



Mark "Danny" Daniel Taylor

December 3, 1980 - March 1, 2015

Taylor, Mark Daniel "Danny", of St. Peters, Missouri, was born December 3, 1980 in St. Charles, Missouri, to Gayle and Carol (nee Rolufs) Taylor, and entered into rest, Sunday, March 1, 2015, at Barnes Jewish, in St. Louis, Missouri, at the age of 34 years, 2 months and 28 days.

He is survived by his parents, his wife, Stephanie Marie (nee Surgant), married September 7, 2008, four (4) children, Daine Alexander Taylor, Mikail "Miko" William Taylor, Achilles Daniel Taylor and Ares Menas Taylor, four (4) siblings, Sarah Taylor, Melinda McEwen, Susie Basler and Joseph Taylor, and many other relatives and friends.

Danny was the best father that his sons could ever have and a loving husband to his wife, Danny lives on and his love continues through all of his family members and friends.

Visitation Wednesday, March 4, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. until time of Service at 10 am at Assumption Greek Orthodox Church, 1755 Des Peres Road, Des Peres, MO. Internment at Oak Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions to The Taylor Boys College Fund c/o Chapel Hill Mortuary, 10301 Big Bend Rd., Kirkwood, MO 63122. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mark "Danny" Daniel Taylor*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *We were on “Bear in the Big Blue House Live” together. I had no idea he had passed. I am so truly sorry for the loss of such an awesome man! Thank you for his family for raising such a gentleman to share with this world.*

Genna Walden - November 04, 2018 at 04:14 PM



“ *Mark "Danny" Daniel Taylor*

Mark Dashner - August 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *My Dearest Daniel, You said from the beginning that I would never find someone to love me as much as you do. I knew then, and I will know forever that you are right! I can't wait to see you again after my work on this earth is complete. We will enjoy watching our sons grow and become wonderful men even though we will be watching from different places. In you I learned what real love is and that a love like ours will go on forever. Death cannot corrupt love, it is only a temporary physical separation for us. I love you Danny, God blessed me when he brought you in my life. We are truly perfect for each other. Until we meet again, my love.*

Stephanie Taylor - March 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ Danny, is my baby and I will miss him every second of the rest of my life. Danny had to fight for life since the day he was born, He won every battle until March 1, 2015. Danny was the sweetest baby and loved to kiss everybody, He was the most loving child and after spending 3 years being home schooled by Kathy Geiger, he returned to school. He was captain of the football team, threw shot and discus, was an awful wrestler because he really didn't like to hurt people ,played the double bass in orchestra and bass guitar in Jazz band, One year he did service hours in the band and his report card gave him an A for being a Band Aid. Sang in choir and show choir and played one of the leading rolls in Godspell (Judas) He never complained about his pain, even as a little guy. His imagination was very wonderful and it showed in his art and music. He was the best father, I have ever seen and the legacy he left his sons was a deep abiding love and understanding of God. His sons are stalwart young men who served at their Daddy's funeral. He loved his wife and sons deeply and even in pain would care for his babies. Danny was our baby and he belonged not only to his parents but also his siblings. He had a loving relationship with his brother. His sisters adore him. He and his daddy were loving and football buddies. The last time Danny was on stage was last Christmas and he danced the lead role in the Nutcracker. His pregnant wife danced as did Daine and Miko but the surprise was 2yr old Achilles being a wolf. Out of pure love his brother Joe was also in the show. Danny suffered but he didn't want anybody to know. HE DIDN'T WANT ME TO CRY...HE SAID IT MADE HIM WEAK. HE WAS BORN A BABY HERO AND STRUGGLED AT BIRTH. He was my angel and My heart will long for him forever. I thank God for giving him to me to rear. He is a man of great intellect, compassion, love, charity and generosity. I love you my baby, and thank you for choosing me to be your Momma

Carol Taylor - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ When we lived in Balwin, Mo. Danny and Carol came to visit. Carol suggested he play the piano for Uncle Berl and I. This large man (about 18 years old) sat down to play. We were so surprised to hear the peice he played. From those large hands came the most beautiful sweet sound. We were taken by surprise. A sweet, soft, lovely sound that we will never forget. Danny gave us real joy. We love you forever. Aunt Janet and Uncle Berl.

Janet Bays - March 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Stephanie....I was saddened to hear about your husband Danny's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Know that he will always be with you in your love and memories.

Lynn Mank - March 09, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Danny could talk you're ears off. He knew so much, about history, comic books, music - the arts it was astounding. He told me how to pana-mime, "it makes the show more realistic" Even though I felt like an idiot I did it kinda. I will miss you bro forever.

Joe Taylor - March 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Danny was the most amazing person that I have ever known. Whenever he would walk into the room, people would stop just to look at him. He was a superstar to everyone around him even if they didn't know him personally. Those of us that knew him personally will tell you that he was our friend, mentor, coach, inspiration, and hero. My Uncle Danny was my super hero from the day I was born and he will always be my super hero. I love you Danny and your legacy lives on in each one of us that you touched with your beautiful spirit. Love, Biz

Liz Blakemore - March 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ Danny is my hero! I love you baby brother! Love, Sarah

Sarah Taylor - March 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Stephanie, We are so sorry for your loss and will keep you and your sons in our prayers. We regret we could not be with you for the services. Sending you our love! Elton & Nancy Fay

March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ We just heard about Danny and are truly saddened for your loss. Your family is in our hearts and prayers. Love, The Westbrook Family (Daine played baseball with Chance)

Lance - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Stephanie - to you, your sons and all your family, we offer our most sincere sympathy. We have admired Danny's strength, determination and dedication to you and his children. We joined in prayers and trusted God's will. We have learned through our faith things may not happen according to our wishes and plans; but all is according to God's will. He is the master weaver and has taken great thought in designing our journey. May our loving Father grant Danny rest in paradise as He envelopes you in His arms and surrounds you with support and comfort from others. Know that others care and feel your loss. May his memory be everlasting.

Jim and Elaine Scott - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ I'm deeply sorry for you loss. My prayers are for you and your family

James Bartnick - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Our deepest sympathy from two friends of Stephanie's parents. Pete & Dorothy VanDer Schaaf

Pete VanDer Schaaf - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ Beth and I are deeply saddened at your loss. We have been praying for Danny and will continue to keep your family in our prayers in the coming days. Today, I said a rosary in front of the blessed sacrament in his memory. love to all, Dan and Beth Brock

Dan - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Danny was a man of so many talents. It was obvious he adored his family. He was a great teacher too. Our boys learned how to play football from Danny. They begged to play too when they saw him outside playing with his boys. We will miss him so much! We are praying for the whole family!

The Kelley Family - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Stephanie, we are deeply saddened by this. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your kids. Eric and Laurie Raibley

March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ Stephanie, we are deeply sorry. We pray that God bless you and your children always.

Bill and Sandy Goranitis - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WB

“ He and your family will always be in our hearts and prayers. We are so very sorry. We love your family. Be strong. God Bless. Danny's spirit will be with you forever. Love, Rick & Wendy Bear

Wendy Bear - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Danny was my nephew and I always admired his ability to live every day to its fullest. He carried a special burden and did a great job. He leaves a great legacy. His memory will be kept alive in his four great sons. Stephanie, you have our condolences. I am sorry we are unable to attend his memorial service. Bill and Sue Taylor

Bill Taylor - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ Stephanie & family, My heart just breaks for you during this most difficult time. My thoughts and prayers are with you all as you try to find peace and comfort in Danny's memory. May God hold you in His arms. You are loved!!

Kati Johnson - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ May his memory be eternal. You and your family are in my prayers and thoughts. You have my deepest sympathies. Danny was a wonderful person, family man and Sunday School teacher.

Mary Pitliangas - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Stephanie, I'm so very sorry. Praying for all of you...

Mary Haislip - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ I am so sorry to hear about Danny's passing. You and your family are in my prayers. May he rest in peace.

Samia Rabie - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Your family has our deepest sympathy.

Joe Martyniw - March 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ We're very sorry to hear about Danny's passing. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. May he rest in peace. Jeff Johannes & Family

Jeff Johannes - March 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.*

Sid and Karen Brantley - March 02, 2015 at 12:00 AM