



## Oscar "O.B" Benjamen Taylor

December 5, 1942 - February 23, 2015

Oscar Benjamen "O.B." Taylor, 72, a retired employee of the City of Dallas, died on Monday, Feb. 23, 2015 at his home in Grand Prairie.

Visitation: 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 25, 2015 at Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home, 500 E. Main Street, Grand Prairie, Texas, 75050 where funeral services will be conducted on Thursday at 10:00 a.m., Rev. Jim Snyder officiating. Burial will follow at Long Cemetery in Cumby, Texas.

O.B. was born on December 5, 1942, the son of the late Oscar Joe Taylor and Helen Louise Roberts Taylor. He had retired from the City of Dallas, where he worked in the Parks and Recreation Department for many years.

O.B. loved to work in the yard. His garden was always filled with fine flowers and vegetables. When time allowed, he loved to spend any extra time fishing.

He is survived by his wife, Melinda Ashlock Taylor; children, Vonnie Fillingam and spouse Dale, Mark Taylor and spouse Veronica, Cathy Lopez, Rebecca Hafdahl and spouse Randal Jr.; grandchildren, Christie Risinger and spouse Brian, John Myers, Diego Preciado, Austin Lopez, Jordan Lopez, Tristan Lopez, Josh Hafdahl, Michelle Kay Hafdahl, Matthew Hafdahl, Jhene Myers; great-grandchildren, Daleton Risinger, Ethon Risinger; mother, Helen Taylor; sister, Mary Helen Roberts.

In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by a grandson, Mark Taylor Jr. and a sister, Elaine Taylor.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home  
500 E. Main Street  
Grand Prairie, TX 75050  
(972) 263-5570

## Funeral Service

FEB **26**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Guerrero-Dean Funeral Home  
500 E. Main Street  
Grand Prairie, TX 75050  
(972) 263-5570

# Tribute Wall

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“ <https://www.facebook.com/video.php?v=1005469286130527&l=2026916132107369230>

Dale - May 21, 2015 at 08:18 AM

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“ 2 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Dale - March 21, 2015 at 12:00 PM

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Dale - March 21, 2015 at 11:57 AM

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<https://www.facebook.com/vonnie.fillingim/videos/1005469286130527/>

Amy Fillingim - March 19, 2018 at 10:10 AM

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**Amy Fillingim** - March 19, 2015 at 10:22 AM

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**Amy Fillingim** - March 19, 2015 at 10:08 AM

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**Amy Fillingim** - March 19, 2015 at 09:22 AM

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“ O.B. was a great man,I met him when I went to work in the Kroger meat processing warehouse. We had very many happy times riding motorcycles. He and his parents always had an open home and a couch to sleep on for me. I shall always remember the great times we had.

curtis smith - February 28, 2015 at 11:41 PM

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THANK YOU

AMY FILLINGIM - March 03, 2015 at 10:29 AM

 Amy Fillingim

“ I WILL ALL WAYS HOLD MY MEMORY'S OF MY MOM DAD'S LOVE,IF MY DAD COULD COME BACK HE WOULD CHANGE SOME THINGS HE KNOWS WHAT REALLEY MATTERS NOW.I LOVE YOU DADDY,I WILL ALL WAYS BE YOUR GIRL!<http://youtu.be/QOcVJVvjzhw>

Amy Fillingim - February 27, 2015 at 10:03 AM

TW

“ God bless you vonnie and Mark. My heart and prayers are with y'all. I had love for y'alls daddy. He was always nice to me and brought me suckers when he saw me. My biggest memories of him is when Mark and I got on motorcycle, and we were told not to, and we did anyway.. Well I ended up getting hurt really bad and O.B. came over to see if I was ok and to give Mark a talking to. Lol. Made me smile to remember. May you soar with the angels. And know your kids loved you to moon and back... Love y'all vonnie and Mark.

Tammy Williams - February 26, 2015 at 08:27 PM



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**Guerrero - Dean Funeral Home** - February 25, 2015 at 03:01 PM

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“ *Richard Chamberlain, Gay Stapleford and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Oscar "O.B" Benjamen Taylor.*



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**Richard Chamberlain, Gay Stapleford and family** - February 25, 2015 at 07:24 AM

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“ *So many memories I have of OB way back in the early 60's we were so very young just kid's. he was dating my best friend Linda. He got me my first blind date lol we went horse back riding had so much fun. And later he married Linda, My husband and I spent many times at there home when the kids were little always playing cards or some kind of games. He was a very kind and loving man he is trully going to be missed. My prayers are with Vonnie Mark his Mother Mrs., Taylor and the Grandchildren and other family members May you RIP OB*

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**Nancy Clemmons** - February 25, 2015 at 06:31 AM

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*Thank you Nancy!*

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**Amy Fillingim** - February 26, 2015 at 03:00 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Oscar "O.B" Benjamin Taylor.*



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February 24, 2015 at 05:53 PM