



## John Walter Sawyer

April 25, 1948 - November 27, 2022

John Walter Sawyer, 74, of Fort Gibson was born on April 25, 1948, in Middlebury, Vermont to Wesley and Bernice (Raines) Sawyer and peacefully passed away Sunday, November 27, 2022, at his home with his loving family by his side.

He joined the United States Marine Corp on March 5, 1968, in Oklahoma City, OK and was honorably discharged on March 13, 1970, in Cherry Point, N.C. John loved watching NASCAR, football and spending time with his family and friends.

He is lovingly survived by his son, Shawn Sawyer and wife, Antje of Fort Gibson; grandchildren, Amara Sawyer of Wilmington, N.C., Andrea Rohpeter of Kassel, Germany, John Sawyer, and Rachel Sawyer both of Oklahoma City, OK; James Sawyer and Jacob Sawyer both of Norman, OK; sister, Linda Sawyer Green of Alamogordo, New Mexico; extended family and many friends.

John was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Bobby Sawyer and Wesley Sawyer.

A celebration of John's life will be held 12:30PM, Monday, December 5, 2022, at Fort Gibson National Cemetery with Brother Justin Kinman officiating. Military honors will be observed.

The family of John Walter Sawyer has entrusted his cremation, services and inurnment to Clifford D Garrett Family Funeral Home, Fort Gibson. 918-478-2555. Online condolences may be left for the family at

[clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com](http://clifforddgarrettfamilyfh.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Fort Gibson National Cemetery

1423 Cemetery Road  
Fort Gibson, OK 74434

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

DEC 5. 12:30 PM (CT)

Fort Gibson National Cemetery  
1423 Cemetery Rd  
Fort Gibson, OK 74434  
(918) 478-2334

# Tribute Wall



“ *John Walter Sawyer*

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January 29, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ *It's been a lot of years Johnny. Glad to have you as part of my really good memories. Rest in Peace my Friend and God Bless you and your Family..  
Do-na-da-go-hv-i , until we meet again.  
Ray Gootee*

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**Herbert Gootee** - December 08, 2022 at 09:16 AM



“ *It's been many years since I've seen John. I was saddened to hear of his passing. May you Rest in Peace John. My sincere condolences to family and friends. He was a 'mold breaker', and I know he will be truly missed by the ones who loved him.*

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**Diane Robinson** - December 03, 2022 at 02:05 PM