



## *Charles Louis Taylor*

**December 22, 1947 - February 18, 2017**

**Resided in Erlanger, KY**

### **Obituary**

Charles Louis "Pee Wee" Taylor, 69 of Erlanger, Kentucky passed away on February 18, 2017 at his home after several illnesses associated with his ongoing cancer struggle.

Charley attended Holmes High School, studied 2 1/2 years at Eastern Kentucky University, and served several years in the US Army Reserves. Charley spent most of his time on the baseball field; drafted in 1969 by the Houston Astros, worked in the office of the Cincinnati Reds from 1977-1981, and later entered back in the game as a pitching coach in the player development system for the Houston Astros from 1982-2012. In 1998 Charley "Pee Wee" Taylor was inducted into the Northern Kentucky Sports Hall of Fame. In 2005 Charley was an Inaugural Inductee into the Lexington Legends Hall of Fame, and in 2014 he was inducted into the Covington Public Schools Athletic Hall of Fame. Charley's love of the game will always be remembered. In his spare time, Charley enjoyed fishing, playing golf, and passionately cheering on his beloved UK Wildcats.

Charley was born December 22, 1947 in Covington, KY to the late William Taylor and Alma Leber Taylor.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Robert Eugene Taylor.

Charley is survived by his Wife of 44 years, Pam (nee Richards) Taylor, Daughters, Stephanie (JJ) Pethtel, Heather (Nick) Theele, and Ashley (Corey) Niemeier, 7 Grandchildren, Jonathan (JT), Alexander, Brooke, Julia, Taylor, Stella, and Isaac. Sisters, Barbara (Al) Faulkner, and Carolyn Calvert, and Sister-in-law, Nancy Taylor.

Visitation 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm, Friday, February 24, 2017 at Immanuel United Methodist Church, 2551 Dixie Highway, Lakeside Park, Kentucky 41017.

Service will be held 11:00 am Saturday, February 25, 2017, at the Immanual United Methodist Church, Lakeside Park, Kentucky, with Rev. Kelly McClendon, Sr., officiating.

Memorials are suggested to the TEAM, Tom Ellis Athletic Memorial Foundation, P.O. Box 12132, Covington, Kentucky 41011 (Earmark for: All purpose, fields, or lights for girls' softball field) or to the Immanuel United Methodist Church, 2551 Dixie Highway, Lakeside Park, KY 41017.

Online condolences can be given at [www.dmefuneral.com](http://www.dmefuneral.com).

Dobbling, Muehlenkamp-Erschell Funeral Home caring for the family.