



## Ernest P. Whaley

June 10, 1947 - January 2, 2020

Whaley, Ernest P., January 2, 2020 age 72 of Livonia. Beloved husband of Linda. Loving father of Dawn (Ken) Gill, and the late Ryan Patrick Whaley. Proud grandfather of Krista Whaley, Kayla Pine, Cooper Gill, Ashley Whaley, and Damon and great grandfather of Jaelynn Ettell, and Arlowe Schwerin. Brother of Joanne French. Visitation Monday, January 6th 2-8 PM with a 7 PM Funeral Service at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 Ann Arbor Road West, (between Sheldon & Beck) Plymouth. Interment at Great Lakes National Cemetery at a later date with Full Military Honors. He was a proud veteran, A1C, Load Master of the Air Force. Memorials may be made to Disabled American Veterans. To share a memory, please use the Share a Memory tab on this web page.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 6. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth  
46401 Ann Arbor Road West  
Plymouth, MI 48170  
(734) 459-2250  
plymouth@vermeulenfh.com

## Funeral Service

JAN 6. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Ernest P. Whaley*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Whaley.*



January 06, 2020 at 09:13 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Whaley.*



January 05, 2020 at 10:01 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Whaley.*



January 05, 2020 at 09:52 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Whaley.*



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January 05, 2020 at 03:15 PM



“ *Dear Mrs. Whaley and Family,  
I'm so sorry to hear of Ernie's passing. Ernie was the driving force behind my work to introduce legislation to give Totally Disabled Veterans a 100% property tax exemption while I was a member of the Michigan State Senate. Ernie passionately pressed me and I'm sure other legislators he met to get this done and it became law before I was term limited out of the Senate. Now all Veterans Department Approved 100% Disabled Veterans have this exemption available to them.*

*We all owe Ernie a tremendous debt for his advocacy on behalf of our Disabled Veterans that helped make this possible. (Veterans: please pass this on to other Disabled Veterans that this is available to them. I know Ernie would appreciate it as well as I.)*

*May God Grant Eternal Rest to Ernie and comfort to all his loved ones at this difficult time.*

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**GLENN S ANDERSON** - January 04, 2020 at 10:26 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ernest P. Whaley.*



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January 04, 2020 at 05:55 PM



“ *Roger (Sarge) & Dorothy Barnett purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Ernest P. Whaley.*



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**Roger (Sarge) & Dorothy Barnett** - January 04, 2020 at 03:56 PM



“ *I'm sorry for your loss Linda. I remember when Ernie tried to help Tim get his VA Beni fits when he was diagnosed with cancer but mostly my memories of working with you and all of your caring advice during my time of need. I pray you find the splice and peace you need during this very stressful time. God bless you and yours  
Jeanette Stone*

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**Jeanette stone** - January 03, 2020 at 05:51 PM