



Patricia Ann Taylor

September 1, 1940 - February 23, 2016

Patricia Ann (Tabb) Taylor was born September 21, 1940, in Columbus, Mississippi, and was raised there by her parents, Sarah Pauline Olivia (Tucker) Davis and Charlie Davis. Though an only child, she grew up among many cousins, and close to her grandparents and other relatives in Columbus, instilling in her a life long appreciation of, and dedication to, family, both nuclear and extended.

Pat left Columbus to attend Tougaloo College near Jackson, MS, and it was there she met the upperclassman who would become her husband. William H, Taylor, Jr. and Patricia were married in 1961 in St. LOuis, MO. Two children were born of this union: a son, Brett A. Taylor, and a daughter, Andrea Lynne Taylor. They too grew up among family, including Pat's parents, who moved to St. Louis to join their only child and her growing family. Loving care and kinship were shared across these three generations, and then extended into a fourth, as Pat continued to live and embody her love of family as an extraordinary grandmother to her two grandsons, Aidan and Liam, here in St. Louis.

Pat was dedicated and accomplished in her professional life as well. She completed her bachelor's degree in social work at St. Louis University in 1963 and received her Master of Social WOrk degree from the George Warren Brown School of Social Work at Washington University in St. Louis in 1973.

She was among the first Licensed Clinical Social Workers in the state of Missouri. A skillful psychotherapist and mental health professional, she provided encouragement, advice, and a shining example to many in her roles as colleague, supervisor, teacher, and mentor. Both of her children followed her educational and professional lead: Brett is an orthopedic surgeon and Lynne is a clinical psychologist. Pat started her own business, Behavioral Psychotherapists & Consultants, Inc. (BPAC) in 1989, and ran a thriving private practice for more than a quarter century, seeing clients up until the week before her death.

Patricia Ann Taylor is survived by her husband, daughter, son, daughter-in-law, grandsons, and a host of relatives and friends who make up the family she so cherished. Pat's spirit was a bright and loving light that provided illumination, warmth, and energy to all those it touched. It will live in each of you.

Cemetery Details

National Cemetery - Jefferson Barracks

2900 Sheridan Rd
St. Louis, MO 63125

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 25. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Archway Memorial Chapel
111 Taylor Road
Hazelwood, MO 63042
(314) 895-3900
info@archwaychapel.com

Life Celebration Service

FEB 26. 8:00 AM (CT)

Zion Lutheran Church
123 Carson Road
Ferguson, MO 63135

Interment

FEB 26. 10:15 AM (CT)

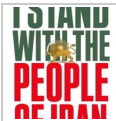
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Tribute Wall



“ I have been looking up Pat from time to time on the internet for years. Never had I seen her obituary pop up. I am so saddened to hear of the loss of this woman who I always likened to the fierce, intelligent, and beautiful Tina Turner. Pat was my therapist for two years, she helped me beat my fear of public speaking and build confidence in myself and my abilities. I am a better and stronger teacher and person because of knowing her. My deepest condolence to her children, husband, children and grandchildren whom she always loves so fondly of. I'll miss you Pat Taylor. God keep you always on the tender grasp of heaven where you most absolutely are.

Sally Tavassoli - July 09, 2020 at 12:08 AM



Sorry I meant *condolences and *spoke

Sally Tavassoli - July 09, 2020 at 12:12 AM

AE

“ I had the privilege to meet Ms Taylor 12 years ago, she was an angel in my life and the eye opener I need to leave an abusive relationship, I was searching online for her today to send her flowers and to say "thank you so much for your wisdom and for helping me during my worst life period" Unfortunately I found this obituary instead but with my words I would like to honor her as an amazing person and professional. Thank you so much, I will never forgive you.

Ana

Ana Elliott - July 08, 2020 at 01:14 AM

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Sorry, I meant forget you.

Ana Elliott - July 08, 2020 at 01:27 AM

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“ *I'm a city worker I meant Miss Pat in 2000 because I had an incident at work she read me like a book I did not think nobody can do that I thought my big mama from heaven sent an angel down to make me come down ever since then I can expect as the one who can I can talk to one of my temple go I have something someone to talk to when my job was get to me I'm basing my job sent me there but I'm sorry to hear that a person who got a blessed heart have gone home so so God wrap his arms around me Jeanette one yeah keep the faith peace*

Wonda - March 18, 2017 at 01:58 PM

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“ *Pat was my therapist for about five years in the 1990s and helped me tremendously. I am very sad to hear of her passing, as I felt she was a wonderful person in addition to being such a great therapist. My heart goes out to her family and all of those who loved her. She was such a gift.*
Bill M.

Bill McDermott - June 03, 2016 at 02:12 PM

EM

“ I have been one of Pat's clients since 2013. Those close to me know the deep admiration I had for her abilities as a psychotherapist, as I said so frequently to my close friends and family, frequently marveling at her wisdom and wondering how I'd gotten so lucky to have fallen into such capable hands. She's been an important part of my life during these last three years. I can picture so perfectly everything about her mannerisms - her smile, her easy way, how she talked with her hands, her astute insight, how she always came across as so competent. Through my hardest times she acted as a trusted advisor to me, intuiting things I didn't have the ability to express. I left our sessions feeling I could do it even when the times were hardest. I hadn't seen her in the last few months and had no idea her health was declining. I was scheduled to meet with her the day she passed and was just devastated to learn the news. My heart goes out to her husband, son, daughter, and grandchildren. Now that I know more about her family I know she must have been so incredibly proud of all they've accomplished.
-Emily Laufgraben (emily.laufgraben@gmail.com)

Emily - March 07, 2016 at 04:22 PM

KS

“ Kenneth McGhee And Archway Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Patricia Ann Taylor



Kenneth McGhee and Archway Staff - March 06, 2016 at 05:08 PM

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“ *Kenneth McGhee And Archway Staff lit a candle in memory of Patricia Ann Taylor*



Kenneth McGhee and Archway Staff - March 05, 2016 at 11:50 PM