



## Henry Howard Taylor

April 3, 1949 - February 20, 2022

Henry Howard Taylor, 72, passed away February 20, 2022.

A native of Spartanburg, son of the late William David and Guynel Templeton Taylor, he was retired from GE and a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church. Surviving are his wife, Janice Reynolds Taylor of the home; two sons, Tony Taylor of Taylors; Brad Taylor of Greer (April); one brother, Bill Taylor (Martha) of Taylors; five grandchildren, Brandon Taylor, Dustin Taylor (Christina), Karli Taylor, Brent Taylor and Taylor Tuck (Carl); and four great-grandchildren, Devon Taylor, D.J. Taylor, Bella Taylor and Carter Tuck.

Mr. Taylor was predeceased by one son, Phillip Taylor.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 PM Saturday, February 26, 2022, at Emmanuel Baptist Church conducted by Rev Shane Hull. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Memory Gardens.

Visitation will be held 12:30-1:45 PM Saturday, February 26, 2022, at Emmanuel Baptist Church.

The family will be at the home.

Memorials may be made to Emmanuel Baptist Church Building Fund, 423 S Buncombe Rd, Greer, SC 29650.

Online condolences may be made to [www.thewoodmortuary.com](http://www.thewoodmortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Memory Gardens

14050 East Wade Hampton Boulevard  
Greer, SC 29651

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **26**. 12:30 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

Emmanuel Baptist Church  
423 S. Buncombe Road  
Greer, SC

## Service

FEB **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Emmanuel Baptist Church  
423 S. Buncombe Road  
Greer, SC

# Tribute Wall

AB

“ Praying for You Janice. May God Comfort You and your Family and God's Strength be around You All You know I worked with Henry he was always so kind and Sweet. Then I met you when you worked on M Bay through My Jimmy. He always thought alot of you . If you need anything please let me know !! 🙏🙏❤️

Ann Bowersock - February 25, 2022 at 11:08 PM

JM

“ Julianna, Andrea, Ashley, Lauren, Megan purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Henry Howard Taylor.



Julianna, Andrea, Ashley, Lauren, Megan - February 25, 2022 at 12:47 PM

SC

“ So sorry about Henry. I always liked him in school, very like able to all. Prayers to you Janice

Steve Campbell - February 24, 2022 at 08:03 PM

RH

Henry was a great friend and coworker RIP.

RICK HOPF - April 30, 2022 at 08:31 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Henry Howard Taylor.*



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February 24, 2022 at 11:44 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Henry Howard Taylor.*



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February 24, 2022 at 07:44 AM



“ *Glenn Masters lit a candle in memory of Henry Howard Taylor*



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**Glenn Masters** - February 23, 2022 at 04:02 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Henry Howard Taylor.*



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February 23, 2022 at 12:28 PM

LA

“ *Lois A. purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Henry Howard Taylor.*



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**Lois A.** - February 23, 2022 at 12:18 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Henry Howard Taylor.*



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February 23, 2022 at 11:40 AM

LR

“ Dear Taylor Family, I am sad to learn that dear sweet Henry has gone home. We grew up in the same neighborhood for many years and his parents were such special people and we loved them dearly. Henry and Bill were like brothers to me and my sister - she and the two boys took swimming lessons together and I went along and enjoyed that time with Mrs. Taylor just laughing and talking together. Henry was a special boy back then and I am sure he had grown to be very special man to his family. Our lives have taken us in different directions over the years but we did see each other several years ago and it was just a special meeting and as if time had stood still with hugs, laughter, and more hugs. I am sure he will be missed by so many people who loved him. I will always remember him and his sweet spirit. May God wrap you all in His love to give you peace and strength during this difficult time and may your memories give you comfort and some joy in the coming times. May God bless and keep you. Sent with my love and prayers,  
Linda Coggins Roberts.



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Linda C. Roberts - February 22, 2022 at 08:44 PM

“ Henry Taylor Is one of those people that you just know God brought into your life at the perfect time.

*For me, I was that terrified new employee starting as a welder for GE in 1988. By some stroke of luck ie; God intervention, I started in the pipe shop. Henry was the man who stepped up to train me. I can tell you now coming from construction work I was very apprehensive. Little did I know that I had just been assigned to the Pipe-Shop Court Jester! He had me in stitches within the first hour making fun of my cheater lenses because I was so blind!*

*It was ironic that during that time there was a candy bar Named “Oh Henry” which I must’ve quoted 10 times a day on average every time he would pick at me!*

*I couldn’t have been in better hands with this man he was extremely patient, kind and giving of himself and his knowledge. If anybody has ever had to train with another person that can be A rare quality. I will never forget that and was always grateful for the way he introduced me to welding.*

*That’s the first time I realized how much I loved Henrys spirit, and later thrilled to find out my husband Joe and Janis had worked together before both coming to GE. She was as kind to me as he was always asking about Joe’s progress when he was going through his cancer treatments. Since those days we have stayed bosom buddies and I love them both dearly.*

*I will miss Henry every day and always remember his great sense of humor his giving spirit, and pride he couldn’t hide telling the wonderful stories about his great grandchildren. It hasn’t been a month or so ago Joe and I was in his living room as he talked about his connection with DJ coming to him for advice. You could see on his face with that smile, how much that meant to him. He was just as proud when he would tell of his experiences with Bella and Devon. Above all Henry was a great example to all of us on being devoted to his family.*

*It sounds like a cliché, but I know with every breath in my body that Henry is with the Lord right now doing a happy dance, looking back with a smile thinking it’s wonderful here, "there's nothing to be afraid of, you are going to love it when we’re all home together again.*

*With all our deepest sympathy and prayers,  
Joe and Sue Brown*

**Sue Brown** - February 22, 2022 at 12:29 PM

BH

“ *Barbara Hendrix sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Henry Howard Taylor*



**Barbara Hendrix** - February 22, 2022 at 11:12 AM

KW

“ *Sorry for your loss. Praying 🙏 for the family.*

*Karen Woodward*

**Karen Woodward** - February 22, 2022 at 09:57 AM

BM

“ *Janice, I am so sorry to hear this, I will be praying for you and your  
family, I know what you are going through right now and it's not  
easy. May God give you the strength and help you need to go on,  
you will make it through this even though at times you don't think  
you can.*

*God needed Henry and he will be by your side to strengthen you.*

**Brenda Brown Mayfield** - February 22, 2022 at 09:22 AM

LE

“ *He used to always try to scare me! He would always tease me and  
always had a smile on his face! I miss you papa.*

**lisette estrella** - February 22, 2022 at 07:58 AM



“ SO SORRY----MAY HE REST IN PEACE

Davy Wynn - February 22, 2022 at 12:42 AM

DW

“ *Janice, I cannot express the sorrow I feel for your family. I did not know Henry very well but I know this will leave a huge void in your family. Marlene had told me Henry was in the hospital and I asked about him each day fully expecting him to be better. Prayers for your family and Janice if there is anything I can do, please let me know.*

*God Bless You,  
Dale*

Dale Wood - February 21, 2022 at 10:37 PM

LW

“ *Janice and the Taylor family, we want to express our deepest sympathy at this time. We will miss seeing Henry walk through those church doors on Sunday and Wednesday nights. But so glad we will see him again in heaven and he, probably will be telling a funny joke making people laugh. Lanny and Janet Waddell*

Lanny and Janet Waddell - February 21, 2022 at 05:14 PM

Tina Blackwell

“ *Praying for the Taylor family*



Tina Blackwell - February 21, 2022 at 03:00 PM

FH

*Dear Janice and family, we are keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers!*

**Faye Hazelwood** - February 21, 2022 at 10:04 PM

LS

*Henry was my best friend in High School. I will never forget him. We are so sorry.*

**Les Scogin** - February 22, 2022 at 01:01 PM

TC

*Henry was a good friend, always ready to help someone out, he will be greatly missed*

**tommy coleman** - February 22, 2022 at 06:47 PM

SH

*Janice and Family I am so sorry to hear of Henry's passing, He will definitely be missed by all who knew him. Praying for each of you. Shirley G.*

**shirley** - February 23, 2022 at 12:11 PM

DE

*So very sorry for your loss. Family will be in my prayers for comfort*

**Dee** - February 24, 2022 at 01:48 PM

GM

*I am so sorry for your loss. Henry was a good person Janice, your children and grandchildren and Bill will be in my prayers. Glennis Paris McClain*

**Glennis McClain** - February 24, 2022 at 10:37 PM