person ever that never gave up on me -- he showed compassion, love and just being a wonderful man to everyone he met - he loved Sandy, Snoppy, lola, daisy, lerooy the dogs that kept him young -- The holidays were filled with john's amazing cooking and made sure we all had plenty of food and left overs - he served our country with grace and dignity -- he loved his children as he always spoke so highly of them -- i will miss him beyond words can say -- even when i moved out we kept in touch -- i will never forget him or his generosity or his compassion and love for others - he was a one of a kind man who lived life to its fullest and I will never forget him ever -- Prayers out to Eugene, his children, grandchildren and all who knew him -- he was a truly wonderful man beyond words can say -- Thank you my friend -- RIP - Sal & Buddy

Sal LaSardo - March 01, 2023 at 10:31 PM

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“ Sal LaSardo lit a candle in memory of John Crosson Taylor Jr.



Sal LaSardo - March 01, 2023 at 10:25 PM

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“ John took me in to live in the shed on his property many ago - Eugene was there too -- Bandit my other dog was winding down and we were homeless -- John took us in and allowed us stay 6 years in the shed next to Eugene area -- John showed love and compassion, kindness and care beyond words can say -- John believed in me when no one else did -- he was like a father to me as i had no relationship with my own father - many times John could have given up on me but he never did -- he took me to my doctors appointments, because i could not drive -- and when bandit died he was there for me too -- he allowed me to get another dog -- i tried to pay him rent when i had money, i tried to help as much as possible -- spend time with him -- i could have been a better roommate but John understood i have problems -- he was the nicest kindest soul you will ever know - - he loved the dogs -- Sandy and Snoopy gave him so much joy as did other dogs he had - Leroy, Lola, and Daisy who all passed away -- No one can ever say a bad thing about John and my heart breaks knowing he is no longer here - we kept in touch via email since i moved because he wanted me to get on with my life -- he believed in me always -- and i will cherish the times we spent together and know he is in a better place - I miss you my friend -- love you -- thank you for being a father figure to me - thank you for the help you have given, thank you for serving our country - RIP my friend - I will never forget you -



Sal LaSardo - March 01, 2023 at 10:22 PM

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“ Gene & Marcia purchased the Simply Elegant Sp
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Jr..



Gene & Marcia - March 01, 2023 at 11:47 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Crosson Taylor Jr..*



February 27, 2023 at 06:59 PM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



DeGusipe Funeral Home - February 24, 2023 at 03:57 PM