



Richard Newell Taylor

January 28, 1937 - April 2, 2012

Richard Newell Taylor of Metairie, LA passed away on Monday, April 2, 2012 at the age of 75. Beloved husband of 54 years to Linda Bickmann Taylor. Son of the late Hugh and Dora Taylor. Brother of Clifford Taylor. Father of Michael (Gina), Debra and Dianna Taylor. He was the loving grandfather of Melissa Deering, Michael Jr., Ashley and Sydney Taylor. Great grandfather of Devon, Dean and Elizabeth. Also survived by a host of other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, five brothers and two sisters. He was previously employed by the Orleans Levee Board and Delgado Community College.

The family would like to express their heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Sonia Alvarez, Dr. James McCullough and the staff of East Jefferson General Hospital for their tireless effort and compassion.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the Funeral Service at L. A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home, 2929 Metairie Rd., Metairie on Saturday, April 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. Visitation will begin at 9:00 a.m. Interment in Cypress Grove Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Cypress Grove

120 City Park Ave.
New Orleans, LA 70119

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Newell Taylor*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *Ms. Linda, Debra, Dianna, and Micheal I am so sorry for your loss but i do have great memories of coming to your house with my grandparents and Aunt and Uncle on fridays during lent when I was a child and eating crabs and crawfish. I will miss Mr. Richard.*

Anne Chenuau Granddaughter of Yvonne Ladegaillerie

Anne Chenuau - April 07, 2012 at 03:35 PM



“ *Linda, Debra, Dianna, and Mikey, we are so sorry for your loss. Richard was one of those characters that are larger than life. His stories were always side splitters and we truly enjoyed when we had the chance to talk. Richard was always a teacher. Even his passing has taught us a lesson...that we should have spent more time fishing with him. We too will miss him.*

Jason and Nicole Bruzik

Jason Bruzik - April 06, 2012 at 12:42 AM

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“ When you put together all the times I was in the company of the Taylor family (and it is legion) it is hard to pinpoint a single memory of Richard. One that especially comes to mind was the time he asked me to help him with a job in a rental house. Mike, you'll know the house I'm talking about. Anyway, it took us a better part of the day to paint, hang ceiling fans and other minor repairs. Although this wasn't my usual line of work, Richard was very patient and took the time to teach me all the little tricks. He even said that he would hire me in an instant. I know that he was joking because at best I was a single hand (not a Pair of hands). During our labors we talked of life and its foibles when it dawned on me that he was the dad I wished I had. (My Dad was very sexist only my brothers could do this type of things). So I want to thank Mike, Debra and Dianna for sharing their father with me. I bet you didn't know you had another sister did you? And most of all thank you Linda for taking another daughter under your wing when I needed it most, I love all of you and miss you all.
Lovee, Jodie

Jodie Maddox - April 04, 2012 at 04:15 PM

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“ Dianna, Debra, Sydney, and the rest of the family...I am so sorry for your loss. Find comfort in knowing that he is still with you, just in a better place. If there is anything I can do, let me know. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Stacey Erikson - April 04, 2012 at 03:05 PM