



John Taylor

December 18, 1951 - April 5, 2024

John Joseph Taylor of Detroit, Michigan, died on April 5, 2024 at the age of 72. He was the son of Marjorie and John Taylor, formerly of Oak Park, Michigan. Joe was loved and will be remembered by his surviving family members: sisters Pat Taylor and her husband, Bill Batko, Susan Taylor, and his niece Abby Batko-Taylor and her husband Matthew Gossage. His brother David died in 2022. John, or Joe to family, grew up in Oak Park, Michigan and was a lifelong resident of the area. He dealt with serious mental illness throughout his life, which was very challenging. He lived in various group homes and other settings throughout metropolitan Detroit and Pontiac. Despite his challenges, he had a good sense of humor and was an interesting writer in his earlier years. He was an avid walker and almost made it on foot to Lapeer, Michigan, where his father grew up. May he rest in peace.

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