



## Mr. Malcolm Tatum

November 18, 1934 - April 5, 2017

Malcolm Tatum, 82, of Plant City, Florida, born on November 18, 1934, entered into eternal rest on April 5, 2017. He was a veteran of the United States Army, and the owner of Tatum and Johnsons Department Store. He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Plant City, Gideons International, and Plant City Elk's Lodge, and a volunteer at Plant City Meals on Wheels. He loved his family, and he enjoyed fishing and the beach. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Priscilla Andrews Tatum; children, Louann Hulse (Jeffrey) of South Carolina, Michael Tatum (Virginia) of Plant City, and Suzanne Tatum of Plant City; grandchildren, Lena (Christian), Harrison, Joy (Michael), Heather (Stacey), Christopher, and Spencer; great-granddaughter, Zinnia Wren; and many nieces, nephews, family, and friends. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, April 8 at 10:00 A.M. at Oaklawn Cemetery, 1902 N. Wheeler Street, Plant City. Seating will be provided. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Florida United Methodist Children's Home at <https://donatenow.networkforgood.org/allchildrenfirst> or a charity of your choice. Expressions of condolence at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Graveside

APR 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Oaklawn Cemetery  
N. Wheeler Road  
Plant City, FL

# Tribute Wall

DH

“ Priscilla, please accept my deepest sympathy and prayers for you and all the family. I have good memories of Malcolm. May he rest in peace with God's love.  
Dave Hunley

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**Dave Hunley** - April 09, 2017 at 08:26 PM

AT

“ One of the good guys! Rest in peace!!  
Love Angie and George Turner

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**Angie/George Turner** - April 08, 2017 at 11:20 AM

SK

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Malcolm. Have a lot of memories from Tatum & Johnson's & Chemical Dynamics. He was always a pleasure to be around and always had a sweet smile on his face. He's gonna be missed.



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**Sally Carson Kimmel** - April 07, 2017 at 03:00 PM

LM

“ I am so sorry to hear about Malcolm's passing. What a kind and caring person he was. It seems so long ago when we all lived in Walden Lake, but such good memories of both of you and your children.

Louise Michal

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**Louise Michal** - April 07, 2017 at 08:29 AM

RG

“ This kind sweet man will be missed. Malcolm always had that smile and lots of laughs. Loved shopping at his store in Downtown PC. I also had the pleasure of working with him at Disney. He Loved people and did all he could to ensure they were happy and pleased with his services. He was kind and full of life. May his family have peace and comfort during this difficult journey. Ron and Vonda Gainey

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**Ron/Vonda Gainey** - April 07, 2017 at 07:20 AM

RS

“ Sorry to hear of Malcolm's passing. I was his across the street neighbor from 1985 until 1997. We shared many a good laugh along with my wife, Betty and Priscilla. Our condolences to Priscilla, the children and all members of the Tatum family.

*Bob And Betty Spencer  
North Little Rock, AR*

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**Robert Spencer** - April 06, 2017 at 09:01 AM

 Pietro  
D'Alessio

“ Few families in Plant City would be considered true royalty. The Tatum's are among that select few. Mr. & Mrs. Tatum's influence on me as a student and young man, as well as a member of First United Methodist Church was always positive and my respect for their family can't be expressed. Suzanne, who has been a part of my life for most of my life, is a dear friend and someone who is like family to me. Sending love and prayers to the entire Tatum family all the way from Utah. I wish I could be there to hug you in person.

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**Pietro D'Alessio** - April 05, 2017 at 07:24 PM