

Interment

EVERGREEN BURIAL PARK
1401 WOODLAND AVENUE – COLUMBUS, OH 43219

Pallbearers

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Acknowledgement

THE FAMILY OF CLARENCE ROGER TAYLOR, JR. WISHES TO ACKNOWLEDGE WITH DEEP APPRECIATION THE MANY EXPRESSIONS OF LOVE, KINDNESS, AND SUPPORT SHOWN TO US DURING THIS HOUR OF BEREAVEMENT. THANK YOU FROM THE BOTTOM OF OUR HEARTS FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND COMFORT. IT IS IMMENSELY APPRECIATED!



A Celebration of the Life of



Clarence
ROGER TAYLOR, JR.

JULY 25, 1954 – FEBRUARY 16, 2026

MONDAY – MARCH 2, 2026

VISITATION: 12:00 PM

SERVICE: 1:00 PM



CHAPEL OF PEACE NORTH
2500 CLEVELAND AVENUE
COLUMBUS, OH 43211



MARLAN GARY
FUNERAL HOME

1 FUNERAL HOME | 5 LOCATIONS

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OBITUARY

CLARENCE ROGER TAYLOR, JR. WAS BORN JULY 25, 1954, TO THE LATE CLARENCE ROGER TAYLOR SR. AND THEODOSIA TAYLOR. HE DEPARTED THIS LIFE ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2026, AT GRANT MEDICAL CENTER.

AFFECTIONATELY KNOWN AS

“ROGER” AND LOVINGLY CALLED “THE MAYOR OF THE TERRACE,”

CLARENCE WAS A MAN WHOSE LAUGHTER COULD FILL A ROOM. HIS HUMOR, QUICK WIT, AND UNFORGETTABLE PERSONALITY BROUGHT JOY TO EVERYONE AROUND HIM. IF YOU HEARD HIS LAUGH, YOU KNEW EXACTLY WHO IT WAS. MORE THAN ANYTHING, CLARENCE WAS PROUD OF HIS CHILDREN. BEING A FATHER WAS HIS GREATEST ACCOMPLISHMENT AND DEEPEST JOY. HE HAD A SPECIAL GIFT FOR GROUNDING THOSE HE LOVED — HE WAS THE VOICE THAT COULD TALK YOU OFF THE EDGE, THE STEADY PRESENCE IN DIFFICULT MOMENTS, AND A SOURCE OF WISDOM AND STRENGTH. HIS LOVE WAS UNWAVERING AND POWERFUL.

CLARENCE WAS PRECEDED IN DEATH BY HIS PARENTS; HIS GRANDPARENTS, BUDDY AND CATHERINE MCDOUGALL; HIS DAUGHTERS, JASMINE MOHAMMED AND KANEATHA MCGREW ALSTOND ; HIS SISTER, CYNTHIA TAYLOR; HIS BROTHER, RONALD TAYLOR; HIS GRANDDAUGHTER, TONIQUEA THOMAS; HIS GRANDSON, JAHAN HARRIS AND HIS GREAT-GRANDDAUGHTER, MA’RIE THOMAS.

HE LEAVES TO CHERISH HIS MEMORY HIS BELOVED WIFE OF 44 YEARS: DARLENE TAYLOR; HIS CHILDREN: LATALSHA (BRYAN) BUTTS, KAMIKA (MICHAEL) SHARP, CLARENCE “LIL ROG” GOSSETT, LAKISHA GOSSETT, SENECA SEWARD, FELICIA ALEXANDER, RANDOLPH HENDERSON, TODD TAYLOR, MARK TAYLOR, SLOAN MCGRAW, ADEANA & RONALD WAYNE, RAMONA FERGUSON AND RONALD HOGG. HE ALSO LEAVES BEHIND HIS SIBLINGS: WANDA THOMAS, MICHAEL TAYLOR, JEFFREY TAYLOR, AND CARLOS TAYLOR, ALONG WITH AN ABUNDANCE OF GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN WHOM HE DEEPLY ADORED.

THOUGH HE HAS DEPARTED THIS EARTHLY LIFE, HIS LAUGHTER, WISDOM, STRENGTH AND LOVE WILL LIVE ON FOREVER IN THE HEARTS OF ALL WHO KNEW AND LOVED HIM.

ORDER OF SERVICE

ORGAN PRELUDE

PARTING VIEW.....IMMEDIATE FAMILY

SCRIPTURE READING.....CLERGY

OLD TESTAMENT: PSALM 23

NEW TESTAMENT: JOHN 14: 1-6

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....CLERGY

SELECTION.....”WHEN I SEE JESUS”.....BRYAN BUTTS

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS/CONDOLENCES.....

REMARKS.....TWO MINUTES PLEASE.....FAMILY AND FRIENDS

READING OF OBITUARY.....READ SILENTLY

SELECTION

THE EULOGY PASTOR DERRICK BASS

BENEDICTION.....CLERGY

RECESSIONAL.....CLERGY, FAMILY AND FRIENDS

