

THE BOLD & THE BEAUTIFUL

In Depth



... ON WHY SHE AND HER HUSBY MAKE SUCH A GOOD MATCH: "Because he's not in show business! That's it, in a nutshell! I have nothing against actors, but it can be very tough for two actors to be married."



... ON TAYLOR'S APPARENTLY SELECTIVE MEMORY: "It was hard for the audience to see her go through all that stuff with [killing] Darla, but I think Taylor needs to pay for that a little bit more."

— *this is your dressing room?"*

Tylo's sharp wit and sense of humor were on display earlier this year when she participated in a live on-line chat for the show's official Web site. "I've heard that it pleasantly surprised and shocked people," says the actress, who swears she's nothing like the buttoned-up shrink she portrays on the soap. "It's cool to show people that I'm not this pristine person like Taylor, and I'm not sitting around crying all the time like she does!"

Then again, when it comes to her real life, Tylo admits that she can actually be pretty boring — and that suits her just fine. "I'm totally content to just talk about the fish pond and my garden," she declares. (The actress passionately maintains a Japanese-style garden with Niwaki trees and a koi pond.) "My husband [Gersson Archila, whom she married in 2009] and I just like to hang out in the yard, shaping trees — we were fighting raccoons recently," she reports. "Otherwise, we'll do little projects around the house or grab the kids and go cycling. Really, just everyday fun stuff!"

As for whether Taylor could use a dose of her portrayer's normalcy, the actress answers with an emphatic no. "She'd just be having normal conversations and making sense. How boring would *that* be?!"

— Amy Helmes ■