

BOBBY JACK GARDNER

1932-2010

BRIDGEPORT: Bobby Jack Gardner, 78, a self-employed business owner, died on Thursday, December 30, 2010, in Bridgeport.

Bobby was born on November 9, 1932, to Jack and Ova (Stockard) Gardner in Bowie. He married Doris Howell on January 7, 1956, in Gainesville. Bobby was the owner of Wise Paint and Body.

Bobby was preceded in death by his parents; his daughter, Kimberly Ann Gardner; his son, Ricky James Gardner; and his brother, Don Gardner.

Survivors include his wife of 55 years, Doris Howell Gardner of Bridgeport; his son, Billy Jack Gardner and partner, Will Boren of Plano; his daughters, Bobbie Gonzales and husband, Al of Moultrie, Georgia, Brend Howell of Bridgeport, and Sandra Hillary and husband, Pat of Decatur; six grandchildren; five great grandchildren; his brothers, Charles Gardner and Gary Gardner; his sisters, Glenna Essory, Carolyn Howard, and Mary Robertson; numerous nieces and nephews; other relatives and a host of friends.

Memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, January 2, 2011, at Hawkins Funeral Chapel. The Reverend Gary Sessions officiated.

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