



## Jesse R. Taylor

September 20, 1980 - May 1, 2010

Jesse R. Taylor, 29, of Olean Trail, Summerville, died Saturday, May 1, 2010, in an automobile accident on Route 66, Clarion Township.

Born September 20, 1980, in Clarion, he was the son of Jeffrey L. Taylor and Jody L. Mendenhall Taylor.

Jesse was a 1999 graduate of C-L High School where he played football. He attended Carnegie Mellon University for one year and was involved with the ROTC. He graduated from Penn State Dubois with a degree in mechanical engineering.

Jesse served in the U.S. Navy.

He was a drafter and designer for Charles Machine.

Jesse was of the Methodist faith.

He was a member of the Plumville Hunting Club. He enjoyed hunting, racing, and his dog, Oscar. He had a passion for football.

Jesse is survived by his mother, Jody L. Taylor of Limestone; father, Jeff Taylor and his wife, Sherry, of Fairmount City; maternal grandmother, Patricia Mendenhall of Brookville; paternal grandparents, Max and Donna Taylor of Clarion; sister, Jeanne Taylor of Ocean City, MD; and brother, Ian Taylor of Fairmount City.

Also surviving are aunts and uncles, Jean Caldwell and husband, Rich, of Summerville; Jerry Mendenhall of Brookville; Joyce Mendenhall of Pittsburgh; Jane Wines and husband, Jim, of Oakdale, CA; Tracy Taylor and wife, Jodi, of Chillicothe, OH; Vera Philson and husband, David, of Greenville; Patty

Childers and husband, Eddie, of SD; and numerous cousins.

Jesse was preceded in death by grandfather, Gerald Mendenhall.

Family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, May 4, 2010, at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, May 5, 2010, in the funeral home with Rev. Deryl Larsen, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Clarion, officiating.

Interment will be held in the New Bethlehem Cemetery.

Memorials and donations can be made to the Clarion YMCA, 15952 Rt 322 Clarion PA 16214, or to the Limestone Fire Department, 9790 Rt 66 Clarion PA 16214.

# Tribute Wall

BM

“ Jeff, Sherry, Uncle Max, Aunt Donna  
Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of you. Think of you daily and are hoping the love of friends and family is helping you get through this difficult time.

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**Beverly Muscatello** - May 16, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I was very sad to see the passing of your son. I want to express my deepest sympathy to your family. May GOD bless your family during this time of the loss of your Son.

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**mike caldwell** - May 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ We are so sorry for loss.

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**Mary and Diane** - May 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ I only knew him a short while and the loss I feel is indescribable. I cannot even imagine how insurmountable it must be for you, his family. My deepest sympathies to you all. Thank you for sharing Jesse with me. I love him and my life will forever be better for having known him. I am so sorry for you all and hope we can stay in touch and get to know one another.

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**Traci** - May 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ What can one say at a time like this? Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Kate Ray Miller** - May 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ Dear Jody,  
You have my deepest sympathy at the loss of your son. It is one of the hardest things a parent has to endure.  
Sara J Kerr

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**Sara J Kerr** - May 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. May God be with you.

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**Sherrie May** - May 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JU

“ I give my deepest condolences to the family of Jessie. I knew him in high school and had the privledge of knowing him. He was a good kid and made everyone laugh that he was around. My prayers are with the family of Jessie.

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**Justin** - May 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers. May God be with you now and through the days ahead, and may you find strength and joy in your memories of Jesse.

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**Ron & Julie Smith** - May 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ We are so sorry for your loss and will be keeping your family in our thoughts and in our prayers.

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**Ben & Debbie Call** - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ My thoughts go out to the Taylor family. Jess was a good friend and will be dearly missed

Matthew Wayland - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ My deepest sympathy to your family and Jesse's friends. Jesse's life was a gift to all and he will be missed beyond words.

Elaine Cicciarelli - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

Julia Kidd Hough - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ I was so sorry to hear of your loss. I wanted you to know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Pam Tabler - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ You have our utmost sympathy at the loss of your son. We just met Jesse Friday evening, and we liked him instantly. We were looking forward to seeing more of him, and he was making our daughter, Traci, happier than we had seen her in a very long time.

Shirley and Joe Cupec - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ Jody, Jeanne, Jeff and family - you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Seems like only yesterday Jess was down in our basement riding big wheels with Jeff or over on the dirt pile with their Tonka trucks. I can't imagine how you must feel. Please know we are thinking of you.

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**Barbara Simpson** - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Try to remember all of the fond memories during this difficult time.

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**Michele Wice** - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

EL

“ Dear Jody, family and friends, our deepest sympathy and prayers go out to you. We are so sorry for your loss.

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**Elissa & Cliff Litsch** - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ My family is very sorry for your loss. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Melanie Wiles-Longo** - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you, and will be in the days ahead.

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**Robin Bright, George , and Nancy Brocious** - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ *Jeff, Sherry, Max, Donna*  
*Our thoughts are with you.*

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**Carl Craig** - May 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ *My heart goes out to the family and friends of Jess Taylor. He was a great guy and my best friend. I will miss him dearly.*

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**Artie Clinger** - May 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM