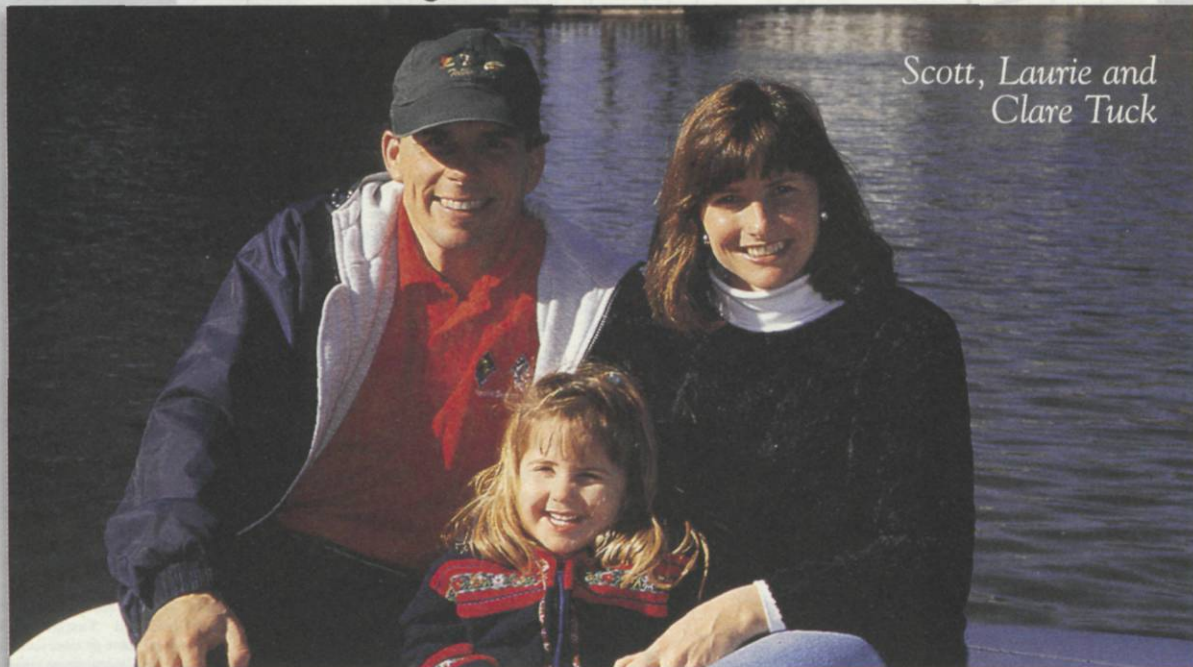


The Tucks take their *Pacific Seacraft 40* from the drawing board to the Eastern Seaboard.



*Scott, Laurie and
Clare Tuck*

With the birth of our daughter, Clare, my wife, Laurie, and I began our search for a boat that offered us a spirit of excitement, with a sense of toughness, safety and security. After an exhaustive search, we found the Pacific Seacraft 31.

That first summer we were enjoying a sail from Nantucket to Martha's Vineyard, with both sets of grandparents on board, when a severe thunderstorm rolled in. We reefed and prepared for the 35 knot winds and six foot waves that followed. Thanks to our Pacific Seacraft, what would have been a harrowing ordeal turned into an uninterrupted playtime for Clare and family below and an exciting yet safe sail for those of us topside. We knew we had made the right choice.

We knew our future plans would require a bigger boat, so we went back to our Pacific Seacraft dealer. The initial plans for the Pacific Seacraft 40 had just come off Bill Crealock's drawing board, and we fell in love with it. We made a commitment to buy hull number one solely because of our firm trust in Pacific Seacraft. Many of the ideas we shared with the factory regarding utility design of the interior layout were actually incorporated into the boat.

Our dream was realized when we took delivery and christened her the *Laurie Clare*. Her sailing performance is exquisite, our sense of security and safety fully justified the trust we put in the tremendous folks at Pacific Seacraft."

— Scott Tuck

