



Tom Scarborough

April 8, 1924 - January 12, 2014

Tom Scarborough, 89, passed away Sunday, January 12, 2014, with his family by his side. Tom was born to Alex and Alice Scarborough on April 8, 1924 in Biloxi, MS. Tom served in the National Guard and the Navy in WWII. After the war, Tom met the love of his life, Jeanne (Bullard) Scarborough, and was married on November 23, 1947, in Lubbock. Tom and Jeanne were married for over 66 years. Tom served with the Lubbock Police Department from 1947 to 1949. He received a bachelor's degree in Horticulture from Texas Tech in 1950. Tom and his wife Jeanne started Tom's Tree Place in 1950. Tom was an inventor and held several patents. He developed a herbicide called STA-KILL and it was used around the world. Tom served as squadron commander in the Civil Air Patrol and enjoyed many flying relationships. Tom was first and foremost a child of the living God. He upheld strong spiritual and moral character and maintained a steadfast love for the Lord and for Scripture. He instilled those values into those around him and left a Godly legacy for his children.

Tom is survived by his wife Alice Jeanne Scarborough; daughter Janoma Rowin and husband Dale, son Tom Mitt Scarborough and wife Scherry, son Alex Scarborough and wife Shellie, and son Scott Scarborough and wife Tina, all of Lubbock. Grandchildren Sasha and Frank Bennett, Toby Rowin, Ty and Emily Rowin, Josh and Alison Rowin, Ben Scarborough, Lexie and Kelly Futrell, Abigail and Cole Jones, Bailey Scarborough, Renni Scarborough, Emma Scarborough, and Caleb Thomas Scarborough, all of Lubbock, and Lt.

Cody and Jennifer Scarborough of Oklahoma City; and 9 Great Grandchildren.

Tom was loved by all who knew him and he loved and served the Lord every day of his life.

A visitation for Tom will be held Tuesday, January 14th at Sanders Funeral Home from 6-8pm.

A private family graveside will be held at their family ranch in Zephyr, TX on Wednesday and a memorial service will be held at a later date.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **14.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Memorial Service

JAN **16.** 2:00 PM (CT)

Quaker Ave. Church of Christ
1701 Quaker Ave.
Lubbock, TX

Tribute Wall



“ *Tom was a very nice, and kind man, well grounded in Jesus!*

Jim Lawler - April 02, 2021 at 10:26 AM



“ *LCCCS purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Tom Scarborough.*



LCCCS - January 15, 2014 at 12:20 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Tom Scarborough.*



January 14, 2014 at 02:37 PM



“ *Sunny Memories was purchased for the family of Tom Scarborough.*



January 14, 2014 at 12:22 PM

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“ *Craig, Pam, Jess and Sam Banister purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Tom Scarborough.*



Craig, Pam, Jess and Sam Banister - January 14, 2014 at
07:10 AM