

CHARLES CLETUS WILKINSON

Personal Information:

Name: **Charles Cletus Wilkinson**

Date of Birth: 13 Mar 1921
Place of Birth: Denton, Denton County, TX

Family: Son of Clayborn T. Wilkinson and Laura Crites Wilkinson
Husband of Marjorie Gibson

Date of Death: 13 Feb 1983
Place of Death: Denton, Denton County, TX

Cemetery: Oakwood Cemetery, Denton, Denton County, Texas; Block: 8-4
(GPS: 33° 12' 42" N 97° 7' 24" W)

Military Service:

Era: World War II

Military Branch: US Army

Rank at Discharge: S Sgt

Enlistment Date: 30 Oct 1942
Release Date: 14 Jan 1946

Civilian Life:

Education: 2 Years High School

Occupation: Farmer

SOURCES:

1. Texas Birth Certificates 1903-1932, Denton, Denton County TX # 15332 for Charles Cletus Wilkinson. DOB: 13 Mar 1921, Denton, Denton County, TX. Father: Clay T. Wilkinson; Mother: Laura Crites. (*Ancestry.com* online database).
2. US Department of Veterans Affairs BIRLS Death File 1950-2010. Charles Wilkinson, SS# 461247192. DOD: 13 Feb 1983. Army Enlistment: 30 Oct 1942; Release Date: 14 Jan 1946. *Ancestry.com* (online database).
3. US WWII Draft Cards Young Men 1940-1947 Houston, Harris County, TX, 16 Feb 1942. Charles Cletus Wilkinson. Age 20. DOB: 13 Mar 1921, Denton, Texas. Residence Houston, Texas. Physical description: Height: 6 ft; weight: 158 lbs. Light brown complexion, gray eyes, brown hair. *Ancestry.com* (online database).
4. US World War II Army Enlistment Records 1938-1946, 16 Oct 1942, Houston, TX. Charles C. Wilkinson, Pvt, SN 38243402. Birth: 1921, Texas. Residence: Denton, Texas. Two years high school, farmer. Physical description: Height: 69; weight: 152. *Ancestry.com* (online database).
5. *FindAGrave.com* memorial #12648476, Charles Cletus Wilkinson. DOB: 13 Mar 1921, Denton, Denton County, TX. DOD: 13 Feb 1983, Denton, Denton County, TX. Inscription: SGT US ARMY WWII. *RM Leayy citing Oakwood Cemetery, Denton, TX.*
6. US Social Security Death Index 1935-2014. Charles Wilkinson, SS#461-24-7192. DOB: 13 Mar 1921, TX. Residence: Denton. DOD: Feb 1983. (*Ancestry.com* online database).
7. Texas Marriage Record, Harris County, Certificate #63162: Charles Cletus Wilkinson and Marjory Gibson marriage date 24 Jan 1942. (*Ancestry.com* online database).
8. 1930 US Federal Census, Denton, Denton County TX, 18 April 1930. Clayborn Wilkinson Head); Laura Wilkinson, wife; Cletus Wilkinson, son, age 8. Page 6A, Dist. 0007. (*Ancestry.com* online database).

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