

## Feasta Taylor Reynolds

Feasta Lee Taylor Reynolds was born and raised in Tarboro, North Carolina, to the late William Lee Taylor, Jr., and Mariah Roberson Taylor. She holds the position as the seventh of eight siblings. Her educational journey commenced at W. A. Pattillo High School from 1961 to 1970 before she completed her graduation from Tarboro Senior High School in 1973. Following this, she pursued higher education at North Carolina Central University (NCCU) in Durham, North Carolina, culminating in a Bachelor of Science degree in Physical Education.

Throughout the 1980s until her retirement in 2007, Feasta held various positions across diverse fields. However, her enduring commitment and fulfillment stemmed from her role as the Human Resources Development (HRD) Director at Edgecombe Community College in Tarboro, North Carolina, where she dedicated over 25 years of her career.

In 1999, Feasta relocated her family to Garner, North Carolina, undertaking the challenging commute from Garner to Tarboro throughout her tenure at the college, displaying remarkable dedication.

Her retirement in 2007 was prompted by the onset of "spasmodic dysphonia," a speech disorder, compelling her to reluctantly submit her retirement papers. Despite the difficulty of this decision, Feasta eagerly anticipated the prospect of spending more time close to her sole grandson at the time, eliminating the need for a rigorous commute between Raleigh and Tarboro five days a week.

Currently a resident of Raleigh, North Carolina, Feasta resides near her two daughters, Tanya (Vernard) of Clayton, North Carolina, and Danielle of Garner, North Carolina. Fondly known as "Nanny Feasta," she cherishes the time spent with her three lively grandsons, Kaleb, Mayson, and Kayden.

In her present capacity, Feasta serves as the Chairperson of the Public Relations Committee.