



CSM Clarence Benjamin Taylor

January 26, 1933 - September 29, 2017

Clarence Benjamin Taylor, 84, of Manassas, passed at his home on Friday, September 29, 2017, surrounded by family.

Command Sergeant Major Taylor was a 30 year veteran of the U.S. Army, who served with the famed 11th ACR (Black Horse) in Vietnam (1968-1969). He was a lifelong member of the NCOA and the AUSA. He was an avid runner and cyclist who enjoyed working on his own car, reading and talking about current events with his children and grandchildren.

He is survived by his children; Clarence E. Taylor, Anthony Taylor, Evelyn Pearson, Monika Taylor and David Taylor; eleven grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife, Theresia and his son, Michael.

The family will receive friends from 9:30 to 10:20 on Friday, October 6, 2017, at Pierce Funeral Home. Mass will follow at 10:30 at All Saints Catholic Church. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery will be held at a later date.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington, VA 22211
<http://www.arlingtoncemetery.mil/>

Previous Events

Family to receive friends

OCT 6. 9:30 AM - 10:20 AM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 257-6028
pfh@piercefh.com
<https://www.piercefh.com>

Tribute Wall

TG

“ Please accept my family's heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and peace in the fond memories of them, and The Almighty God's promise to restore those asleep in death, to perfect life on a paradise Earth, as written in The Bible for our comfort.

The Greene's - October 08, 2017 at 01:44 PM

MO

Thank you very much! Your message means a lot to us!

Monika - October 08, 2017 at 02:14 PM

CT

Thanks again. We will be laying him to rest on 25 January at Arlington National Cemetery. A soldier's farewell. c.t.

Clarence Taylor - January 14, 2018 at 10:48 AM

FP

So sorry for your loss. I have tried for years to find him. I was his company clerk at Ft Knox Ky 1972-73. He was a good man and a soldier's soldier

Frank Pringle - August 10, 2020 at 05:36 PM

ES

*A good man and top notch Soldier.. My First Sergeant, B,CO. 2/68 Armor. Lots of good memories. Sorry for your loss
SP5 Eugene Smith (71H20).*

Eugene Smith - April 10, 2025 at 06:43 PM

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Monika - October 08, 2017 at 01:21 PM

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Monika - October 08, 2017 at 01:20 PM

RM

“ *A true gentleman and patriot; he will be missed by all. CSM Taylor has fought the good fight and now leads the way for the rest of us.*

Ron Marsh



ron marsh - October 05, 2017 at 01:08 AM

HT

Thank you, Ron. I love the picture. Heidi

Heidi J. Taylor - October 05, 2017 at 10:30 AM

MO

What a great photo! Monika :)

Monika - October 08, 2017 at 02:15 PM

CT

Ron. Thanks again. We will be laying him to rest on 25 January at Arlington National Cemetery. A soldier's farewell. c.t.

Clarence Taylor - January 14, 2018 at 10:41 AM

DK

“ *Please accept my condolences, Clarence was a fine man and I was privileged to have known him. May he rest in peace.*



DJ Kerr - October 03, 2017 at 10:16 PM

MO

Thank you so much! Monika

Monika - October 08, 2017 at 02:16 PM

CT

DJ. Thanks again. We will be laying him to rest on 25 January at Arlington National Cemetery. A soldier's farewell. c.t.

Clarence Taylor - January 14, 2018 at 10:41 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of CSM Clarence Benjamin Taylor.*



October 03, 2017 at 06:30 PM