



Sanford Taylor, Jr.

November 25, 1934 - June 2, 2017

Sanford "Sam" Taylor, Jr., 82, passed away peacefully on June 2, 2017 surrounded by his loving family. He was born November 25, 1934 in Toledo to Sanford, Sr. and Alta Grace (Winder) Caputo. Sam graduated from Scott High School, where, in 2015, he was inducted into the Hall of Fame for his contributions to the Toledo community.

Sam graduated from the University of Toledo with a BS in Mechanical Engineering in 1958. He proudly served his country in the U. S. Naval Reserves from 1952-1960.

Sam worked for the Medical College of Ohio (UTMUO) from 1971-1995. He was the Associate Vice President of engineering and construction, overseeing the planning and development of the campus. He was an active member of the Toledo Planning Commission, the Masons, the Zenobia Arab Patrol Shriners, the Royal Order of Jesters, and OLPH Catholic Church.

In his retirement, he discovered his gift and talent of wood carving, creating many beautiful pieces. Sam kept a lifelong friendship with his fraternity brothers from UT, gathering together each month. Sam often said that he is the person he was, because of his childhood experiences at Camp Storer.

Sam will be remembered by his warm smile, quick wit, and his PMA (Positive Mental Attitude).

Surviving are his loving wife, Cathy, daughters, Kathy Crahan, Connie and Sue Taylor, grandchildren, Ryan and Alex (Alexa) Crahan, Chelsea, Delaney and Cheyenne Banas and great grandchildren Hailey, Savannah, Logan and

Liam. He was preceded in death by his parents and his first wife, Elinor. Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd. on Monday, June 5, from 2-8 p.m. with a Masonic Service and a Sharing of Memories at 7. The funeral will begin at Coyle on Tuesday, June 6 at 9:30 a.m. followed by Mass at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church at 10. Interment will be at Ottawa Hills Memorial Park.

Memorial donations may be given to Hospice of NW Ohio, OLPH Church or the YMCA Camp Storer fund. The family would like to thank Dr. Skeel and the staff at UTMUO for their compassionate care of Sam over the years of his illness.

Please leave a condolence message for the family and view Sam's Memorial Video Tribute at CoyleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Ottawa Hills Memorial

4210 W Central Ave
Toledo, OH 43606

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 5. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

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JUN 5. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Funeral

JUN 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help
2255 Central Grove
Toledo, OH 43614

Tribute Wall

DH

“ Dana L Hostetler lit a candle in memory of Sanford Taylor, Jr.



Dana L Hostetler - June 09, 2017 at 09:56 AM

DC

On behalf of the Electro Club and its members we are thinking of the Taylor family and their loss. Sam was a long time member of the club and will be missed

Dana L Hostetler Member Electo Club - June 09, 2017 at 10:02 AM

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“ Love, Tim & Lisa Hawkins (Winder) purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Sanford Taylor, Jr..



Love, Tim & Lisa Hawkins (Winder) - June 06, 2017 at 09:48 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sanford Taylor, Jr..



June 05, 2017 at 10:41 AM

CV

“ 2 files added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - June 05, 2017 at 08:04 AM

MW

“ Mary Wening lit a candle in memory of Sanford Taylor, Jr.



Mary Wening - June 05, 2017 at 05:24 AM

FR

“ Sam was a Class Act and an all around Good Person. He certainly will be missed by many including his OLPH Community. May Perpetual Light Shine Upon Him!

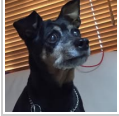
Fr. David Ritchie - June 04, 2017 at 04:29 PM

SF

“ Sandy Harder Faulkner lit a candle in memory of Sanford Taylor, Jr.



sandy harder faulkner - June 04, 2017 at 06:50 AM



Sam was a great guy and will be missed by many. Cathy we haven't seen you two since you were camping at Maumee Bay State Park.

John Kuohn - June 04, 2017 at 02:39 PM

SB

So sorry to learn of Sam's passing. Sending prayers to Sam's family. He will be missed by all that loved him. He has a good friend waiting on the other side. R.I.P. Sam.

Sandy Beavers - June 04, 2017 at 08:31 PM

MW

I very much wish I could be there for all of you. Be assured my thoughts & prayers are with the Taylor Family. Sam was a wonderful, kind human being that I had the privilege to know and love. I will never forget him. Perpetual Light shine upon him.

Mary Wening - June 05, 2017 at 05:28 AM