



Donald Leon Crawford

August 25, 1958 - May 8, 2022

Donald Leon Crawford II left us early in the morning on Sunday, the 8th of May, 2022. He was a hardworking man, who took joy in his family. He was born on August 25th, 1958, to Betty and Leon Crawford in Seminole, Oklahoma.

He spent his early years in Eastern Oklahoma before moving to Mooreland, in northwestern Oklahoma. He excelled in school, graduating from Mooreland High in 1976.

Donald married Janet Haller in 1977. They lived in Woodward, Oklahoma, for a few years before moving to Oklahoma City. He attended the University of Oklahoma and began working for Welex. His aptitude and desire for new experiences inspired him to accept a Welex posting in the Netherlands. He worked on offshore platforms in the North Sea, and began his lifelong passion for international travel, taking extended business trips to Russia, China, Gabon, and many other nations. Our family lived in Leiden and then in Julianadorp. Later, back in the States, he spent time living in Louisiana before moving to Texas. His last residence was at Spring, Texas, where he died.

Without ever completing his formal studies, he was a successful engineer in the petroleum services field. He was granted several patents for a variety of innovative wireline, logging and perforating technologies. He spent his entire career working for Halliburton or one of its subsidiaries. This would have been his 45th year at the company. He loved his work, and forged many enduring friendships with his colleagues.

He was a gentle, kind man who loved his family. He enjoyed traveling, and relished the opportunities his work afforded him to see many different parts of the world. Spending a summer in Galveston with his children and grandchildren delighted him. His interests and hobbies were broad and diverse: his was a restless mind, always learning something new, always figuring something out.

He leaves behind a large family. His wife Janet; His children Don, Jesse, and Chadwick.;His grandchildren Hank, Cassidy, Emily, Campbell, and Leonie. His son-in-law James Strickler, and his daughter-in-law Meredith Crawford.

Cemetery Details

Elmwood Cemetery

2755 Downs Ave
Woodward, OK 73801

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Addison Funeral Home
18630 Kuykendahl Road
Spring, TX 77379
(281) 350-0998
addisonfh@yahoo.com
<https://addisonfuneralhomes.com>

Memorial Service

MAY 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Graveside Service

JUL 16. 1:00 PM (CT)

Elmwood Cemetery
2755 Downs Ave
Woodward, OK 73801

Mr. Crawford's burial will be in the northwestern corner of the cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Leon Crawford*

July 20, 2022 at 05:14 PM



“ *I did not know Don but have had the honor and pleasure of working closely with Don Crawford the III. My heart and prayers go out to all of the Crawford family during this time of loss. Praying for the white light of God's love and grace to shine over all the Crawford's with the promise of eventual reunion in his heavenly home. God Bless Michael Rosenmayer*



Michael Rosenmayer - May 13, 2022 at 05:37 PM



“ *Don was a great mentor and friend and will be deeply missed. His vast experience helped us to find solutions to many field issues quickly. Rest in Peace Don!*

Sudhir Gupta - May 13, 2022 at 11:48 AM

MG

“ Don Crawford, I guess you didn't plan it this way and here today one more time you are being the great manager and human being that you were, and this is another team bonding gatherings. This is a farewell that we didn't expect to have for you. You were my hiring manager, and I am grateful that I had the honor of working with you and seeing all the legacy that you are leaving to us. You were a great human being, honest, reasonable, easy to work with, always looking for the right thing to do, promoting wellbeing of people around you and very supportive. The heaven has gained a great person of the light and here in Earth we all are going to miss you, your family, your friends, and your coworkers. Rest In Peace Don Crawford senior

Martha L Gomez - May 13, 2022 at 11:14 AM

JC

Your words truly mean the world to me. I'm sincerely grateful that so many of you came and could reconnect and celebrate Don's life together!!

Janet Crawford - May 14, 2022 at 08:27 AM

DO

Oh Chadwick. I send you my sympathy.

diane olivier - May 15, 2022 at 02:18 AM

FC

“ Don was a great mentor, coworker , and friend. Since my beginnings in Halliburton, Don always help in my development and learning. We collaborate in many endeavors at work and his advise and guidance were and still are invaluable. A great man and always so helpful and his get it done attitude was contagious and always drove me to excel and get it done.

Rest in Peace my Friend.

May God rest your soul and placing his loving and comforting arms around the family.

Frankie Collado - May 13, 2022 at 10:19 AM

SR

“ Steve and Alison Randell purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



Steve and Alison Randell - May 12, 2022 at 04:25 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



May 12, 2022 at 03:49 PM

CH

“ Don was one of the best men i know. He loved his family. I worked with him at Halliburton and he made sure I could understand everything going on with our jobs and helped me be a better employee. I remember bringing him back souvenirs from my Med cruise and him laughing. Awesome person and I am glad I met him. Praying for his family.



Cathy Hernandez - May 12, 2022 at 03:36 PM

HT

“ Halliburton Wireline Team purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



Halliburton Wireline Team - May 12, 2022 at 02:56 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



May 12, 2022 at 11:02 AM

HT

“ HAL Technology Executive Team purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



HAL Technology Executive Team - May 12, 2022 at 10:17 AM

JS

“ Don Crawford took me under his wing at Tech Services when I came back to the states in 2000. Excellent manager and mentor. My deepest condolences to his family.

James Stoddard

Jim Stoddard - May 12, 2022 at 09:49 AM

DM

“ I had the distinct pleasure of working for Don in the North Belt facility from July 2017. He assigned me to projects which were challenging and ultimately very rewarding. He was a fair and honest man who I respected and admired. My wife Diana, always said "Don took very good care of us."

Don you will be missed by an untold number of people you met during your career. Rest in peace my friend.

Dave McKay

Dave McKay - May 12, 2022 at 07:31 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



May 11, 2022 at 11:06 PM

AQ

“ During 20+ years of working together with Don, I learned to count in his vast experience and knowledge particularly when making difficult decisions or solving complex problems. I always considered his opinion and valued his recommendations. He was a person ready to listen, easy to talk to and eager to provide help to everybody. He supported all of us when it was needed and was giving a wise advice every time. I certainly enjoyed visiting his office to have a chat with him. His departure is a great loss for his family and for all of us. I am sincerely going to miss him. My deepest condolences to his family.
Alberto Quintero

Alberto Quintero - May 11, 2022 at 10:20 PM

JH

“ Jacque Annis Hickman purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



Jacque Annis Hickman - May 11, 2022 at 07:21 PM

JS

“ 7 files added to the tribute wall



Jesse Strickler - May 11, 2022 at 05:05 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



May 11, 2022 at 04:52 PM



“ *Denise Bryant purchased the Beautiful Whisper for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



Denise Bryant - May 11, 2022 at 02:47 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



May 11, 2022 at 02:01 PM

GP

“ Don and I were together for many years, He was a best friend, my manager and leader to follow, Don was always taking care of me and show be always the best way to do things. He was an incredible person; while working together we went to very difficult times and together we went through all of them. His leadership was an example to follow, Don was very king taking of all the persons that work for him and with. His legacy will be always remembered in Halliburton. Serving the field needs was always his top priority and he will be always remembered in all the Halliburton field camps. As Don always mentioned Technical Services was his heart. Too many people work for him and with him, many many years working for Halliburton. I always will keep him in my heart. A big lost for his loving family, friends an the people around him.
Rest In Peace.
German Arturo Plata Rozo

German Plata - May 11, 2022 at 01:53 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



May 11, 2022 at 01:30 PM

LS

“ Laurie Steck lit a candle in memory of Donald Leon Crawford



Laurie Steck - May 11, 2022 at 10:50 AM

LS

“ He will be missed dearly. I always enjoyed him and his sweet hello smile.

Laurie Steck - May 11, 2022 at 10:49 AM

JS

“ My daddy was an amazing man. Complicated, In a way that not everyone saw, Incredibly kind. Took such pride in his family. Enjoyed his grandbabies so much. Incredibly intelligent. Throughout my life there were so many conversations I started but I stopped being able to understand because of his intelligence and ability to understand complex concepts. I remember a few months before my wedding him him telling me about the experience of getting to witness my birth. How incredibly precious I was to him and miraculous it was. I will always love my daddy. The love he had for his family will live on in hoe we love others.

Jesse Strickler - May 11, 2022 at 10:33 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



May 11, 2022 at 09:11 AM

TF

“ The Michael Strickler Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



The Michael Strickler Family - May 10, 2022 at 08:05 PM

PJ

“ Don and I got to know each other over the last 5 years through our employers partnering together. We spoke monthly, if not weekly, and even shared a few meals. He was a salt of the Earth kind of guy that anyone could get along with. I will miss him and send prayers to his family during this difficult time.

Patrick Jeter - May 10, 2022 at 05:34 PM

Jl

“ James Hyden Information Development, Inc. purchased the Written in the Stars for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



James Hyden Information Development, Inc. - May 10, 2022 at 04:40 PM

JS

“ Jan Strickler and Carl Strickler purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.



Jan Strickler and Carl Strickler - May 10, 2022 at 03:53 PM

SS

“ In a way, I grew up with the Crawford family. Chad was my best friend when we lived together in a little trailer park in Louisiana and we were inseparable. Those were such warm, formative years when I needed them most - just having moved across the country to start a new chapter in my life.

They were a second home for me. I still, to this day, think back with fondness on my time not only with Chad, but with his family as well.

While our paths diverged as we grew older, those years are engraved in my heart - whether it was dodging around mobile homes playing Laser Tag, scribbling wildly misunderstood words in Pictionary or just spending time together talking about our lives. I wouldn't be who I am now without their influence, guidance, and love.

I remember Don as an endlessly hardworking man who cared for his family and I grieve for their loss. Although gone, his memories remain in those around him, shaping who they are through the years yet to come.

Sam Shults - May 10, 2022 at 12:49 PM

DI

Thanks Sam!

Don Crawford III - June 17, 2022 at 01:47 PM

KK

“ *King Southwest and Consulting KSWC purchased the Care and Compassion Spray for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



King Southwest and Consulting KSWC - May 10, 2022 at 12:11 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



May 10, 2022 at 11:21 AM



“ *Teri Stinson purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



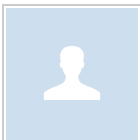
Teri Stinson - May 10, 2022 at 10:19 AM



“ *Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



May 09, 2022 at 10:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald Leon Crawford.*



May 09, 2022 at 08:06 PM