



## Luther Taylor

October 5, 1935 - July 21, 2017

Luther Taylor, age 81, of Newport, passed away Friday, July 21, 2017.

He was a veteran having served in the United States Army.

He was a member of the Newport Masonic Lodge #234, where he was secretary for many, many years, Scottish Rite Mason, also a Shriner, belonged to the Eastern Star and the Gideon's. He was an Analytical Chemist and was a Biology and Science Teacher at Cocke County High School. He was preceded in death by his parents, Calvin and Lena Taylor; son, Gabriel Taylor; and sister, Josephine Caldwell.

He is survived by his wife Barbara Taylor, of Newport; daughters, Sabra Taylor Hamad of Raleigh, NC; Shawna Parks of Newport; step-daughter, Scottie Lee (Tom) Rader of Clemmons, NC; brother, Fred (Irene) Taylor of Dandridge; grandchildren, Omar Hamad, Noelle (Jordan) Douglas, Ariel Parks; step-grandchild, Laura Leigh (Mike) Garlow; great-grandson, Dillan Parks; step-great-grandson, Grant Marshall Garlow; also several other family and friends.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 pm - 6:30 pm Sunday, July 23, 2017 with a Masonic Service at 6:30 pm in Manes Funeral Home Chapel. Funeral services will follow the Masonic service at 7:00 pm with Rev. Kelly Reed and Rev. Eddie Young officiating.

Burial will be held 10:00 am Monday, July 24, 2017 in Union Cemetery.

Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: [www.manesfuneralhome.com](http://www.manesfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Luther Taylor*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Mr. Taylor was kind to everyone whether you were in his classes or not. I never personally had him as a teacher, but all of my friends who had him in high school thought the world of him. I only knew him from speaking with him in the hallways, but he was*

**Gerae Lane** - August 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *Luther Taylor*

**Cj Ball** - July 29, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am sorry about your loss. Please find comfort in the scriptures that God has provided to give us comfort through circumstances like this. At Revelation 21:3,4 we see that God will get rid of sickness, pain and death. Through Jesus, God promised that the*

**Regina Davis** - July 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *I was so sorry to read of the death of Luther. It is no doubt a very painful time for the family. In the days to come may you continue to find comfort in God and each other. 2 Corinthians 1:3,4; John 5:28,29*

**Lee** - July 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ I am so sorry to hear of Luther's passing. I had recently seen him several times over the past months & he always remembered me from high school.

Molly Ford - July 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ My heart felt sympathies to your entire family in the loss of Jim.

Cheryl Bascome - July 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ A wonderful, intelligent , and enjoyable mentor for me during high school.

Marlo McGaha - July 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ To Shawna and Sabra: We are saddened to learn of the death of your dad. Please know that you have our sincere sympathy as you work through this major loss in your lives. Faith helps immeasurably and we believe you have the best memories of your dad to

George and Bamma Ashley Haskell - July 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ We are sorry for your great loss. Luther was a wonderful person. Our loss is heaven's gain. You are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Julie (Lillard), Steve, Mackenzie, Karlie Souder

Julie Souder - July 24, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Prayers and thoughts are with you

Connie & Marsha Ball - July 24, 2017 at 12:00 AM

ER

“ So sorry for your loss. He was such a good man and certainly will be missed.

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**Evelyn Rhodes** - July 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ My deepest sympathy. Mr. Taylor was my biology and physics teacher at CCHS. I always enjoyed his classes.

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**Leslie (Moss) Fleming** - July 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ May God wrap his loving arms around each of you giving you peace and comfort during this time. You all in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Bill Justus** - July 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ One of the finest men I ever knew.. so sorry for your lost...

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**Alice Ford Miller** - July 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ My condolences for all the family. Love you all!!

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**Marilyn Taylor Hines** - July 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ so sorry to hear bout luther taylor thoughts and prayers are going up

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**Larry Caldwell** - July 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ So sorry for your loss. Rest in peace Brothern.

Roger Greene - July 23, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ I'm so sorry about the loss of "Jim." He will be greatly missed. Your family is in my prayers.

Mandy Davis - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Mr. Taylor was a wonderful and caring teacher. I was blessed to have known him. Prayers for his family in the days to come.

Rhonda Williams - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ A great man is now greater.

Dr & Mrs Richard LeBeau - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

NZ

“ our thoughts and prayers to the family from my family

nettie (taylor) zimmer - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ We are praying for the comfort of Luther's family.

Steve and Maria Cable - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ Luther Taylor

Kathleen Lockhart - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *Luther Taylor*

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**Greg Cates** - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Luther was a good man. Our prayers are with the family.*

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**Dane and Ida Baxter** - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ *I was married to his nephew Lance Martin Brown, Josephine Caldwell's son. My deepest sympathies to the family. GOD Bless You*

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**Teresa Brown Paris** - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *Luther Taylor*

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**Debbie Murr** - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *To Bobbie Jean and family, praying for each one of you. May God Bless Each one of you. Bernie and Jean Sands*

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**Bernie and Jean Sands** - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

FT

“ *Our family sends you love & prayers, having such a special man in our lives is a wonderful blessing. F.D. "Trip" & Glenda Triplitt & family*

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**F,D. "Trip" & Glenda Triplitt** - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Sabra and Shawna and family, I am so sorry for your loss! May the Lord grant His grace during this time. Your friend, Kathy.

Kathy Brooks - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ Luther Taylor

Joe and Brenda Valentine - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ So sorry to hear of Jim's passing. He was a dear true gentleman. Our prayers are with all of you during this time. He is in Heaven with our Lord JESUS

Joe and Brenda Valentine - July 22, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ Luther Taylor

gerlean hembree - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CV

“ Luther Taylor

Cynthia D. Valentine - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ What a great year we spent together on the bench at CCHS.....R I P Brother Luther

Ray Fancher - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

FE

“ We are very sorry for this loss. Mr. Taylor taught our children and they always enjoyed his company. That speaks so well for him as an educator.

Fletcher and Penny Ervin - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ I'm sorry for your loss , Luther was a true brother having the willingness to help out anyone. I will miss our talks the advice he rendered.

Chris Conley - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Luther Taylor

Delmar and Pat Williamson - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ Sincere Condolences.

Bud & Linda Dawson - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ So sorry for your loss.

Roger and Muriel Rggs - July 21, 2017 at 12:00 AM