



Jesse Frederick Taylor

December 6, 1946 - November 15, 2019

Jesse Frederick Taylor Sr. (Fred) passed away November 15, 2019 in Lehigh Acres, FL. He was born December 6, 1946 in Kinston, NC to the late Fred and Lena Coombs Taylor.

He is survived by his wife, Hilda Matthews Taylor of Bear Creek, NC; children, Laura Taylor Ross and husband Rusty of Swansboro, NC, Jesse Taylor and wife Becka of Hubert, NC; grandsons Russell Ross, Andrew Ross and Ryan Ross of Swansboro, NC; brother, Frank Taylor and wife Lorraine of Wallace, NC, sister, Jewell Parker and husband Billy of Jacksonville, NC.

Fred was an avid golfer and enjoyed fishing. He will be greatly missed by his favorite golfing buddies Jimmy, Milton, Stanley and Benny. He will be forever missed by his fishing pals from Bear Creek and especially Ryan.

Fred really enjoyed cooking for a crowd especially his family and friends. Everyone was always welcome at his table. Whether it was just his immediate family or 100 of his closest friends. Fred and Hilda's 4th of July party was an event to look forward to each summer. The star of the show was always Fred's BBQ pig. While his skills on the grill were unmatched, he was always willing to teach anyone that wanted to learn.

Fred also enjoyed cooking any type of seafood. He could cook anything from the ocean! He took joy in cooking unusual dishes for people to try. More often than not if Fred cooked it - you would love it! From skate to shark to conchs to alligator.

Fred was a devoted husband to Hilda for 51 years. They loved traveling,

sightseeing, or just relaxing together in "The Boat House".

The family will hold a private memorial service at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jesse Frederick Taylor*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



“ *Jesse Frederick Taylor*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *Bonnie Matz-Benton lit a candle in memory of Jesse Frederick Taylor*



Bonnie Matz-Benton - December 01, 2019 at 06:28 PM



“ *So many memories! Been best buddies since 7th grade, It is not everyday you meet and dear friend you know is there anytime you may need him. That was fred! We became brothers even before I married his beautiful sister Jewell. We did not always agree even when we were in high school but we loved each other. This led to many long talks that brought us closer together through the years. I can tell you the passing of my dear brother has brought me deep heartaches and sadness. I am going to miss him dearly. But, I am thankful for the years and precious memories we shared together. Will always love you and family Fredrow!*

Billy Parker - November 30, 2019 at 08:40 PM

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“ I all ways enjoyed Fred and Hilda's visits when they lived out of state as they both worked and raised the family he loved and was so proud of ,I was happy when they retired and moved back to Bear ck. I miss those weekly calls for a golf trip,fishing or just to visit and talk and we can't forget those 4th of July BBQs he love to cook and when you got an invite it was for your family, friends would ever he enjoyed them all , RIP Fred I miss you and have so many memories



Benny Phillips - November 29, 2019 at 10:41 AM