



## Ennis Wilson Taylor Jr.

February 12, 1948 - November 11, 2021

Ennis Wilson Taylor, Jr., age 73, of Sweetwater, passed away Thursday, November 11, 2021. He was a native Tennessean, born in Nashville and has lived in Sweetwater for 30 years. He was Vietnam Veteran and was retired, after 25 years, from Cleveland State Community College as Director of Administrative Governmental Services. He was a strong loving man and enjoyed his family, horses and participating in the VFW.

He was preceded in death by his parents: Ennis W. Taylor, Sr. and Altie Willene Taylor; brother: David Taylor; great- grandson: Lucas Isaiah Morgan

Survivors include best friend and companion of 17 years, Debbie Richesin; best friend of 48 years, Jim Griffin; daughter: Julie Farmer; sons: John and Chad Sprouse; three grandchildren: Kaitlin Morgan, Seth Farmer, Kelsey Farmer; two great- grandchildren: Everly Grace Morgan and Madilynn June Farmer.

Family and friends will meet at 1:45 P.M. at the Sweetwater Memorial Park on Saturday, November 20, 2021 for a 2:00 P.M. graveside service and interment with Jim Griffin officiating. Military honors will be provide by the Sweetwater Gold Star Post 5156, the Monroe County D.A.V. Post 106, and members of the American Legions Post 93. Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, in charge of arrangements. [www.kykerfuneralhomes.com](http://www.kykerfuneralhomes.com)



# Cemetery Details

## Sweetwater Memorial Park

1838 Hwy 11 N  
Sweetwater, TN 37874

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

NOV 20. 2:00 PM (ET)

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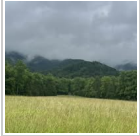
# Tribute Wall

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“ *Ennis was a good friend to me and my late husband. And he was a heck of a card player! Such a sweet soul.*

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**Patty Hurley** - March 25, 2022 at 06:58 PM



“ *Working with Ennis during my twelve years at Cleveland State was always a pleasure. He was always informed and thorough. willing to ask hard questions at the state level and follow up in problem solving on innovative state networking challenges. Thank you, Ennis.*

*Mary Evelyn Lynn  
Director of library*

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**Mary Evelyn Lynn** - November 18, 2021 at 01:58 PM

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“ *I worked with Ennis at Cleveland State for many years. I'm so sorry for your loss. Sending love and prayers to all of the family.*

*Holly Appleton*

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**Holly Appleton** - November 18, 2021 at 08:37 AM