



## Mrs. Nellie Geneva Taylor

March 28, 1915 - April 15, 2017

Mrs. Nellie Geneva Parr Taylor age 102 of Benton, Arkansas, former longtime resident of Forrest City died on Saturday, April 15, 2017.

Mrs. Taylor was born on March 28, 1915 in Covington, Tennessee. She was the daughter of William Murray Parr Sr. and Trudy Ware Parr. Mrs. Taylor had worked for many years with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, was a member of the First Baptist Church in Forrest City and active in the Women's Hospital Auxiliary.

Mrs. Taylor married Robert Lee Taylor in 1941 and he preceded her in death in 1981. She is survived by a son William R. Taylor on Benton; a grandson Byron L. Taylor of Gulfshore, Alabama and a great grandson Alexander "Lex" Robert Taylor of Carmel, California.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, April 18, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. at Stevens Funeral Home in Forrest City, burial will follow at Forrest Park Cemetery. Visitation will be at 1:00 p.m. before the service. The family request memorials be made to the Salvation Army or to St. Jude. Visit online registry at [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net).

# Cemetery Details

## Forrest Park

Hwy 1 South  
Forrest City, AR

# Previous Events

## Service

APR 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Stevens Funeral Home  
220 North Washington  
Forrest City, AR 72335  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *My Dear Cousin. I enjoyed visiting with you while you lived in Forrest City, Ark., on my way home to Memphis, Tn. You told me you were with my mother, Veta Ware Forbess, when I was birthed. You suggested I be names, Melba, after a dear friend of yours. We enjoyed great family memories. GOD rest your precious soul. Melba Forbess Cole*

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**Mrs. James R. (Melba Forbess) Cole** - April 17, 2017 at 11:06 PM

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“ *Nellie was our neighbor in Forrest City for as long as I can remember. She was an important influence on me with her kind, giving spirit and her love of gardening. Even after leaving FC, I would always look forward to visiting Nell when coming home and touring her beautiful garden. She shared many bulbs and cutting with me, and to this day the plants she shared are the most beautiful in my garden. Nell and Bob were good friends with my parents and she and Mother were close for years after losing their husbands. She was wonderful to my Dad when he was ill and always supportive. She never missed a holiday without sharing a gift and was a true example of what it means to be a Christian. Nellie Taylor lived a good life and left a positive impression on those she touched. She will be missed. Kathryn Morgan*

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**kathryn morgan** - April 16, 2017 at 05:19 PM