

Taylor, James Edward | 1943-2012

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James Edward Taylor

Funeral for James Edward Taylor, 68, of Ben Wheeler is 10 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 22, at Tyler Memorial Funeral Home with the Rev. Michael McGuire officiating. Burial is 4 p.m. Wednesday at Thurman Cemetery in New Fairview.

Taylor died Saturday, Aug. 18, 2012, in Tyler.

Born Dec. 9, 1943, in Argyle to Raymond and Ethel Reynolds Taylor, he worked for General Motors.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Carolyn Sue Taylor; brothers Ray Taylor and Lane Taylor; and sisters Mary Dill, Jane Johnson and Emma Kelly.

Taylor is survived by his wife, Peggy S. Taylor of Ben Wheeler; children Terry Taylor and wife, Sheila, of New Fairview and Stephanie Taylor Baker of Denton; stepchildren David Hill and wife, Amy, and Shelly Mitchell and husband, Charles, all of Gladewater and Carolyn Holly and husband, Steven, of Shenandoah.

He is also survived by grandchildren Krishna, Ethan, Katie and Tanner Taylor; Carolyn and Taylor Baker; Meghan Holly; Shayna, Tucker and Kinzlee Hill; Melissa Kibodeaux; and Morgan and Dylan Davis; and great-grandchildren Brooklyn Ort and Trenton Brittain.

Pallbearers are Ethan Taylor, Taylor Baker, John Taylor, Dakota Davis, David Hill and Charles Mitchell. Honorary pallbearer is Tanner Taylor.