



## Eugene "Gene" Taylor

May 22, 1928 - October 3, 2012

Eugene "Gene" Taylor, age 84, of Sweetwater, passed away on Wednesday October 3, 2012, at the family home. Mr. Taylor was a member of North Sweetwater Baptist Church, where he was a former Sunday school teacher for over 12 years. A veteran of the U.S. Army, having served in the Korean War as a C.P.L. A life time member of the Sweetwater Gold Star V.F.W. Post 5156, also a member of the Sweetwater American Legion Post, and a former member of the Sweetwater Odd Fellows Lodge . Retired from Sweetwater Hospital, a retired plumber and electrician. Mr. Taylor was a diehard Atlanta Braves fan. Preceded in death by his parents: Christopher and Annie Taylor, step –father: Author Nix, sisters: Thelma Taylor, and Ruth White, son-in-law: Jim Thompson. Survivors include wife of 58 years: Lorene Taylor, daughter: Linda Gail Thompson, all of Sweetwater, daughter and son-in-law: Brenda Faye and Randy Skinner, of Ten Mile, son and daughter-in-law: Christopher E. and Mary Taylor, of Sweetwater, grandchildren: Nicky Thompson, Jamie Thompson, Ketia Kyle, Aaron Skinner, Alissa Taylor, Cody Taylor, step-grandson: Mike Cain and family, 5 great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends on Sunday October 7, 2012 at Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, from 2:00P.M. until 4:00P.M. Graveside service and interment 2:00P.M. Monday in the Sweetwater Memorial Park, with Rev. Don Rockholt and Rev. Mike Justice officiating. Full military honors will be provided by members of the Sweetwater VFW Post 5156 and the Monroe County Disabled American Veterans #93. In lieu of flowers memorials may be

made to the Alzheimer's Association or to American Cancer Society. Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater in charge of arrangements. [www.kykerfuneralhomes.com](http://www.kykerfuneralhomes.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *May God's Peace come quickly. Thinking of you and your family.*

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**Horace & Susan Shultz - Sweetwater, TN - Neighbor** - October 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Your family is in my thoughts and prayers*

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**Rhonda Allen Raines** - October 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *To the Taylor Family  
Our thought & prayers are with you during this time*

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**Frieda & Robert Cansler - Sweetwater, TN - friend** - October 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Gene and Lorraine have been wonderful friends and neighbors . We have known them since 1985. They couldn't be any sweeter or friendlier than they have been to us.*

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**David and Janis Lane - Sweetwater, TN - Neighbors** - October 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I was so sorry to hear that Gene passed away...I pray for peace and comfort from God for Lorene and all of his family...I have many happy memories of good times with Lorene and Gene..my deepest sympathy and love...Nancy*

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**Nancy Plemmons - SWEETWATER, TN - Friend** - October 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ Gene was a great friend and neighbor he will be sadly missed. Rest in peace. Ray and Carrie Ellington

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**Carrie ellington - Sweet water, TN - Neighbor** - October 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM