



Ruth Jean Taylor

June 18, 1935 - February 1, 2022

Ruth Jean Taylor, age 86, of Burfordville, passed away on February 1, 2022 at Barnes Jewish Hospital.

She was born on June 18, 1935 to Jess and Abba Proffer in Crump, Missouri. She married James D. Taylor on May 29, 1960 and he preceded her in death Jan. 23, 2022.

Ruth worked at the International Shoe Factory in Jackson for over forty years. She loved to quilt and loved gardening.

She is survived by her son, David Taylor (Pat Huber) of Jackson; daughter, Marlene (Charles Sr.) Rouse of Greenwood, Florida; five grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

Besides her husband, James, she was preceded in death by her parents; four brothers; and four sisters.

Visitation for Ruth Jean and James D. Taylor will be Monday February 7, 2022 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm at Crain Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau. Joint funeral services for the Taylors will be on Tuesday, February 8, 2022 at 10:00 am at the funeral home with Rev. Larry Taylor officiating. Interment will follow

at Proffer Cemetery in Whitewater.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the American Diabetes Foundation.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Crain Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Cape Girardeau.

Cemetery Details

Proffer Cemetery

Whitewater, MO 63785

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Cape Girardeau
829 N. West End Blvd
(4 blocks north of Southeast Hospital)
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 335-3223
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Funeral Service

FEB 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Jean Taylor*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *David & family--- so sorry for your loss of both of your parents. My parents knew them not. Sorry I didn't make it to the visitation. I had the wrong night. Please accept our deey condolences.*

Dotty & Randy Gholson

Dotty Gholson - February 08, 2022 at 06:04 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for you for peace and comfort!*

Gary and Cindy Dudley

Gary and Cindy Dudley - February 07, 2022 at 09:24 PM



“ *Dave, we are so sorry to hear this sad news. We thought a lot of your Mom & Dad.*

Caroll & Janet Barnhart - February 04, 2022 at 11:32 AM



“ *So so sorry for your loss Dave
Mark and Becky Campbell*

Becky Campbell - February 02, 2022 at 05:15 PM