



John Michael Taylor

June 22, 1959 - December 31, 2022

John Michael “Mike” Taylor, 63, of Tequesta, FL passed away on December 31, 2022. Mike was born in Hartford, CT to William & Ann FitzGibbon Taylor on June 22, 1959. The family moved to Tequesta in 1968 and Mike attended Jupiter Schools from elementary through High School, then University of Florida and Florida State where he earned a BS in Marketing and finally McAllister Mortuary School where he earned his degree in Mortuary Science. Mike married Maria Giraldo in 1998 and they had two beautiful children, Andrew and Melissa. Mike was a fourth generation funeral director in the family business and assisted many friends during their time of need. He had a love of music and spent many hours playing with fellow musicians and at open mic night throughout the area. He loved his family and was proud of his children beyond measure. He will be deeply missed. He is survived by his wife, Maria; children Andrew and Melissa; Mother Ann Taylor; Siblings Ann Upton, William Taylor, Jr., Joan Taylor, Carol Taylor Block, James Taylor, Andy Taylor, Ellen Taylor Eady and Amy Taylor and many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. A Visitation will be held on Thursday January 5 from 5 7 PM followed by a Prayer Service at 7 PM at Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, 250 Center St., Jupiter, FL visit www.taylorandmodeen.com for directions and condolences.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home
250 Center Street
Jupiter, FL 33458
(561) 744-2030
<https://www.taylorandmodeenflorida.com>

Prayer Service

JAN 5. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John Michael Taylor*

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM

SC

“ *I have known Michael since elementary school. He has always had a love of music and secretly he enjoyed mathematics and astrology. He has always felt that Andrew and Melissa were his best contributions to this world and Maria was his most solid rock. He had a love of all people and had a funny sense of humor. He loved growing up in Jupiter, the water, the people here and his Family. He admired greatly his Mother whom he felt was unconditional in her love and support of him and all his siblings and the grandchildren. Although physically gone, his spirit will live on in all our memories of him and in Melissa and Andrew! My heartfelt thoughts and prayers are sent to the entire Taylor Family.*

Sue Compton - January 05, 2023 at 10:33 PM

DA

“ *So sorry to hear this devastating news! Much too early for such a fine man to leave. He has left his physical body but he is still very much present and appreciating how many are sending him all their love. My condolences and love to Maria, Andrew and Melissa. Don Arney*

Don Arney - January 05, 2023 at 02:05 AM

PF

“ *Mike was such a gentle soul. We will cherish all those beautiful memories when our kids were growing up. Mike would take them fishing, teach them to play the guitar, take them to the park..... When the four of us would get together for a nice dinner, or go to parties and have a good time. Mike may you rest in peace! Our deepest condolences to Maria, Andrew, Melissa and the rest of the family.*

Victor, Mari, Pili & Jordi

Perez Family - January 04, 2023 at 10:01 AM

SJ

We want to offer our most sincere condolences to the entire family. God bless you. Steve & Nan and family

Stephen Josephson - January 04, 2023 at 10:26 AM

MS

Offering our most sincere condolences to the entire family. God bless. Mike and Maria Scozzari

MARIA SCOZZARI - January 04, 2023 at 06:21 PM

KC

I got to know Mike when Melissa was a baby. Such a kind and gentle soul. I have such fond memories. A sweet, loving father, husband, and friend. My sincere condolences to the entire family.

*With love,
Karen Cantrell*

Karen Cantrell - January 05, 2023 at 09:24 AM

TW

May his gentle soul rest in peace.

Tom Walsh - January 05, 2023 at 11:50 AM

AA

To all the Taylor's ... I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of Mike. I will light a candle and pray for him at Little Flower Church. With love, Ann Wells Anthony

Ann Anthony - January 05, 2023 at 09:48 PM

ML

I was saddened to hear of Mike's passing. I work at St. Jude Church and have had the honor of knowing him for many years. He was always such a gentle and kind soul. His beautiful demeanor and spirit will always be remembered. I will remember him always. My condolences reach out to all the precious Taylor family who are the most gracious people I have been very blessed to know. God bless you all and my He wrap His gentle arms around each and every one of you and hold you ever close to His most Merciful Heart.

Mary Lehman - January 08, 2023 at 04:10 PM