



## N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP

February 13, 1955 - February 14, 2019

N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP, passed away peacefully at her home Thursday, February 14, 2019. Lynne was born in Fayetteville, TN February 13, 1955 to Ross and Nancy Locker Taylor. Dr. Taylor was a Knoxville physician and practiced at St. Mary's Medical Center, Summit Medical Group, and UT Medical Center. She was a fellow of the American College of Physicians. Upon graduating from St. Thomas Aquinas College, she became an x-ray technician at Donelson Hospital, where she continued to work while pursuing a degree in Chemistry from Tennessee Tech University. Lynne received her medical degree from The University of Tennessee Health Science Center in Memphis, TN.

Lynne was known for her love of nature and cats. A supporter of UT athletics, she loved the Vols. She was a skilled quilter and enjoyed photography, knitting, and reading. She was kind and generous to her friends and family.

Dr. Taylor was preceded in death by her father, Ross Taylor of Nashville. Grandparents, EC and Beulah Locker, Francis and Minnie Taylor of Lincoln County, TN.

She is survived by her mother Nancy Taylor of Nashville, TN, sister, Carol (Charles) McAdams of Cleveland, MS, and brother Frank (Angie) Taylor of Murfreesboro, TN. She is also survived by nephews James (Erin) McAdams and Ross (Vessi) Taylor and nieces Kathryn McAdams (Kevin Meyerhoff) and Molly (Brian) Pulsipher.

Lynne received great pleasure from the many kindnesses extended to her during her illness. Special thanks to Dr. Anthony Charles and staff of the UT Cancer Institute for their compassionate care.

A memorial service will be held Friday, March 1 at 5pm at Church Street United Methodist Church, 900 Henley St. Knoxville, TN, with reception to follow in the Parish Hall. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Church Street UMC music ministry or building fund.

# Events

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**MAR**   **Memorial Service**   05:00PM

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Church Street United Methodist Church  
900 Henley Street, Knoxville, TN, US

# Comments

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“ Today I heard of Dr. Taylor's passing. She was my physician since the '90s and provided superior care with genuine compassion. I am thankful for that care and I miss her. To her family, may your good memories sustain you.

Sherrie DeMarcus  
6.7.19

Sherrie DeMarcus - June 07 at 12:55 PM

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“ I just learned that Dr. Taylor did not survive her illness. I am so sad. She was my doctor for many years. Going to see her was like having your mom taking care of you. She was a sweetheart! Prayers for her family and friends. Jean Card

Jean Card - April 07 at 07:06 PM

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“ I was just now looking for her she was mom and dad and my doc for years until she moved to ut hospital I don't understand what happened I loved her so sorry for family so very sorry I hate this don't seem possible

Patricia ellion - March 24 at 04:44 PM

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“ Dr Taylor has been my primary care doctor for 30 years. She was caring and kind as a medical professional. She helped me through my own cancer diagnosis. I am missing her as my doctor-she is hard to replace. My sympathy to all of her family as well as all of her patients who appreciated her skill as a physician.

Jan Maskarinec - March 03 at 07:04 PM

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“ Thinking of you all and so sorry Russ and I will miss the service. Nancy, you and Lynne had the dearest mother, daughter relationship ever, and you were best friends. We are pleased we got to know your and Lynne's loving family.

Love,  
sondra & russ

Sondra Jamieson - March 01 at 03:49 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor has been my primary care doctor for the last 18 years. She was a kind, caring and compassionate person. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends during this time. She will truly be missed.  
Soraya Larson

**Soraya LArson** - March 01 at 11:23 AM

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“ Summit Medical Group - Central Office purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP.



**Summit Medical Group - Central Office** - March 01 at 09:29 AM

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“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP.



February 28 at 09:42 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor was my primary care doctor for many years. She was always available and responsive. She took time to listen to her patients and she demonstrated that she truly cared. I hope it brings some comfort to her family knowing that she was loved and respected by so many people.

Mayor Madeline Rogero

**Madeline Rogero** - February 28 at 12:14 PM

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“ I was her patient for about 30 yrs. She was so caring and her bedside manner was wonderful. She will be missed. Frances Martin

**Frances Martin** - March 02 at 08:04 PM

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“ Susan E. Freeberg, M.D. purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP.



Susan E. Freeberg, M.D. - February 26 at 08:22 PM

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“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP.



February 26 at 02:21 PM

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“ Sending peace and deepest condolences to Dr. Taylor’s family. It is no secret what a treasure we all had in knowing Dr. Lynne Taylor. Lynne’s spoke of her mother often and she was so happy when her mom relocated to be with her here in Knoxville. Dr. Taylor was my doctor over the last 25 years plus years and she was always ready to really listen, hear and address my concerns. Dr. Taylor was also my grandmother’s doctor for many years and my grandmother loved her too as we always thought of Lynne as not just our physician but as a good friend as well. Peace to all who was touched by Dr. Taylor.  
Lisa Thomas

Lisa Thomas - February 26 at 08:00 AM

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“ Very gentle, very caring and compassionate. Deepest sympathies for the family.

Regina Pelfrey, RN - February 25 at 12:12 AM

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“ Extending deepest sympathy and prayers. Dr. Taylor was my primary care doctor for over 20 years. She was a wonderful and caring person. May she rest in peace knowing all the good she did for so many. I will miss her dearly.



**Marie Duncan** - February 23 at 08:33 PM

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“ Lighting a candle brings light to the legacy of caring, comforting care you gave to all. We will carry our loving memories of you until we meet again. RIP Lynn your fabulous work on earth is done.



**Nancy Atkins** - February 23 at 03:55 PM

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“ Joyce Northern lit a candle in memory of N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP



**Joyce Northern** - February 23 at 03:18 PM

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“ My deepest sympathy to the family of Dr. Taylor. She was my primary care doctor for over 20 years and I will miss her dearly. She was one of the most caring people I have ever known and she was a wonderful doctor. Rest in peace sweet friend.

**Joyce Northern** - February 23 at 03:17 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor was my PCP as well as my husbands. I loved her compassion and her caring. When he died she was supportive of me and encouraged me to go back to school for my medical assisting degree. I will miss her and her wisdom.

**Pandora A Schrank** - February 22 at 10:08 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor was my mother's doctor. She was always so kind and compassionate! She was my mother's physician for almost 20 years. She came to my mother's funeral! Not many can say that about their doctor! She will be missed, but not forgotten! My thoughts and prayers are with her family!

**Jackie Jeffers** - February 22 at 08:05 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor was our family doctor for many years. Her finest gift to us was the discovery of a serious health issue of my daughter's. That discovery lead to life saving surgery that also saved her unborn child. Dr. Taylor had the priceless ability to make us all feel heard and understood. That's because she really cared about her patients. My heart is breaking as I hold my grandson whose life she saved. She will always have a special place in my heart.

**Juanita Hass** - February 22 at 11:44 AM

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“ To the family of a wonderful woman, and a fantastic Doctor I would like to extend my condolences for your loss. You have truly been blessed to be called family to such a caring, loving person. I have tried to keep up with her and talk to her. She was my PCP and a friend and I will miss her greatly. Love and prayers.  
Bev Helton

**bev helton** - February 21 at 09:46 PM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of N. Lynne Taylor MD, FACP.



February 21 at 11:55 AM



“ So sad to see this notice. As a nurse at St Marys I witnessed the compassion and kindness of Dr Taylor many times. She was a wonderful MD who will be missed very much. Prayers for her family at this most difficult time.

**Wilma Gaynor RN** - February 21 at 09:48 AM

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“ I did not have the privilege of knowing Dr Taylor personally, but, I had always heard such good things about her and how all who knew her loved and appreciated her for her kindness. I know she will be missed by all.  
It is a great loss and my heartfelt condolences go out to family, friends, colleagues, and patients.  
May you all feel the love and comfort of God's arms during this difficult time. Brenda Davis, RN



**Brenda Davis** - February 21 at 09:16 AM



“ It is with great sadness and joy that I hear of Lynn's step into Eternity to see her heavenly father face to face. Sorrow for us that will miss her, and joy that she is no longer suffering. She was an excellent doctor, confidant and friend. My life is truly blessed having her as a part of it. To God be the Glory, great things He hath done. Carolyn Heiskell

**Carolyn Heiskell (Mary)** - February 22 at 05:46 PM



“ I was so fortunate to find Dr. Taylor 20 years ago. My two daughters, two sisters and mother became patients of hers also because I raved about her so. Me and my family are so saddened by her passing in that we will miss her but so happy she won her battle with cancer and is now whole again and with her Savior Jesus Christ in Heaven. We will always cherish her memory. I'm so glad I got to keep in touch through cards we wrote to each other through her illness. I think she made each patient she had feel like they were her most important one. I will miss her.....rest sweet lady.

**Kathy Sharp** - March 01 at 10:03 PM

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“ Dr Taylor was my PCP back in the latter 1990's, a sweet compassionate lady! So, very sorry for your loss. God's Blessings on her family.

**Sheilah Brewer** - February 20 at 11:48 PM



“ I also worked at Summit Internal Medicine Associates in the late 1990's. Dr. Taylor and her nurse Robin were so caring and kind to their patients. Condolences to Dr. Taylor's family.

**Kimberly Steck** - February 20 at 10:00 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor was my doctor for many years. She was a wonderful doctor.  
Sue Beal

**Sue Beal** - February 20 at 07:46 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor cared for our mom for many years. She was a wonderful doctor and great friend to our mother. We will remember her with fondness. Michael Walden and Rebecca Walden Baird

**Rebecca** - February 20 at 05:57 PM

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“ Dr. Taylor was a wonderful doctor and friend to my entire family. She was our doctor, but much more than that, she was our friend. She came to my grandfather's funeral, made stack cakes with my grandmother and attended church events at our little country church. She took time out of her busy schedule to be our friend. She will be greatly missed by every member of our family.

**Shelley McMahan Stockton** - February 20 at 03:21 PM



“ Dr Taylor was my doctor for 20 years she was always do kind and caring. She took time with us and was always willing to go the extra mile for my family. We have lost a great human being and the medical field have lost a terrific doctor. My prayers and condolences to her family

Cherrie Ault Brozman

**cherrie Aukt Brozman** - February 21 at 10:23 AM



“ I was sad to hear of her passing. I was one of Dr. Taylor's first patient when she was at Internal Medicine and then I followed her to UT Medical. She was the most caring doctor I have every met. She was going through cancer the same time I was going through it. My heart is broken. I will miss her terribly. Joy Hall

**Joy** - February 22 at 12:11 AM

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“ I worked with Dr. Taylor at St. Mary's Medical Center for several years. She was a kind, compassionate, and caring physician and a genuinely caring and thoughtful person. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.  
Trish McDaniel

Trish McDaniel - February 20 at 03:02 PM

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“ I was one of Lynne's nurses at Summit Medical in the late 1990s. We had the pleasure of actually traveling together on a medical mission trip to Brazil. We stayed in the same hotel room together and had some good memories that we shared together during that trip. Prayers for Lynne's family during this difficult time, and we can rejoice in Christ, knowing that she is no longer suffering.

Robin Nighbert - February 20 at 01:30 PM

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“ My husband & I were one of Dr. Taylor's first patients when she was at Internal Medicine, Powell, TN. Then we followed her to U.T. Medical. We loved Lynn! She was the most compassionate, caring physician we've ever known. I spoke with her during her illness, she always had a positive attitude. She will be sadly missed but always remembered.

Connie & Gary Underwood - February 20 at 10:14 AM

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“ I had the pleasure of being one of the nurses who used to work with Dr. Taylor at St. Mary's. She was always understanding and helpful in our interactions. I was on the computer committee and would help her with this, she was always so funny about telling me not to change things she didn't want to try to learn something new on the computer, of which she always did a great job, she was so funny with that. She was also my doctor eventually and took good care of me. She knew me and I her, we enjoyed talking about Nashville where her parents were and my son now lives. I will miss her greatly, she was kind, conscientious and easy to talk to, she understood what was going on in the larger picture with the hospital and how hard it was on the staff. I will miss her a lot, may she be free after this last battle.  
Honey Minyard

Honey Minyard - February 20 at 10:09 AM

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“ Thoughts and prayers for the family. I had the privilege to know Dr. Taylor while she and I worked at Ima. She was always kind to her patients and really cared about their health. We talked often about our cats as she was a cat lover and I also love and have cats. I know she will be missed by many people.  
Donna King

Donna King - February 20 at 08:53 AM

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“ Dr. Taylor was an amazing Person whom loved her Patients, always showing empathy & compassion to all her Patients. Dr. Taylor was a good person to work for after she moved to UT , her New office she restarted with the same Care as always. This World was a better place for having Lynn in it.. Prayers for family

Chrystal Thomas - February 20 at 07:57 AM



“ Praying for her family. She was a great person and doctor. Will truly be missed.

Florence - February 21 at 06:48 PM



“ Dr. Taylor was the greatest PCP I've known in my 75 years in which she was a part of 38 of them. Her work put the word Care into Healthcare. She was my PCP, friend and confidante. I'll cherish the cards we shared back and forth during her illness. I being a Breast Cancer survivor during her care for me, We shared many blessings with each other. I'll treasure her memory until I see her again. My deepest sympathies for her blessed Mother and Family during this difficult time.

Nancy Atkins - February 22 at 07:25 PM



“ It was sad to hear of Dr. Taylor's passing. She was my PCP at St. Mary's and a real treasure as a trusted physician and friend. She will be missed by so many. Prayers for her family. Janice Slyman

Janice Slyman - February 23 at 09:05 AM



“ It is with great sadness that I learned that Dr. Taylor had succumbed to the illness that took my father at age 50, and that I was suspected of having a couple of years ago by myself and Dr. Taylor. She had been my primary care physician for the last few years, and I feel fortunate to have had the benefit of her highly competent and compassionate care. My condolences to her family and friends, she will be greatly missed.

judith petree - February 28 at 08:47 PM



“ I was saddened to learn of Lynne's death. She was my physician for several years. A kind and gracious lady, she will be missed by many. My condolences to the family.

Janice McCoy - March 01 at 04:49 PM