



Hudson, Jimmie D.

1942-2022

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Jimmie D. Hudson, 79, went to be with our Lord Friday, April 22, 2022, in Decatur.

Memorial Service will be at 2 p.m. May 1, at Immanuel Baptist Church in Decatur with a Masonic Burial following at the Paradise Cemetery.

Bro. Louis Horton and Bro. Brad Horton will officiate.

Jimmie was born Dec. 1, 1942, to R.C. and Geneva (Read) Hudson in Decatur. After school, he drove a truck for his dad before entering the service. He was a veteran and proudly served his country in the United States Navy during the Vietnam War, serving time on both the USS Oriskany and the USS Kitty Hawk aircraft carriers. Upon returning home from the service, he drove a truck with his dad for 3 years, worked in the oil field then at Boyd Industries before starting his career at Peterbilt in Denton, retiring after 25 years of service. After retiring, he described himself as the busiest retired person around because he enjoyed helping anyone and everyone out with whatever they needed. He was

the type of person who never met a stranger.

He was united in marriage to Linda Sue Gordon March 17, 1967.

He was a long-time member of the Immanuel Baptist Church and for many years he drove a church bus picking up his bus kids.

Jimmie joined the Decatur Masonic Lodge No. 447 in 1984. He received his master's degree Feb. 18, 1985. He was the Master of the Lodge in 1992 and 1996. He has been an endowed Member of the Lodge since 1996. He held many other positions within the Lodge as well.

He is preceded in death by his wife; parents; and grandson, Mason Berk.

Those left behind to cherish his memory are his daughter, Kay Berk and husband, Brad, of Concordia, Kan.; sons, Dewayne Hudson of Decatur, Shawn Hudson and wife, Heather, of Nocona; sisters Linda Hollis and husband, Kenneth, of Haltom City, Joyce Horton and husband, Louis, of Decatur; brothers Dennis Hudson and wife, Laura, of Decatur, Gary Hudson and wife, Darlene, of Boyd; grandchildren Brice Berk of Concordia, Kan., Morgan Henderson and husband, Casey, of Goodland, Kan., Wyatt Hudson of Bowie, Garrett Hudson of Denton, Colton, Lindsey and Joe Berk of Concordia, Kan.; great-granddaughter Ava Henderson of Goodland, Kan.; numerous nieces, nephews, family members and friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that any contributions be made to the Decatur Masonic Lodge scholarship fund:

Decatur Masonic Lodge #447, P.O. Box 447, Decatur, Tx. 76234.