

## FACTORY BRICK DONOR PROGRAM

Stan Price and the Red River Swift Wing were able to obtain 150 original Globe Swift Factory bricks when the factory was demolished. The factory was built by the Globe Aircraft Corporation in 1942-43 to manufacture 600 Beechcraft AT-10 twin-engine training mono-planes for the Army Air Force. To carry out this wartime production, Globe obtained a construction loan from the Defense Plant Corporation in 1942 & built the plant on Blue Mound Road in Saginaw, TX.

Following the war, Globe briefly returned to the production of private aircraft, manufacturing its hallmark, the Globe "Swift". The first, a two seat Swift Model GC-1A equipped with an 85 h.p. Continental engine, made an initial test flight in January 1945. The Globe Swift Model GC-1B was identical to the GC-1A with the exception of its 125 h.p. Continental engine. Globe Aircraft Corporation went into bankruptcy in 1947. The company's assets were purchased by Texas Engineering and Manufacturing Company, Ltd. (TEMCO). TEMCO was already producing "Swift" aircraft for Globe at its Dallas plant and continued to do so. The Globe plant ownership reverted to the Defense Plant Corporation. In later years, this facility was operated by Bell Helicopters as a Government Owned, Contractor Operated (GOCO) facility. The factory was demolished in 2005.

These bricks represent an important, irreplaceable part of the Globe Swift history. The Swift Museum Foundation is proud to offer these rare bricks to be engraved and mounted on the hallway wall between the Swift Museum Foundation office and the Swift Parts Dept in the Swift Building in Athens, TN for a donation. When these bricks are gone, we will never be able to offer these again. This is your opportunity to become a part of the Swift Aircraft history.

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**FOR MORE THAN ONE BRICK , PLEASE USE ANOTHER COPY OF THIS FORM.**

### Factory Brick Donation \$1,000.00 each

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please apply my donation to: (check one) \_\_\_\_\_ Building Fund, \_\_\_\_\_ Parts Fund, \_\_\_\_\_ Operating Fund, \_\_\_\_\_ Endowment Fund.

**Mail or bring completed form to: Swift Museum Foundation, Inc., 223 County Road 552, Athens, Tennessee 37303. (Make checks payable to Swift Museum Foundation, Inc.) Donations are tax deductible under the SMF, Inc. 501(c)(3) status as a non-profit organization.**

