



Samuel Robert Taylor Sr.

March 7, 1935 - November 12, 2018

Samuel Robert Taylor Sr., born on March 7, 1935, was one of six children born to the late James Robert Taylor and Ruth Taylor of Oxford, Maryland. He departed this life on November 12, 2018, at the Talbot Hospice in Easton, Maryland at the age of 83.

Samuel along with his siblings joined Waters United Methodist Church as a young boy. He attended Robert Russa Moton High School. He enjoyed playing sports especially baseball. Samuel met and married the love of his life, the former Thelma Louise Hines, of Caroline County, on August 10, 1957. From that blessed union came nine children.

Crazy Sam, as he was affectionately known, worked at the Crocket Brothers Boat Yard and at Robert Morris Inn for many years. He later became employed with the Talbot County Public School system from where he retired after 33 years of service. Samuel Taylor Sr. enjoyed going to auctions and collecting antiques. He also enjoyed catering for private parties, working with his children and grandchildren. He was known for his special BBQ sauce and for having designed a mobile BBQ cooker and deep fryer unit accented by a vintage bell and two smoke stacks. He also designed a giant frying pan that could fry a case of chicken at one time. He loved the attention that his designs drew.

Samuel Taylor Sr. was a family man. He loved his wife and children and he worked hard and tirelessly to provide a good life for them all. His grandchildren were the apples of his eye. He especially loved celebrating the holidays with family and sharing humorous stories.

Samuel was preceded in death by his wife, Thelma L. Taylor; his parents, James and Ruth Taylor; sisters, Tyretha and Gwendolyn; and brother, Howard.

He is survived by nine children: Gloria Taylor (Larry Conyer), Samuel Taylor Jr., Maschell L. Hines (Rev. Dartanyon Hines), Carlene Taylor, Charles Taylor, Eileen Taylor, Andrea Moaney (Phillip Moaney), Thelma James (Percy James), and Karen Taylor; grandchildren, Samuel Taylor, III., Cassandra Taylor, Larry Taylor, Monique Taylor, Maschell R. Hines, DeVante' Hines, Brittany Taylor, Mathew Carter, and Latisha Brummell; great-grandchildren, Jayah Taylor, Nazir Hines, Zion Hines, "TJ" Hines, Dorien Taylor, Madison Carter; brother, William Taylor (Carol); sister, Joyce Taylor; sisters in-law; Mary B. Taylor, Mary Little (Jimmy) and a host of nieces' nephews and friends.

To send flowers to the family of Samuel Robert Taylor Sr., please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

Tribute Wall

PL

“ *Can't believe it's been a year! I know how much he is still missed!\nGod bless Sammy and his family!\n*Pucky Lippincott

Pucky Lippincott - November 05, 2019 at 10:16 AM

MI

“ *Sorry to hear about the loss of your loved one. Please accept my sincere condolences. May the Father of tender mercies and God of all comforts, comfort you at this difficult time. 2 Corinthians 1: 3, 4*

Mildred - November 30, 2018 at 08:41 AM

PL

“ *I was so saddened to learn of Sammy\u2019s passing. I missed his obituary and consequently his service.\r\nI worked with him at the Robert Morris Inn way back when and he taught me a lot about patience with much humor.\r\nI always enjoyed running into him at the Oxford Post Office.\r\nHe was an Oxford treasure.\r\nI have asked the Inn to name a drink in his honor.\r\nYou were lucky to have him. I am so sorry for your loss.\r\n*Pucky Lippincott

Pucky Lippincott - November 26, 2018 at 08:27 PM

MH

“ *To the Taylor Family You all have my condolences and sympathy. I pray that God strengthens each of you during this difficult time.*

Michelle Hammond - November 22, 2018 at 07:30 PM

DB

“ *So sorry to hear of Mr. Taylor's passing. Thoughts and prayers to the family.*

Debi Roth Bowles - November 19, 2018 at 04:01 PM

IR

“ *Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Psalms 34:18 for words of comfort and peace.*

Irene - November 19, 2018 at 11:34 AM

JO

“ *I'm sorry for the loss of Samuel Robert your loved one. Reading from the scriptures can give you comfort and peace. (Isaiah 41: 10).*

JoyceA - November 17, 2018 at 01:05 PM

TW

“ *Sorry For Your Loss\r\nJesus Christ Loves Me\r\nWe Are Special*

Thomas Widgeon - November 16, 2018 at 05:57 PM