

## Thetford, Jerry Oscar | 1940-2017

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Jerry Thetford

Jerry Oscar Thetford, 77, of Bridgeport, died Tuesday, April 18, 2017, in Bridgeport. Funeral is 2 p.m. Saturday, April 22, at Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport with the Rev. Kevin Casey officiating. Burial will follow at Boonsville Cemetery.

Jerry was born March 2, 1940, in Bridgeport to Joe and Mary (Castleberry) Thetford. He retired from General Dynamics and also worked for Acme Brick. Jerry was a Baptist. He always had a story to tell. Jerry farmed, ranched, traded, bought and sold cattle.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister Sue Ann Thetford; and brother Joe Mac Thetford.

He is survived by his best friend, Todd Cantrell and wife, Bridy, of Bridgeport; numerous friends from the county, auctions, trade days, livestock auctions and the community throughout his life.