



## Osburn Clark Locke

January 1, 1920 - July 31, 2007

Osburn Clark Locke of Montgomery, Texas lost his battle with pulmonary fibrosis on July 27, 2007. Mr. Locke was born on Oct. 17, 1920 to Albert and Hortence Locke in Abilene, Texas. He attended schools in East Texas and Houston. He graduated in the first class at Lamar H.S. in 1938. He attended Texas A&M and University of Houston. In World War II he served in the South Pacific with the Coast Guard and Navy. After starting as a landman his career moved through the oil industry, and he was the first to introduce brokering to crude oil. He and his wife moved to Walden on Lake Conroe in 1981. He enjoyed golf, hunting, fishing, and most importantly his family. He belonged to the Masons, Walden Golf Club and Walden Community Church. Clark is survived by his wife Flo, and his children, Steve Locke and wife Anne, Linda Fleming and husband Terry and Christie Christopher and husband Allan, 5 grandchildren, and one great granddaughter with two more on the way. A memorial service will be held at Walden Community Church, 12400 Walden Road, Montgomery at 11:00AM on July 31, 2007 with Pastor Tom Golden officiating. Please no flowers. If you wish, contributions may be made to the Walden Community Church, 12400 Walden Road, Montgomery, Texas 77356 or to charity of your choice. All arrangements under the direction of Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home, Montgomery. You are invited to leave memorial condolences to the family at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Osburn Clark Locke*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *As I grew up, I called my dads best friend, "Uncle Clark". To this day, I recall my frienship with Steve, and all the fine times we had with our fathers on fishing trips and family gatherings. I've had the pleasure to see Uncle Clark several times in the last several years when he and Flo would come to Colorado. In my mind, Uncle Clark was second only to my own father, in the depth of my respect and admiration. There won't be a day that goes by, for the rest of my life, that I won't think about my father, and my "Uncle Clark".*

**David Hedges** - August 16, 2007 at 09:49 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy and condolences to the family of Clark Locke, a true gentleman who was greatly respected by all those persons who knew and dealt with him during his fine and long career in the oil business.*

**Dave Chalmers** - August 01, 2007 at 10:55 AM



“ *It is with great sadness that I was not able to be at O.C.'s service to celebrate his wonderful life. Family members told me is was very uplifting.  
Your family is in our thoughts and prayers to help you all in your time of grief. Our deepest love and sympathy to you all.  
Donna and John*

**Donna & John Giorno** - July 31, 2007 at 08:07 PM

WC

“ Dear Locke family, I am unable to attend services. Have many childhood memories of Clark, including a newspaper clipping when he attended my twelfth birthday party in 1933. Would be happy to share . . . if you are interested contact me.

Winton Canfield, 4007 Redwood, Nacogdoches, TX 75965...936 569 0319.

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**Winton Canfield** - July 31, 2007 at 10:12 AM

FP

“ Dear Locke Family,  
My husband Finley and I are very old friends of Steve and Ann. We were so sorry to hear about your loss. We will be unable to attend the services, but please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you all. God bless and take care.

Kaye Poe

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**Finley & Kaye Poe** - July 30, 2007 at 06:29 PM

GG

“ Gae and I extend our deep sympathy to you, Flo, and the rest of the Locke family on the passing of Clark. We will keep him and the family in our prayers at this difficult time.

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**Gerald & Gae Glaser** - July 30, 2007 at 02:31 PM

CK

“ Flo and Family,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you and yours at this time. Clark was one of the kindest and caring men that I had the pleasure to know.

My Deepest Sympathy To You At This Time,  
Cheryle Knapp

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**Cheryle Knapp** - July 30, 2007 at 02:10 PM

WC

“ It is with regret that I read of Clark's passing. Have wondered for years how to contact him. We attended grade school in Kilgore and Sidney Lanier Jr High in Houston.(I recall he always called his mother "Honey") My dad worked for "Buck" and "Ace" Locke in Kilgore. I have many memories of Clark, his pony "Dolly" (later "Trixie"),a few fishing trips to Caddo Lake and Port O"Conner. My dseepest sympathy to his family. Winton Canfield in Nacogdoches

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**Winton Canfield** - July 30, 2007 at 11:42 AM

MM

“ Dear Locke Family: We are very sorry for your loss. It takes good people to make good families, and the Lockes are a tremendous family. We wish everyone well.

*Mark and Alix Mayock*

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**Mark and Alix Mayock** - July 30, 2007 at 11:04 AM

MC

“ We send our deepest sympathy and love to your family during this time. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you.  
*Jeff and Melanie Cameron*

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**Melanie Cameron** - July 30, 2007 at 09:05 AM