

Celebrating the Life of
William Ernest Taylor
"Big Turk"



Sunrise
July 26, 1954

Sunset
June 21, 2021

Friday, July 2, 2021 - 11:00 a.m.

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256 Rosa Parks Blvd., Paterson, New Jersey

Rev. Kenneth D.R. Clayton, Officiating

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Obituary

William E. Taylor was born on July 26, 1954 in Halifax, NC. He was the son of the late James E. Taylor and Eva P. Taylor.

He relocated to New Jersey at an early age, where he attended the Paterson Public School System.

William was affectionately known as “Turkey” or “Turk” to family and friends, and “Uncle Turk” by his nieces and nephews.

He worked odd jobs throughout his life, one of them being a Chef. He was well known for making sandwiches at a little store on Governor Street, that everyone loved.

On Monday, June 21, 2021 William E. Taylor departed this life, and was called home to be with Lord.

He was preceded in death by his parents; James Taylor and Eva P. Taylor, and a brother; Dorsey Edwards.

William is survived by four children; William Thomas, Isaiah Taylor, Hykeemy Taylor all of Paterson, NJ, and Tish Glover of PA, three grandchildren; Za’ki Taylor, Nigel Taylor, and Jaheim, two sisters; Minnie Morgan, and Helen Taylor McDougald (Billie) both of Paterson, NJ, three brothers; Vincent Taylor (Diane) of Tampa, FL, Lawrence Taylor of Paterson, NJ, and James Taylor of Hampton, VA, two aunts; Mildred Pearson of Hackensack, NJ, and Hazel Edwards of Paterson, NJ, one uncle; Gregory Edwards of Newton, NJ. He also leaves behind four stepchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Turk, you will surely be missed by all!

Order of Service

Processional

Selection

Scripture Readings

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer

Selection

Acknowledgments

Remarks

Reflections of Life

Selection

Words of Comfort

Rev. Kenneth D.R. Clayton

Recessional

Final Disposition

Cedar Lawn Crematory

Paterson, New Jersey

Repast will be held at 135 Lafayette Street, Paterson, NJ.

I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took his hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day.

To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it up with remembered joy.

A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,

Oh, yes these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,

I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much.

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,

Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.

Lift up your heart and share with me,

God wanted me now, He set me free!

-author unknown

Acknowledgment

The family of the late **William Ernest Taylor** wishes to thank all of you for your prayers, messages of comfort and the many other acts of kindness shown during our hour of bereavement.

May God continue to bless you in a very special way.

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