



Michael Reed Taylor

September 25, 1960 - November 4, 2021

CEDAR FALLS-Michael Reed Taylor, 61, of Cedar Falls, peacefully transitioned to Heaven on Thursday November 4, 2021 at his home surrounded by loving family.

He was born on September 25, 1960 in Waterloo, IA as the son of George Merle and Joyce Ann (Tanner) Taylor. He proudly graduated from Cedar Falls High School in 1979 and later studied electrical engineering at Hawkeye Community College. He married Stacy Grapp January 9, 1982 in Cedar Falls and later divorced. He married Trudy Timm on January 1, 2011 in Nashua and they shared over thirty happy years together. He had been loyally employed at Community Motors in Cedar Falls for the past 17 years as a Service Advisor. Survived by his wife of Cedar Falls; two sons, Brandon (Emily) Taylor of Cedar Falls and Jacob (Kristina) Taylor of Hudson; daughter Lindsey Taylor of Waterloo; five grandchildren, Ava, Eddie, Will, Calvin, and Carly; his mother, Joyce Taylor of Cedar Falls; sister Lindy (Melinda) Andersen of Grundy Center; and brother, Christopher of Conrad.

Mike loved fishing and often spent weekends in his boat on the mighty Mississippi River. He loved race nights at various local racetracks. He religiously frequented his grandsons' hockey practices, and he almost never missed a Waterloo Black Hawks home game.

Visitation will be held Thursday, November 11th from 5:00-8:00PM at Richardson Funeral Home. Memorial services will be Friday, November 12th at 11:00AM at St. Timothy's United Methodist Church, with inurnment in the

Greenwood Cemetery, both in Cedar Falls. Memorial contributions may be directed to Cedar Valley Hospice or the Waterloo Youth Hockey Association. Online condolences may be left at: www.richardsonfuneralservice.com

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

the end of College St, north of First Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 273-8628

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Memorial Service

NOV 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Timothys United Methodist Church
3220 Terrace Drive
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-0464
<http://sttims-umc.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Trudy and Family so sorry to hear of Mikes passing my prayers and thoughts are with all of you. Vickie (Adams) Mcdonald*

Vickie Mcdonald - November 13, 2021 at 10:32 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.*



November 12, 2021 at 09:17 AM



“ *Trudy and family, we're so sorry for Mike leaving your world far too soon. We're so sorry we won't be attending the funeral but know we are thinking about you. Was always so nice when you and Mike came to Wisconsin to see relatives, the guys always enjoyed visiting with Mike on many subjects, he'll be greatly missed in Wisconsin. Best to you all!! Sincerely, Dennis and Kathy Arneson and families.*

Kathy Arneson - November 11, 2021 at 07:03 PM



“ *Deena Fischels purchased the Simply Elegant Sp athiphyllum for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.*



Deena Fischels - November 11, 2021 at 10:48 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



November 10, 2021 at 07:33 PM



“ *Tom and Linda Moore* purchased the *Pretty Please* for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



Tom and Linda Moore - November 10, 2021 at 05:30 PM



“ *Waterloo Youth Hockey* purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



Waterloo Youth Hockey - November 09, 2021 at 03:38 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



November 09, 2021 at 12:33 PM

DJ

“ Rest in Peace Taylormade (My Good Friend) No more pain, No more suffering. You did Good! Your shift was just too short. Chris and I Pray that Your Familys Faith in God gives Them Peace knowing You are OK now. Dave (Jake) Jackson

Dave (Jake) Jackson - November 09, 2021 at 08:34 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



November 08, 2021 at 02:22 PM

JD

“ Jacky (Junker) Duffy purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



Jacky (Junker) Duffy - November 08, 2021 at 11:51 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



November 08, 2021 at 11:17 AM

LH

“ I’m extremely saddened to hear of Mikes passing.....he was a light that shined to all that knew him. I’m sure Comm Motors will never be the same in their service Dept....I too, trusted Mike with all our car needs. He was superior in his work life and even greater in his home life. His contagious smile will never be forgotten. Rest In Peace Mike, you are now pain free!!! May God hold all his family and friends close as we suffer this loss of a Great Great Man. To Jake, and all the Taylor family, I’m sincerely sorry for your loss,... Trust in God to help you through this!!!
Linda and Greg Hendren

Linda Hendren - November 08, 2021 at 10:09 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Michael Reed Taylor.



November 08, 2021 at 07:41 AM

TR

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. I met Mike at Community Motors several years ago and he was my favorite advisor. I always trusted his advice and continued to drive over an hour for service mostly because of my confidence in him as my advisor. I am just so sorry to learn of his passing. Kind regards, Terry Lynn Rausch

Terry Lynn Rausch - November 08, 2021 at 12:19 AM

DR

“ Continued prayers for Trudy ,family and friends. Our deepest condolences. A friend to so many. Rest in peace. DeeDee and Dave Robeson

DeeDee Robeson - November 07, 2021 at 04:11 PM

DH

“ We only knew Mike from Community Motors but he was such a great person to work with. Always friendly and helpful. We are so sorry to learn about your loss. He will be missed!! Sending prayers your way.

Diane & Jerry Headington - November 07, 2021 at 09:42 AM

RL

“ I have known Mike for at least 25yrs from playing hockey & working with him at Community Motors. It was so much fun, about every day i worked we would talk about hockey, You are going to be missed very much especially down at the rink.Happy Trail Mike.

Roger Latusick - November 07, 2021 at 01:21 AM

CW

“ Hanging out with cousin Mike was always fun. No matter what we were doing he made it a good time.



Cindy Welsh - November 07, 2021 at 12:52 AM