



## Mr. Jimmie D. Rodgers

June 5, 1933 - December 12, 2016

Jimmie D. Rodgers, 83 of DeWitt passed away December 12, 2016. He was born June 5, 1933, in Stuttgart to Loyd and Geneva McCoy Rodgers.

He was a retired farmer and served on the Board of Directors for Arkansas County Bank and Grower's Elevator. He was a long time member of First Baptist Church in DeWitt and a Mason. All children loved "Mr. Jimmie" and he loved them, and always had candy in his pocket for them.

In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his brother, Johnnie Rodgers.

Jimmie is survived by his loving wife, Yvonne Terry Rodgers; two children and their spouses Jimelle Rodgers Hancock and Guy of Mesquite, TX, and David Rodgers and Faye of DeWitt; and three grandchildren that brought him so much happiness Olivia Hancock Thompson and Jeff, Ben Hancock, and John Rodgers.

Visitation will be from 5:00 to 6:30 December 14 at Essex Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 1:00 December 15th at First Baptist Church with burial in Bayou Meto Cemetery by Essex Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church of DeWitt. [www.essexfuneralhome.com](http://www.essexfuneralhome.com)



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“ I have many wonderful memories of staying with my 81 and Uncle Jimmie as a child. He would let me ride around the farm with him and check on things, take me to the grain elevator, and teach me great habits like banging my utensils on the table and demanding food "right now". We all loved him very much. He will be missed.

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