

GLEN R. CLEM

GLEN R. CLEM WAS BORN IN ARDMORE, ALABAMA AND was a three-year high-school letterman in football, basketball and baseball but basketball quickly became Clem's specialty. He was an All-Limestone County performer for three years and was named All District as a senior when he played for the North in the Alabama High School All-Star game.

After a year on scholarship at Northeast Mississippi Junior College he transferred to Birmingham Southern College where he averaged 16 points a game as a three year starter.

Coach Clem came to Walker College in 1959, and coached exactly 1000 games, where he compiled 557 wins over small four year colleges, S.E.C. freshmen squads, and the nation's best junior college programs.

Coach Clem passed away on October 25, 1996, and is survived by his wife Sara Clem, daughter Angela Harbin (John), son, Glen Clem, Jr. (Gretta), and three grandchildren.

His major honors include:

- 1967 Dixie Conference Coach of the Year
- 1970 Alabama Junior College Conference Coach of the Year
- 1981, 1983, 1987 NJCAA Region XXII Coach of the Year
- 1982 Team Manager of the South Team in the National Sports Festival in Indiana
- 1983 Team Manager of Team USA at the World University Games in Canada
- 1988 inducted in the Birmingham Southern College Athletic Hall of Fame
- 1989 Charter Inductee AJC Athletic Hall of Fame
- 1990 Assistant Coach of the Gold Medal USA Jr. Team at Tournament of the Americas in Montevideo, Uruguay
- 1993 Inducted NJCAA Hall of Fame in Hutchinson, Kansas

