



Taylor "Red" Phelps Sr.

January 10, 1922 - January 7, 2014

Taylor "Red" Phelps, Sr., age 91, of Henderson, KY, passed away at 1:50 PM, Tuesday, January 7, 2014, at his home.

Mr. Phelps was preceded in death by his wife Mary Louwhelm Phelps, parents Richard and Nola Phelps, brother Givens Phelps, sister Frances Phelps, and grandson Chad Alan Phelps.

Taylor was born January 10, 1922. He was raised on his family's farm. His father passed away when he was only 10 years old. He attended Jefferson Elementary School. Taylor served in the US Army during WWII, where he spent his time in England. He met the love of his life Mary Louwhelm Gibson in 1940 and they married soon after. Taylor loved his work as a sprinkler fitter for 40 years. The highlight and his greatest professional achievement was being responsible for the entire Holiday World sprinkler installation. He was known for always staying busy, he loved working on cars. Taylor enjoyed horse racing and going to Ellis Park.

Survivors include: Daughter: Shirley Phelps O'Dell of Henderson, KY; Son: "Sonny" Taylor Phelps, Jr. of Henderson, KY; Sister: Carmi Phelps; 5 Grandchildren: Christina Lynn Gregg, Cherrie Dawn Schmidt, Shawn Travis & Phelps, Vickie Radcliff and Sabrina Rodgers; 8 Great Grandchildren; 2 Great Great-Grandchildren; Nieces and Nephews.

Memorial service will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Taylor "Red" Phelps Sr.*

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *Taylor,*

So sorry for you loss. Our prayers are with you and your family.

BA and Mary Alexander

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