



## John D. Lawton

July 2, 1944 - January 23, 2026

John D. Lawton, 81, of Maloney Road, Johnstown, passed away at home on Friday morning, January 23, 2026.

He was born in Gloversville on July 2, 1944, a son of John and Jennie Mae Ambler Lawton and was raised by Horton and Jennie Mae Wright. John was a 1963 graduate of Gloversville High School and later attended Delhi Ag & Tech. He was a lifelong area resident.

Mr. Lawton was employed as a construction supervisor at the Fulton County Highway Department for nine years. Later, he worked at James H. Maloy, Inc. in Albany for 18 years, retiring in 2008. John was also a certified surveyor.

He attended St. Joseph's Church in Broadalbin and taught religious education for 14 years at local parishes.

John was a member of the Moose Lodge #1185. He enjoyed golfing in his free time, hunting with his close friend, Sam Natole, and traveling to New Orleans to visit his lovely daughter and her family.

In addition to his parents, John was predeceased by a son, David.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Margaret Johnson Lawton; a daughter, Radine Bultman of Metairie, LA; six grandchildren, Kellie Lawton, Shaun (Justine) Lawton, Caitlin Lawton, Samantha and Andrew Bulman, and Katherine Daniels; and five great-grandchildren.

Private services will be held, and burial will take place in the spring at St. Anthony's Cemetery, Johnstown. Arrangements are by Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc., Johnstown.

## UPDATE SPRING BURIAL INFORMATION

Final burial for John will be held on Friday, April 24, 2026 at 11 a.m. at St. Anthony's Cemetery with Deacon Greg Wilbur, officiating.

# Cemetery Details

## Saint Anthony's Cemetery

N. East Ave. and Briggs St.  
Johnstown, NY 12095

# Previous Events

## Final Burial

APR 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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