



## Rhuel Thomas Taylor

February 3, 1943 - September 3, 2025

Rhuel Thomas Taylor, 82, passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday, September 3, 2025, in Aiken, South Carolina.

Born in 1943 in Kansas City, Kansas, to Rhuel and Opal Taylor, Rhuel spent most of his life in the Kansas City area. He built a successful career in advertising and sales and was known for his dedication to his family and his strong work ethic. A devoted father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, Rhuel cherished time with his loved ones. He was also a passionate sports fan and enjoyed many rounds of golf throughout his life.

He is survived by his son, Matt Taylor, and son-in-law, Alix Taylor, of Leland, NC; his grandson, Tyler Daugherty, and great-grandson, Colton Daugherty, of Titusville, FL; and his brother, Donald Taylor, of Hoxie, KS. He was preceded in death by his parents; his daughter, Stacey Daugherty; his sister, Frieda Moles; and his brother, Vernon Taylor.

A visitation will be held on Wednesday, September 10, 2025, from 9:00–10:00 A.M. at Maple Hill Funeral Home with funeral service starting at 10:00 A.M. Graveside service will follow on Thursday, September 11, 2025, at 9:00 A.M. at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens.

# Cemetery Details

## Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens

701 N 94th St  
Kansas City, KS 66112  
(913) 334-3366

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 10. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home  
3300 Shawnee Dr  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 831-3345  
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com  
<https://maplehillfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

SEP 10. 10:00 AM (CT)

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## Graveside Service

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SEP 11. 9:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

LP

“ We were shocked and saddened to learn of Tom’s passing. We have known him for many years and have fond memories of our days at the lake. He was a dear friend. Our deepest sympathy to Matt and the rest of his family. Prayers for all. Larry and Joyce Pendleton

Larry and Joyce Pendleton - September 09, 2025 at 03:40 PM

DP

“ Dari P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rhuel Thomas Taylor.

Dari P. - September 09, 2025 at 10:53 AM

RT

“ R T. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Rhuel Thomas Taylor.



R T. - September 09, 2025 at 12:50 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Rhuel Thomas Taylor.



September 09, 2025 at 12:46 AM

DT

“ *Matt truly sorry for your loss and the loss felt by the entire family. A special guy I looked up to and respected growing up, and to this day. I especially enjoyed talking with him about sports and baseball cards. His physical presence will be missed but I'm sure he will always be with us in our hearts. I'm sure Grandpa, Grandma, Vernon and Frieda are so happy to have their boy and brother home with them. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family. Love you Uncle Tom!*

*Don Jr, Lu Ann and our family*

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**Don Taylor** - September 08, 2025 at 08:08 PM