



Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr.

July 28, 1931 - August 2, 2018

Funeral services for Mr. Claude N. Blackwell, Sr., 87, of Carthage, Texas will be 3:00 p.m. Saturday, August 4, 2018 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Claude Blackwell, Jr., and Matthew Blackwell officiating. Burial will be 3:00 p.m. Sunday, August 5, 2018 at the Stevens Cemetery in Cuero, Texas. Visitation will be 1-3:00 p.m. prior to the Saturday service at Hawthorn Funeral Home.

Mr. Claude North Blackwell, Sr. was born July 28, 1931 in Stratford, Texas to the marriage of Raleigh White and Velma Celeste Norvell Blackwell Sr. He passed August 2, 2018 in Longview, Texas. Claude was raised and schooled in Cuero and served his county through the U. S. Navy during the Korean Conflict. Claude married Ann Meek February 22, 1953 and together they raised four children in a loving Christian home and celebrated 65 years of marriage.

Claude worked the pipeline oil and gas industry through Texas Eastern Transmission Corp. and owned and operated the Panola Cattle and Livestock Commission Company Inc. He served as a RA leader, Sunday school teacher and superintendent, deacon and was a member of the First Baptist Church of Carthage. He was a loving husband, father, brother, grandfather, great grandfather, uncle and friend. He is preceded in death by his parents, and step mother, Audrey Blackwell, sisters, Bobbie Jane, and Marsha Meador, and brother, John Norvell Blackwell.

Mr. Blackwell is survived by his loving wife, Ann Blackwell of Carthage, sons,

Claude Blackwell, Jr., and wife Debbie of Coppell, Bruce Blackwell of Carthage, Matthew Blackwell of Carthage, daughter, Dianah Blackwell of Carthage, brothers, Raleigh Blackwell, Jr. and wife Judy of Sargent, Willis Blackwell and wife Ann of Center, Bob Kleineke of Cuero, sisters, Ann Laster of Gonzales, Sally Guess of San Antonio, Sue Stiles and husband Clint of Cuero, Meri Nance and husband Tommy of Allen, grandchildren, Stephen, Crystal, Jacob, Katie, and Ashley, five great grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends. Honorary pallbearers will be the Berean Sunday School Class. An online guestbook may be signed at www.hawthornfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Stevens Cemetery

Cuero, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 4. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home
307 West Wellington Street, P.O. Box 188
Carthage, TX

Service

AUG 4. 3:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel
307 W Wellington St.
Carthage, Tx

Graveside Service

AUG 5. 3:00 PM.

Stevens Cemetery
Cuero, TX

Tribute Wall



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr.



Hawthorn Funeral Home - August 03, 2018 at 04:57 PM

MB

Very sweet video...wonderful and uplifting to see ... clearly he loved dearly and was loved dearly...what more can a man want. Love to all of my cousins- Mary Gayle

mary gayle weber brindley - August 04, 2018 at 12:37 PM

BP

“ Matt, we are sending prayers of comfort and peace for you and your family, Bobby and Bonnie Pauler

Bobby and Bonnie Pauler - August 04, 2018 at 07:05 PM

JT

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I am from Cuero. I went to school with Sue and Willis. Prayers for the family.

Jo Ann Benbow Talbert and Howard Talbert

Jo Ann Benbow Talbert - August 04, 2018 at 01:28 PM

LO

“ Ann and family I just now read Claude’s obituary and read that he had passed away. Fred and I had so many good memories with your family. I guess Fred and Claude are having a good time visiting now. I am out of town but will be thinking of you and your family. God bless and all my love. Lana Overton and family.

Lana Overton - August 04, 2018 at 12:35 PM

CB

“ My deepest condolences to the Blackwell family. May the Lord comfort and bless you during this difficult time. Curtis Brown

Curtis Brown - August 04, 2018 at 11:14 AM

KH

“ So sorry for your loss. Sending love & prayers.

Kim Holcomb - August 04, 2018 at 07:31 AM

MH

“ I worked for Mr. Blackwell and have lots of fond memories of those days. I had great respect for him. May he rest in peace.

Mitch Holcomb - August 04, 2018 at 06:28 AM

ST

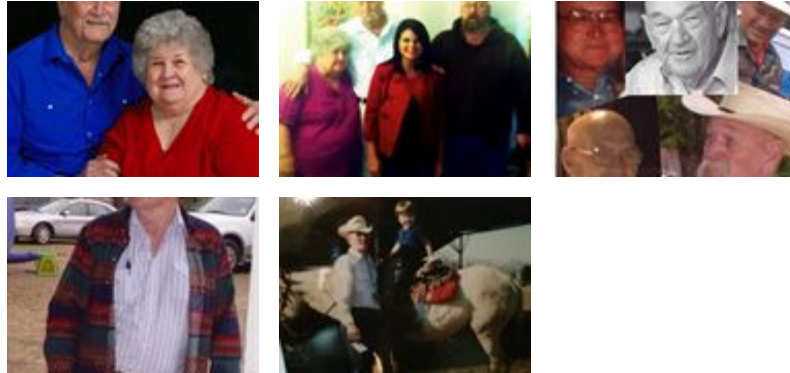
“ Superior Healthplan Appeals Team purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr..



Superior Healthplan Appeals Team - August 03, 2018 at 05:16 PM



“ 52 files added to the album LifeTributes



Hawthorn Funeral Home - August 03, 2018 at 03:44 PM



“ Sorry to hear about Claude passing. He was a very special person. He was a good friend and one of my favorite employees back in our Texas Eastern days. May god bless the family in these days.
Bill Murray

Bill Murray - August 03, 2018 at 01:07 PM



“ Scott Thomas lit a candle in memory of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr.



Scott Thomas - August 03, 2018 at 09:46 AM

PW

“ Pam Works lit a candle in memory of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr.



Pam Works - August 03, 2018 at 09:12 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr..



August 03, 2018 at 08:34 AM



“ Elaine Ross lit a candle in memory of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr.



Elaine Ross - August 03, 2018 at 07:48 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr..



August 03, 2018 at 07:36 AM



“ *Angela Rushing lit a candle in memory of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr.*



Angela Rushing - August 03, 2018 at 05:49 AM

TC

“ *Where do I start with memories? Lots of memories of Mr Claude and ALL GOOD...
But most important ones are his guidance toward Christ for me and my children, his “love you kid” and his always always always sweet hugs.....Blessed he was a part of my life!
Love you guys and praying for your tears to turn to smiles because he is with our Jesus!
Toni Clements*

Toni Clements - August 03, 2018 at 01:22 AM

CB

“ *Cyndi Bell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Claude N. Blackwell Sr.*



cyndi bell - August 02, 2018 at 08:06 PM

SB

God bless his family with peace and grace and good health!

Sandy Bomba - August 02, 2018 at 08:23 PM

KM

“ *Diana,*

You are in our prayers. I know how you feel. You walked that last mile with us. It is not easy but time helps.

Kay

Kay Mauritzen - August 02, 2018 at 05:53 PM