



Shawn M. Taylor

February 12, 1979 - June 24, 2019

Shawn M. Taylor, age 40, of Huntington, died at 10:23 a.m. on Monday, June 24, 2019 at his home.

Visitation will be from 1 – 5 p.m. Sunday, June 30, 2019 at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, July 1, 2019 at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Pastor Matt Snodderly officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery in Huntington.

Preferred memorials are to Rhonda Taylor, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Shawn was born on February 12, 1979 in Huntington, the son of James (Mike) and Rhonda L. (Burley) Taylor. He was a 1998 graduate of Huntington North High School and worked in production at Our Sunday Visitor for 20 years. Shawn was an avid bowler, loved fishing, and was a lifelong collector of baseball cards, coins, guns and knives. He also loved watching Cubs baseball. He loved his family, friends, and all children. Uncle to 3 beautiful nieces, but known as Uncle Shawny to many.

Also surviving are his mother, Rhonda L. Taylor and a grandmother, Patricia Burley, both of Huntington, sisters Michelle L. Sparks of Huntington and

Tiffany L. (Nick) Anderson of Fort Wayne, and a brother, Matthew D. Taylor of Huntington. Three nieces Lindsey M. Sparks, Kylie A. Sparks, Evelyn M. Anderson.

He was preceded in death by his father, grandparents Bob and Irene Taylor, grandfather Carl Burley, and grandmother Sharon Burley.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Hope Cemetery

1700 West Park Drive
Huntington, IN 46750

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 30. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary
35 West Park Drive
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wecare@baileylove.com
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Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Shawn M. Taylor



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - June 29, 2019 at 09:07 PM



“ *"Hey beautiful." It didn't matter how long it had been since I last saw him those words were always the first thing he would say to me. It didn't matter how many times he said those words to me over the years they still made my day. Each. And. Every. Time. I will never forget you. You made me smile. I wish I could have made you smile more. I will miss you.*

Crystal Roy - July 01, 2019 at 08:26 PM



“ Shawn was a good friend to Brandon and Ben growing up, he would go with us on our vacations to Kings Island and once to Florida, he was a great kid and a joy to have around.

Thank You Rhonda for allowing him to be a part of our family.



Dave Meekin - July 01, 2019 at 07:57 AM

CF

“ *Crotty Family lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*




crotty family - July 01, 2019 at 01:09 AM

SE

“ *Sherry Estrada lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*



Sherry Estrada - June 30, 2019 at 09:51 AM

 Andrea Fisher Kamaka

“ *Shawn had a heart of gold and was always a good friend. He always gave me advice, even when I didn't ask. Some of those times, I should've listened because he was actually right. He will be greatly missed! Prayers for all who loves him!*



Andrea Fisher Kamaka - June 29, 2019 at 11:29 PM

EF

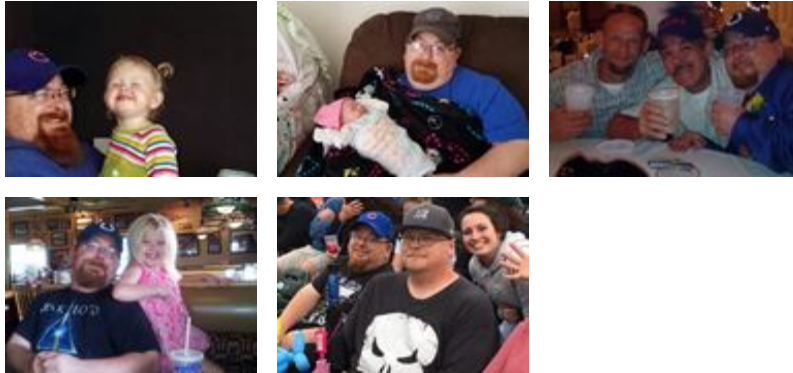
“ *Esther Frye lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*



Esther Frye - June 29, 2019 at 10:56 PM

BL

“ 25 files added to the album Life Tributes



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - June 29, 2019 at 07:52 PM

GS

“ George Smith lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor

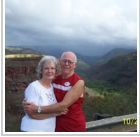


George Smith - June 29, 2019 at 10:22 AM

IF YOU'RE GOING TO RATTLE MY CAGE, YOU BETTER BE SURE I'M PADLOCKED IN.

“ I will always remember that little boy I would put his shoes up on the ceiling fan at mom's when she was babysitting him ,miss you little buddy

Dorinda Schwartz - June 29, 2019 at 10:13 AM



“ *Kay Veatch Bishop lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*



Kay Veatch Bishop - June 28, 2019 at 08:08 PM

JS

“ *i have so many good memories of shawn i wouldn't have enough room to list them all to know him was to love him i've never known anyone so loved you just had to go out in public with him any restaurant bowling alley or store there was almost always someone shawn knew people just gravitated to him children took and instant likeing to him if you were in a bar with him someone always wanted to buy him a drink it was like hanging out with a celebrity all the time i knew him he never had a drivers license but he always had people lining up to drive him on real cold nights i would text him to see if he needed a ride to work but if i didnt text early enough there would be three other people who had already offered. He often mentioned how many times he had stood as someones best man at weddings wich makes sense he was one of the best men i ever knew. Many people say of their friends "he would give you the shirt off his back" Shawn would do that and buy you and extra one just in case. i have lost my friend but i feel like ive lost a part of myself my life will never be the same without him but it was made better for having known him. i will forever miss him and i am honored to have called him my friend.*

joe swada - June 28, 2019 at 02:33 PM

KH

“ *Karrie Harris lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*



Karrie Harris - June 27, 2019 at 06:06 PM

MP

“ *Missy Pokrzywinski lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*



Missy Pokrzywinski - June 27, 2019 at 02:07 PM

MM

“ *I will always remember this short little dude with the biggest heart I've ever known! He was always willing to help a friend in need, always there with a smile and a laugh for ya, and he will be missed immensely. I've known Shawn since elementary school. I moved here starting my 3rd grade year at Lincoln Elementary. He was one of the first few kids that befriended me and we'd been friends ever since. We bowled together many years at Oak Lanes, went to several tournaments together, hung out and partied for our birthdays (mine being the 11th), and recently reconnected when I started dating Tony. I am truly gonna miss seeing Shawn, laughing and poking fun at Tony, playing cards and drinking, or just saying hello in passing. Its all so surreal still. My love to all the family and to our friends who are suffering with this terrible loss. May your soul rest in peace Shawn.*

Melissa McGee - June 27, 2019 at 10:18 AM



“ Jay & Jill Williamson lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor



Jay & Jill Williamson - June 27, 2019 at 09:20 AM



“ Gene Wright lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor



Gene Wright - June 27, 2019 at 01:02 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shawn M. Taylor.



June 26, 2019 at 08:47 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shawn M. Taylor.



June 26, 2019 at 08:36 PM

DA

“ I met Shawn 39 years ago. He was a ornery little stinker. We all loved him a lot and will miss him knowing that he has passed. May God give comfort and strength to his Mother , Sister's , Brother and friends. I have nothing but good memories of Shawn. God Bless all of you.

Dave - June 26, 2019 at 08:20 PM

DD

“ Dave & Carla Deal lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor



Dave & Carla Deal - June 26, 2019 at 08:13 PM

DA

“ Danielle lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor



Danielle - June 26, 2019 at 07:37 PM

ST

“ Remember you Shawn at a lot of Zoey birthday parties. You will be missed by your family and friends.

Sharon Tackett - June 26, 2019 at 07:25 PM

DS

“ I will remember and miss you my lil buddy, my lil cuz, my lil bro. We were just laughing and cuttin up downtown saturday. I will always remember all those years ago picking on my brother Shane and Michelle, (Bug) lol. Till we meet again lil bro, fly high!

Donald Stetzel - June 26, 2019 at 05:26 PM

T(

“ You were a good dude Shawn going to miss your face rest high my friend...



Tonya Boyd (Tucker) - June 26, 2019 at 02:54 PM

BJ

“ Brandi Jones lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor



Brandi Jones - June 26, 2019 at 11:19 AM

MD

“ I'm going to miss talking to you. I'll think of you often and remember the fun we had growing up together.

My heart is breaking for you Rhonda. Many prayers and hugs for you and your family.

Melanie Bowers Dahms



Melanie Dahms - June 26, 2019 at 11:05 AM

MD

“ *Misty Dolby lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*



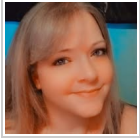
Misty Dolby - June 26, 2019 at 09:07 AM

ND

“ *To a special guy you will be missed and a hard worker REST IN PEACE MY FRIEND*



Nancy Dennison - June 26, 2019 at 01:46 AM



“ *My condolence to the Taylor Family*



Jeni Simon - June 25, 2019 at 11:31 PM

CJ

“ *Charles Hall Jr lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor*



Charles Hall Jr - June 25, 2019 at 11:27 PM

BM

“ My condolences to Shawn's family. During middle school and early high school we were like brothers. Though I haven't spoken with him often through the years, I will miss him and what a good man he was.

Ben Meekin - June 25, 2019 at 08:47 PM

SM

Always loved loved this little bro from the day he was born 🥹

Shannon mygrant - June 26, 2019 at 10:50 AM

JN

“ Judy Newsome lit a candle in memory of Shawn M. Taylor



Judy Newsome - June 25, 2019 at 08:09 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shawn M. Taylor.



June 25, 2019 at 06:46 PM