



## Gordon C. Taylor Dr.

February 23, 2010

Gordon C. Taylor, M.D., age 82, of Columbus, passed away February 23, 2010. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Jean; his sister Dottie (Joe) Robinson; his four children, Christopher, Susan (Tim), Karen (Steve) and Rebecca; his three grandchildren, Jake, Ashlynn and Mitch. He was born in Rigby, ID and graduated from Boise High School (1946). He graduated from The University of Idaho (pre-med), The University of Washington, St. Louis Medical School and completed his Internship and Residency at The University of Minnesota Hospitals. He was honorably discharged from the Navy MC (1960) and the Army MC (1963). Gordon was a devoted Radiologist at Riverside Methodist Hospital for 35 years. He enjoyed fishing and golfing. Hit his first hole-in-one on 9/10/2009. The family wishes to express their heartfelt gratitude to The Riverside Methodist Hospital staff for their care, compassion and support.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Gordon C. Taylor Dr.*

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January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ *My sincere sympathy to Dr. Gordon Taylor's family. What a wonderful person and physician to work along side with him. He cared deeply for everyone and it showed. He was always there during CT call days, before the techs even got there. He will so missed by many. God Bless!*

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**Cindy Kerschner** - March 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dr. Taylor recruited and approved me as a newly trained radiologist to the Riverside Methodist Hospital radiology staff in 1977. He served as my mentor from day one, and was always very generous with his time and advice in overseeing my transition to the practice of radiology. He was demanding, sincere, and kind to a fault. He worked untiringly and was an inspiration to all. He was highly respected by all and his opinion on almost every issue was sought by his colleagues. He affected everyone in a positive manner and will be missed by all. Sincere condolences to his family.*

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**joseph c schultz** - March 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ I had the privelege of being one of Gordon's partners from 1982 until his retirement. He was a perfect partner: hard working, dedicated to the patients and the technical staff and well respected by all the referring doctors. He was always willing to do more than his share of work in an emergency situation and to help out during others illnesses, etc. He was opinionated but always welcomed and respected others viewpoints. My deepest condolences to his family. It seems like an era (a good one) has passed.

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**Mary Pat Borgess, M.D.** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ I'd like to offer my heartfelt sympathies on your loss. Dr Taylor was kind generous man, and his passing is a great loss to all of us. I have many fond memories of working with him and of the guidance he provided. God Bless

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**Bryan Applequist RT (R)** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ I feel privileged to have worked with him for so many years. He was a hard worker and a great guy.

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**Becky Gibbons** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ I first met Dr. Taylor over 40 years ago when I began my career in radiology at RMH. Dr. Taylor was a very special person. He was always supportive to the staff and so many of us learned so much from him. I am fortunate to have worked with him. My deepest condolences to Dr. Taylor's family.

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**Barbara Spencer** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ I met Dr. Taylor in the summer of 1974 as I entered the Radiology Technology Program at Riverside Methodist Hospital fresh out of Washington Senior High School at 17 years old. Dr. Taylor was most definatley "larger than life" both then and now. I will always remember the small group of Radiologists who watched me grow up in the hallways of Radiology at RMH. There are many fond memories of those days gone by. I will always remember Dr. Taylor allowing me to scrub up for my 1st angiogram to assist him. His overconfidence was contagious which I was thankful for as I was pretty nervous at that moment in time! I think the memory of him will linger in my mind (I can almost hear it now)as a quick paced sound of "click click click" as I can still here him walking, always briskly, through the hallways of the Radiology Department between specials, x-ray, Nucs and fluoro. May you forever live on in those hallways in the place you loved and the place that loved you. Best Regards and thanks to Dr. Taylors family for sharing him with us for all of those years! ~Kathy

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**Kathy Fisher (Pfahl)** - February 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ Although Dr. Taylor never really wanted nurses in radiology, I think he finally acquiesced. He ran a tight ship in the department and was well-respected. He was generous in providing a foundation which gave radiologic technologists the opportunity to further their education. I will remember him as the consummate gentleman.

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**Kathi Donnett** - February 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Although I haven't seen Gordon since leaving Riverside in 1998, I think of him often. Like many, I have some great Gordon Taylor stories, but one stands out in my mind. In 1990, my best friend Joe had an aneurysm ruptured and needed emergent angiography. Of course it was Christmas Eve and I asked if Gordon could do it. Without hesitation, he came in and performed the procedure. Yes, the larger-than-life person we all knew and loved had an equally big heart, and I'll never forget his kindness. God bless all his family and friends.

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**JD Mace** - February 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM