



## Clifford "Tom" Thomas Brock

May 21, 1944 - February 4, 2018

Clifford Thomas "Tom" Brock passed away Sunday, February 4, 2018 at his Tulsa residence. He was 73 years of age. Tom was born May 21, 1944 to Clifford Harrison and Helen (Thomas) Brock. He was a 1962 graduate of Okmulgee High School where he played football and golf and was known as "Breakaway Brock". Tom later graduated from OSU Tech. He served his country in the United States Air Force during Vietnam War, serving in Thailand. He began his career with Explorer Pipeline, worked for PVC and retired from OCV. He was an avid and accomplished fast pitch softball player, loved watching and playing golf, shooting pool and enjoyed dancing. Tom will be remembered by his generous and kindhearted ways.

He was preceded in death by his father and his infant twin brother.

Survivors include his sons, Charles Brock and wife Kimberly of Thompsons Station, Tennessee and Wade Brock and wife Kristen of Westfield, Massachusetts, mother, Helen Brock of Okmulgee, sister, Terri Bridges and husband Mike of Mounds, grandchildren, Jordan, Sydnie, Cameron and Aubree, nieces, Brandie Bell of Glenpool and Brooke Pingelton of Alva and numerous aunts, uncles, great nieces and great nephews.

A Service to Celebrate Tom's Life will be held 1:00 P.M. Saturday, February 10, 2018 at the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend David Hamilton officiating. A reception will follow in the McClendon-Winters Life Celebration Center. The family will have a private interment following the reception at the Okmulgee Cemetery.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the McClendon-Winters Funeral Home of Okmulgee.

Memories, condolences, photos and videos may be shared with the family on Tom's Tribute Page of our website at [www.mcclendon-winters.com](http://www.mcclendon-winters.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Okmulgee Cemetery

2601 South Wood Drive  
Okmulgee, OK 74447  
(918) 756-5109

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

FEB 10. 1:00 PM (CT)

McClendon-Winters Funeral Home Chapel  
303 E. 7th Street  
Okmulgee, OK

## Reception

FEB 10. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

McClendon-Winters Life Celebration Center  
310 East Sixth Street  
Okmulgee, OK 74447  
(918) 756-1677  
info@mcclendon-winters.com  
<https://www.mcclendon-winters.com>

# Tribute Wall



“ McClendon-Winters Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Clifford "Tom" Thomas Brock



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**McClendon-Winters Funeral Home** - February 09, 2018 at 02:21 PM



“ Clifford "Tom" Thomas Brock

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December 20, 2022 at 11:29 AM



“ Met Tom in Thailand playing fast pitch softball. We both were reassigned to Marquette MI and once again we ended up on a fast pitch softball team. Tom would throw no-hitters and I would hit home runs. RIP my friend. Never met a better pitcher.

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**Steve Speights** - April 10, 2018 at 12:03 AM



Jeannette Robison

“ *Dearest Thomas, you will forever be in my heart. 27 plus years of amazing memories. You were my best friend, my hero! I will forever cherish what we had. My birthday twin 5/21x2 always and forever. My deepest heartfelt sympathies to all of his family. May you and Pedro be smiling down on us all and know that you are never forgotten!!! I will love you forever and Always.*



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**Jeannette Robison** - February 09, 2018 at 08:38 PM

GR

“ *Just wanted to acknowledge to "Tommy's" friends and family my positive remembrance of this fellow member of the OHS Class of 1962. His name takes me back to the good times he was a part of in Okmulgee during our high school days. Classes, football, Teen Town, were all made better by his presence during this simpler and fun period. My heart goes out to those left behind. God's blessings and Peace be with you all.*

*Sincerely, George Ridgley*

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**George Ridgley** - February 09, 2018 at 04:29 PM

TB

*Thank you Cissy. You were a huge part of his life. I hope you know how very much I appreciated all the things you did for Tom, and for me these past two years. I will never forget the love and kindness you shared with us and our Mom..... Terri*

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**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:43 AM

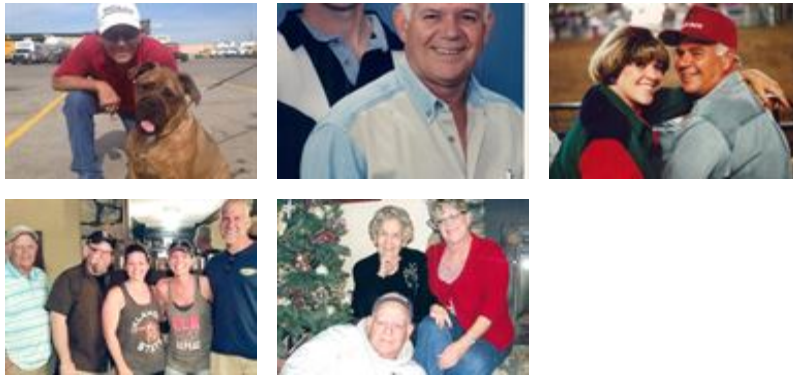
TB

*Thank you George.....Terri*

**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 02:01 AM



“ 69 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**McClendon-Winters Funeral Home** - February 09, 2018 at 01:12 PM

TC

“ *Our condolences to Helen, Terri, Sharon, family and children. There are so many memories that stretch from playing pool together to playing cards together as young married couples (Brock, Sharon, Kathleen and myself) while the young babies Charles and Amy rocked in their swings. We all loved to go to Jamil's together on occasion and Brock loved that humus....and that was even before humus was popular.*

*During our visits in the hospital I was convinced of your faith and know you are in the very presence of our Heavenly Father.*

*Ted and Kathleen*

**Ted Candler** - February 09, 2018 at 10:09 AM

TB

*Thank you both so much. Tom cherished his friendship with you.*

**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:45 AM

SD

“ To all of Tom’s immediate family and friends Jeannette and I want to extend our condolences. Having worked with Tom, playing golf and sharing Air Force stories I think we became more than just OCV fellow employees.

Good man, good friend, and sweet guy. Sorry we are out of the country and will miss his celebration of life but will have you all in our thoughts and prayers.

*Scott and Jeannette Dill*

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**Scott and Jeannette Dill** - February 08, 2018 at 10:39 PM

TB

*Thank you Scott. I know he cared so much for all of you at OCV.*

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**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:48 AM

JM

“ *Terri and family. What a shock. So sorry for your loss.*

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**Jimmy McClendon** - February 08, 2018 at 08:10 PM

TB

*Thank you Jimmy. I can't imagine going thru this with out McClendon Winters. Everyone was so wonderful to us all.....Terri*

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**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:50 AM

CI

“ *What a great man. We had a lot of fun hanging out together and he was always there for me. He will be missed. Cindy Rogers*



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**Cindy** - February 08, 2018 at 10:42 AM

TB

*Thank you Cindy.....Terri*

**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:59 AM

JS

“ *Juliene Stone lit a candle in memory of Clifford "Tom" Thomas Brock*



**Juliene Stone** - February 08, 2018 at 12:29 AM

BM

*Terri, Sorry for your loss. He's was certainly well respected and a real gentleman. Our prayers are for you and your family. Bruce Mabrey*

**Bruce Mabrey** - February 08, 2018 at 09:11 AM

CG

*Terri I'm so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you and the family. May God bless you and give you strength.*

**Carol Gilstrap** - February 09, 2018 at 12:24 AM

TB

*Thank you Juliene*

**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:54 AM

TB

*Thank you Bruce and Carol*

**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:55 AM

PB

“ Pamela Bennight-Elmore lit a candle in memory of Clifford "Tom" Thomas Brock



Pamela Bennight-Elmore - February 07, 2018 at 08:49 PM

TB

Thank you Pamala

Terri Bridges - February 20, 2018 at 01:55 AM

JW

“ Mrs Brock and Terri so sorry for your loss

janie weller - February 07, 2018 at 08:17 PM

TB

Thank you Janie

Terri Bridges - February 20, 2018 at 01:56 AM

DM

“ David Miller lit a candle in memory of Clifford "Tom" Thomas Brock



david miller - February 07, 2018 at 07:50 PM

TB

Thank you David

Terri Bridges - February 20, 2018 at 01:56 AM

BL

“ To (Tom's) Family and Friends he was my best friend and in my heart he will be missed always. Him , Lynn Haslett and myself played so much golf over this state and we laughed and joked with one another it was a joy just being around him. Tom was always full of laughter. We had skipped school a few time to go swimming in the strip pits around Okmulgee and just be kids with tons of laughter. Tom was a good ,kind person and was willing to help me financially at one point in my life ,I didn't accept but he was there to help me , I have never forgot .I am so glad I called him on Jan, 26th this yr. we laughed and he was in good spirits. What can I say but my Heart goes out to Terri and Tom's mom,Helen. Tom was loved by so many and I am just one. Love you Tom may the Lord have a golf bag waiting for you!!!!

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**Bill Loudermilk** - February 07, 2018 at 06:36 PM

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*Thank you Bill. Cherish the memories.....Terri*

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**Terri Bridges** - February 20, 2018 at 01:58 AM