



## Shirley Pearl Taylor

March 6, 1948 - September 2, 2020

Shirley Pearl Taylor was born on March 6, 1948, the second of five children, to the late Willie Richard Moses and Laura Wilks Moses in Columbia Mississippi. She Departed this life on September 3, 2020 at Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital in New Brunswick, New Jersey.

She accepted Christ and attended the Harmony Missionary Baptist Church in Columbia, MS. After moving to NJ, she join the Ebenezer Baptist Church in New Brunswick.

Shirley received her formal education at the John J. Jefferson Public School System in Columbia, MS and graduated from Prestiss Institute Jour College. After moving to NJ in the early 70's, she began her employment with the New Brunswick Public School System where she worked as the Kitchen Manager up until her death. She also worked with the New Brunswick School's (ASP) After School Program, where she established her community name "Mrs. Shirley." She was the matriarch of the neighborhood and everyone loved Mrs. Shirley!

She was a devoted wife and mother and saw to it that family gatherings were at the forefront of the family staying united. Cooking an abundance of food was her favorite thing to do. She would not just feed her immediate family, but her extended neighborhood family. Proverbs 22:1 Give a description of the name she made for herself "A good name is to be chosen rather than great wealth; to be respected is better than silver and gold."

She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Frank E. Taylor; her

parents, Willie Richard Moses and Laura Wilks Moses; brother, J. Earl Barber; sister, Dorothy Marie Moses and two extended family and children, Steven Taylor and Wendy Taylor. She leaves to celebrate her memory, three sons, Kevin L. Moses, Sr. (Lydia), Ronell Davis and Frank Taylor (Idania); extended family and children, James Taylor; Joy Harvey, Ava Harris and Donna Taylor; her sister, Ella Ruth Moses Preston and two brothers, Willie Walter Moses and Edward Charles Moses. She is also survived by five grandchildren; Kevin L. Moses, Jr., Shamil Davis, Destiny Davis, Divine Davis and Elijah Taylor; two great-grandchildren, Kayden Moses and Khloe Davis, a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and dear friends.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at 10am Saturday, September 19, 2020 and viewing 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM at New Destiny Family Worship Center, 1330 Livingston Avenue #5, North Brunswick, NJ.

# Previous Events

## Walk Through Viewing

SEP **19**. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

New Destiny Family Worship Center  
1330 Livingston Avenue, Suite 5  
North Brunswick, NJ 08902

# Tribute Wall



“ Shirley Pearl Taylor

September 22, 2022 at 02:41 PM



“ Grandma I miss you so much ! Your life was a blessing , your memory a treasure you are loved beyond words and missed beyond measures . We were so honored and blessed to experience an amazing woman you were. The fact that you are no longer here is causing so much pain. I'm holding on . I'm trying . I'm hurting . Only if i could have you back just for a little while .

Destiny Davis - October 03, 2020 at 02:39 AM



“ I want to send my heartfelt condolences to Ronell and Family. I am sorry for the loss of your Dear Mother and Family Member. God Bless you! Donna Thomas (Lane)

D. Thomas - September 21, 2020 at 07:14 PM



“ RIH 🙏 Mrs Shirley, Gone But Never Forgotten I Will Miss Your Smile. And The Times We Shared At Play Safe, Working For The City Of New Brunswick, Just Laughing And Talking About The Goodness Of Our Lord 🙏 And Savior Jesus Christ, Be Well My Friend, And Safe A Place For Me 🙏❤❤



Niecie Hampton - September 19, 2020 at 02:49 PM

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“ My Deepest Condolences To The Family May God Bless You All 🙏 RIH Mrs Shirley Until We Meet Again. Love You xoxoxo ❤️💜❤️



Niecie Hampton - September 19, 2020 at 02:45 PM

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“ Niecie Hampton lit a candle in memory of Shirley Pearl Taylor



Niecie Hampton - September 19, 2020 at 02:35 PM

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RIH Mrs Shirley, You Will Be Missed Gone But Never Forgotten 🙏 I Will Always Remember The Times We Shared At Play Safe Working For The City Of New Brunswick, Loving The Children, And Just Laughing And Having A Good Time Talking About The Goodness Of Our Lord 🙏 And Savior Jesus Christ 🙏 Love You xoxoxo ❤️ Mrs Shirley Until We Meet Again. ❤️🙏💜❤️

Niecie Hampton - September 19, 2020 at 02:40 PM

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God Rest Your Soul 🙏 Mrs Shirley, Until We Meet Again In That Palace In The Sky. ❤️🙏💜❤️

Niecie Hampton - September 19, 2020 at 02:42 PM

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“ *PRAYERS OF CONDOLENCE,  
TO FAMILY OF SISTER SHIRLEY TAYLOR.*

*SINCERELY, EVANGELIST LILLIE B. FOY & FAMILY  
SOMERSET, NEW JERSEY*

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**Evangelist Lillie** - September 19, 2020 at 12:15 PM

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“ *My condolences to the family* ❤️



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**Anita Sherman** - September 18, 2020 at 09:05 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family  
of Shirley Pearl Taylor.*



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September 17, 2020 at 01:30 PM

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“ *My sincerest condolences and prayers Ronell to you and your  
family. Praying for God's comfort, strength, peace and love*

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**Kimberly E.** - September 16, 2020 at 06:28 PM

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“ *My condolences to the family. I loved her so much she was the best lunch lady ever. I remember she would sneak extra snacks for me at the lunch line. Great memories. She was a great wonderful person full of joy. May she Rest In Peace.*

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**vanessa** - September 16, 2020 at 04:10 PM