

HONORING THE BEAUTIFUL LIFE & LEGACY OF



Our Gift

May 31, 1923

God's Gift

February 16, 2022

Elizabeth
Rita Taylor

"And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away."

(Revelation 21:4)



Her Loving Legacy

On Wednesday evening, February 16, 2022, peacefully and surrounded by her family who loved her dearly, **Elizabeth Rita Taylor**, 98, moved to her Heavenly home. Elizabeth was a Godly woman who loved the Lord and her family and set an example for her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren that will lead them all their lives. Our “Mammy” like she was called by her children, “Granny” as she was called by her grandchildren, and “Elizabeth” as she was called by her many friends was an amazing mother, grandmother, and friend who was cherished and loved and will be deeply missed. In how she lived her life, she epitomized patience, benevolence, love, strength, faithfulness, and compassion.

Elizabeth Rita Taylor was born on May 31, 1923, to Bruno and Alice Nelson in Princes Town, Trinidad. On April 8, 1945, she married Vernon Edwin Taylor (deceased) and their union produced ten beautiful children: Muriel Richardson (deceased), Hamilton Taylor, Margaret Achong, Heithcliffe Taylor, Hayden Taylor, Leslie Chaney, Robert Taylor, Judy Aping, Lionel Taylor, and Lystra Francis.

Elizabeth loved her Savior, the Lord Jesus, with all her heart, and she loved God’s Word. She read her Bible and prayed daily and oftentimes for hours at a time. Though she was a humble, gentle woman, Rita was nonetheless a powerful prayer warrior, and only heaven knows what a wonderful and eternal impact all her many years of faithful praying have had on her family, her friends, and the world at large. She was a member of Sagemont Church.

Elizabeth was preceded in death by her husband, Vernon Edwin Taylor; daughter, Muriel Richardson, and siblings, Dolman Nelson, Boyzie Nelson, Wilfred Abboy Nelson, Rawlings Nelson, Edward Nelson, Madeleine Nelson, and Thelma Samuel. She is survived by her siblings Rosetta Charles and Christina Nelson, nine children, and many grandchildren, great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends..

*“Don’t grieve for me, for now I’m free, I’m following paths God made for me
I took his hand I heard him call then turned, and bid farewell to all
I could not stay another day to laugh, to love, to sing, to play
Tasks left undone must stay that way I found my peace at close of play
And if my parting left a void then fill it with remembered joy
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss, ah yes, these things I too will miss.
Be not burdened...deep with sorrow I wish you sunshine of tomorrow
My life’s been full I’ve savored much, good friends, good times a loved one’s touch
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief, don’t lengthen it now with grief
Lift up your hearts and share with me, God wants me now...He set me free.”*



Celebration of Life

Saturday, the 26th day of February, 2022
Ten O'clock in the Morning

Majestic Christian Center
3512 McLean Road • Pearland, Texas 77584
Pastor Heathcliffe Taylor, Officiating

Musical Prelude.....(Soft Music)

Processional.....Clergy, Bearers and Family

A Final Glimpse 'til Glory

Selection.....Bembo and Taylor Family

Congressional Song....."Blessed Assurance"

Reading of Holy Scriptures

Old Testament.....Heathcliffe Taylor

New Testament.....Kenneth Richardson

Prayer of Comfort.....Margaret Achong

Selection.....Pricilla Bembo & Taylor Family

Expressions.....(Two Minutes Please)

Solo.....Pricilla Bembo

Gospel Message.....Pastor Heathcliffe Taylor

Funeral Directors in Charge

Recessional.....Clergy, Bearers and Family

****Please Join the family after the burial for the repast back at the church****







Message From Heaven



When tomorrow starts without me and I'm not here to see
If the sun should rise and find your eyes are filled with tears for me
I wish so much you wouldn't cry the way you did today
While thinking of the many things we didn't get to say
I know how much you love me as much as I love you
And each time you think of me I know you'll miss me too
But when tomorrow starts without me please try to understand
That an angel came and called my name and took me by the hand
And said my place was ready in Heaven far above
And that I'd have to leave behind all those I dearly love
But when I walked through Heaven's gate I felt so much at home
When God looked down and smiled at me from His great golden throne
He said this is eternity And all I promised you today your life on earth is past
But here it starts anew I promise no tomorrow for today will always last
And since each day's the same way there's no longing for the past
So when tomorrow starts without me don't think we're far apart
For every time you think of me I'm right here in your heart.

Love you all, Mom

Bearers of the Bier

Hayden Taylor
Robert Taylor
Lionel Taylor

Adrian Taylor
Nigel Taylor
Rikki Aping

Our Sincerest Appreciation

*“Perhaps you sent a lovely card or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a funeral spray, if so we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say;
Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts,
We thank you so much whatever the part..”*

The funeral was difficult, but we needed to say goodbye and celebrate the life of Elizabeth Rita Taylor's time with us. Thank you for coming and supporting us in our grief. Your presence was appreciated and made this experience a little less difficult..

- The Family -

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