



Don Proctor

October 1, 1951 - March 22, 2016

Services for Don Proctor, 64, of Lubbock will be Saturday, March 26, 2016, 10:30am, at the First Baptist Church of New Deal with Kyle Brock officiating. Burial will follow at the City of Lubbock Cemetery. Don's family will receive friends from 5:00-6:30 p.m. on Friday at Sanders Funeral Home.

Mr. Proctor passed away on March 22, 2016.

Donald Jay was born October 1, 1951 in Lubbock, TX to J.L. and Carolyn Proctor. Don graduated from Brownfield High School in 1970 and Lubbock Barber College in 1968. He was employed by Halliburton for eight years. Don retired from the Texas Railroad Commission after 20 years and then worked for four years as a consultant for Erwin Wellsite Consultants.

He married Sherry Hamilton on March 8, 1976 in San Angelo, TX. He was a member of the New Deal Methodist Church.

Loved ones include his wife, Sherry; son, Jay Proctor and wife, Lana; son, Brad Proctor and wife, Kristin; son, Rex Proctor and wife, Amber; son, Matt Proctor and wife, Kelly; as well as his grandchildren, Julia, Lane, Brody, Elyse and Ellis Proctor.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Johnny Proctor, in

1999.

Don was a devoted husband, father and Papa. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and spending time with his family. He was blessed to have many friends. Don enjoyed a good joke and he never met a stranger. You never knew what he might say or do. We will miss him dearly!

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the New Deal Methodist Church.
PO Box 206, New Deal, TX 79350

Cemetery Details

City of Lubbock Cemetery

2011 East 31st Street
Lubbock, TX 79404

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **25**. 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home
1420 Main Street
Lubbock, TX 79401
(806) 763-6433
director@sandersfuneralhome.com
<https://www.sandersfuneralhome.com>

Service

MAR **26**. 10:30 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church-New Deal
102 Monroe Ave.
New Deal, TX 79350

Tribute Wall

PS

“ Miss Sherry and family, let me express my deepest sympathy and sorrow for your loss. It was my esteemed pleasure to work with Don over the last few years and I will miss him greatly. In a world of political correctness, I could always count on Don to say it like it was. I enjoyed the pork tenderloin he sent each Christmas and know how much work and effort it took to make as many as he did only to hand them out to friends. I would be hard pressed to name someone that gave of themselves as much as he did. Judging by the others responses, I am not alone in the high regard I held and still hold for Don. May God bless you at this time and keep you in his tender arms. I will miss you my friend.
Paul and Regina Stock.

Paul Stock - March 25, 2016 at 08:11 PM

SP

“ We would like to express our heartfelt sympathy on the passing of Don. While it was our privilege of knowing Don for only a short while, we fondly remember his friendship during a time of sorrow in our lives. Blessings and prayers are sent to Sherry and family during this difficult time. Love, Tony, Sue Papesh and Kristy Papesh Riemen.

Sue Papesh - March 25, 2016 at 04:56 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 25, 2016 at 01:57 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 25, 2016 at 09:59 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 24, 2016 at 09:51 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 24, 2016 at 07:07 PM



“ *Joyful Memory* was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 24, 2016 at 03:53 PM

JK

“ I have known this gentle giant 20 plus years.
We had so many good times together sitting on location plugging wells in the Lubbock area.
I know we would cuss and discuss all about the oilfield. We talked a lot bout fishing and hunting.
He was great to talk to about anything.
WOW did he have some stories. I will truly miss him.
RIP Don.
God bless you and your family.

Jeff Kester - March 24, 2016 at 11:38 AM

AM

“ We worked with Don as a consultant for both Cimarex & Concho. Don was "one of the good ones" and we enjoyed every opportunity that he was assigned to work on a well that we were plugging. We were very saddened to hear this news and are thoughts & prayers go out to the family. Don was extremely knowledgeable in the oilfield, and treated everyone with respect just as he would want to be treated in typical Eest Texas fashion. One of our favorite stories Don would tell was the time he caught a highway patrolman stealing pumpkins out of his pumpkin patch! He will truly be missed.

Austin McDaniel - March 24, 2016 at 11:18 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 24, 2016 at 10:48 AM

JP

“ I had the great pleasure of working with Don in the oil business and he rapidly became one of my favorite oil field characters. Don was as good an honest man as I have ever known. He was truly larger than life with a warm smile and a firm hand shake, like a big friendly bear. Don's passing has left a large empty void in the lives of all of us who knew and loved him. He was truly a good friend and a good man and the world is a poorer place without him.
Jim

Jim Piwetz - March 24, 2016 at 10:08 AM

DB

“ Dale, Nancy, & Jerry Boroff purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Don Proctor.



Dale, Nancy, & Jerry Boroff - March 24, 2016 at 09:56 AM

KG

“ To the Family of Mr. Proctor,

He did a lot of work for Cimarex, and we will miss him! We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers.

K. Gayneaux - March 24, 2016 at 09:30 AM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 24, 2016 at 09:16 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.*



March 24, 2016 at 09:00 AM



“ *Bountiful Rose Basket was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.*



March 23, 2016 at 11:00 PM



“ *Heaven's Comfort was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.*



March 23, 2016 at 10:33 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.*



March 23, 2016 at 10:31 PM

VW

“ Sherry I am so sorry for your loss.

vickie wisian - March 23, 2016 at 09:23 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 23, 2016 at 09:14 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 23, 2016 at 09:13 PM

DE

“ Don has been as good a friend and neighbor as anyone could ever have. We've been neighbors for over 35 years. Not many people have a neighbor that long. When our alarm system goes off, it calls Don. Many times he has responded and ended up in my backyard looking for a burglar. If he had found one, I wouldn't have wanted to be that guy. Don was huge and gentle at the same time. He told Sherry that if he didn't make it through surgery, he was right with the Lord. And there's no doubt about that!

DON ENGER - March 23, 2016 at 09:04 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 23, 2016 at 07:01 PM



“ Blessings to the Proctor family from the Counterman family.

Steve Counterman - March 23, 2016 at 06:09 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 23, 2016 at 05:59 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Don Proctor.



March 23, 2016 at 05:47 PM

TF

“ *Turner & Morris Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Don Proctor.*



Turner & Morris Family - March 23, 2016 at 05:36 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Sanders Funeral Home - March 23, 2016 at 02:51 PM

JR

RIP Don, glad to have known you, So sorry for your families loss , John Riley

John Riley - March 23, 2016 at 05:09 PM



*You will be missed Don. Thank you for the laughs and knowledge. Your character spoke volumes. RIP my friend.
Justin Everett*

Justin Everett - March 23, 2016 at 07:11 PM