



## John Taylor

September 4, 1925 - October 13, 2005

John W. "Jack" Taylor age 80, of Dixon died on Thursday October 13, 2005 in the Madison, Wisconsin Veterans Administration Hospital. He was born in Dixon, Illinois on Sept. 4, 1925 the son of Guy and Ethel (Brady) Taylor. He had been employed by General Cartage as a truck driver from 1947 until 1950. He then worked as a Yardmaster for the Illinois Central Railroad in Dixon from 1951 until 1980. From 1980 until his retirement in 1996 he was a locksmith and operated Taylor Trucking. He had served in the U.S. Merchant Marines during World War II. and was a member of the Dixon American Legion Post 12. He also was a Volunteer Fireman with the Dixon Fire Department for 19 years. He is survived by 4 daughters Patricia (Dale) Minkel of Tremont, IL, Jackie (Fred) Rowell of Peoria IL, Donna Taylor, Dixon, IL and Mary Rickabaugh of Palm Springs CA; 7 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren; 1 brother Robert Dale (Gerda) Taylor of Colorado Springs, CO and 1 sister Mary Lu (James) Grove of Dixon. Mass of Christian Burial will be on Tuesday Oct. 18, 2005 at 10:30 A.M. in St. Patrick Catholic Church Dixon with the Rev. Robert Jones pastor officiating. Burial with Military Graveside Services provided by the Dixon Combined Veterans Group will be in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens Dixon. Visitation will be on Tuesday in the Jones Funeral Home from 9:00 until 10:00 A.M. A Memorial has been established. Condolences may be sent at [www.thejonesfh.com](http://www.thejonesfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



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October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



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December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM