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Colin Barrett Taylor, 26, beloved son and brother, passed away suddenly on May 23, 2015. He was born December 28, 1988 in Memphis, TN to Lorie and Michael Taylor. He traveled extensively throughout Southeast Asia where he taught English. He lived life to the fullest and never met a stranger. Colin was currently a graduate student at the University of Memphis majoring in Management Information Systems. In addition to his parents, he is survived by his brother, Jon Michael Taylor (Erika); grandfather, James Dean (Maryanne); and grandmother, Zerlenne Taylor. Colin was preceded in death by his grandmother, Rena Dean and grandfather, Bill Taylor. The family will receive friends from 12-1:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 27 at Memorial Park Funeral Home and Cemetery. Graveside services will be private. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be sent to the Memphis Humane Society. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Memorial Park Funeral Home and Cemetery, 5668 Poplar Ave. Memphis, TN 38119, "Behind the Stone Wall."



Tribute Wall

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JH

Joshua Haimowitz posted:

Hello Mr. and Mrs. Taylor. I spent some time with Colin, living in Southeast Asia. He is responsible for some of the best memories of my life. Thank you for raising such an amazing person. I miss him dearly.

July 4 at 4:00 PM

PG

Patsy Gray posted:

My deepest sympathy goes out to the Taylor family. I will praying for all of you. Patsy Gray

May 27 at 8:35 AM

CA

Chase Allen posted:

Colin was a good friend of mine over the past two semesters when we were classmates at U of M. We worked together on multiple class projects and I can attest to how hard a worker he was. He was always kind to everyone and he was one of the most personable people you would ever meet. He was a loyal friend and I'll miss him a lot. My prayers and thoughts are with his family.

May 27 at 6:13 AM

TB

Tod Bassett posted:

Colin was so personable. He was warm and engaging with a great sense of humor. Easy going just like Dad. I was only around him 3-4 times over the years but I vividly remember all of them and will have an everlasting fond memory of him. He was one of the Good Guys. I will miss him very much. I think the world of his family and my thoughts, prayers, and love will always be with them. God bless you Colin.

May 27 at 5:02 AM

MP

Memorial Park posted:

Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Colin Barrett Taylor.

May 27 at 4:44 AM



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MR

Missy Rainer posted:

Lorie, Michael, and Jon Michael, Words cannot express the sorrow we feel right now. We know that God has you all in His hands and we pray that the peace of God will be with you throughout the next days, weeks, months and years. You all are in our prayers. Love, Missy and Jim

May 26 at 3:53 PM

JS

Judy Simon posted:

Colin was a student in my graduate class in Spring 2015. He provided great comments during class discussions on global ethics, including interesting information about countries where he had lived. It was a fairly large class, but he was easy to notice and to remember because of his personality and intellect. I had hoped he would be in another of my classes in the Fall. Judith C. Simon, MIS Professor, University of Memphis

May 26 at 2:47 PM

SP

Sunya Payne posted:

Ms. Taylor, I am praying for peace and strength to cover you and the family. With Deepest Sympathy, Sunya Payne & Jazmine Mitchell

May 26 at 12:39 PM

WN

With Deepest Sympathy, Stacey Norris posted:

With deepest sympathy, Stacey Norris purchased the Wings of Gold Set for the family of Colin Barrett Taylor.

May 26 at 12:20 PM

GB

George & Kathy Butler posted:

George & Kathy Butler purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Colin Barrett Taylor.

May 26 at 7:52 AM



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Memorial Park posted:

Garden To Go Basket was purchased for the family of Colin Barrett Taylor.

May 26 at 3:51 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Barrett by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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