



James William Yates

October 18, 1922 - October 7, 2012

Mr. James William “Willie” Yates of Clover, Virginia died October 7, 2012 at the Duke University Medical Center. He was born in Halifax County, Virginia on October 18, 1922 and was 89 years old. He was the son of the late James Hartford Yates and Blanche Chaffin Yates and was also preceded in death by his wife, Mary “Bobbie” Terry Yates.

He was a member of the Rodgers Chapel Baptist Church, was a World War II, Army Veteran and a retired Tobacco Farmer.

Mr. James William “Willie” Yates is survived by:

A number of nieces and nephews and

His Rodgers Chapel Church Family

****In addition to his parents and his wife, he was preceded in death by:

Three Sisters:

Lois Yates Noblin

Norma Yates Snead

Alice Ann Yates

Five Brothers:

Otis Rose, Sr., Charlie Yates, Rodger Yates, Elmer Yates and Mickey Yates

A Graveside Service for Mr. James William "Willie" Yates will be held at Rodgers Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery, Thursday, October 11, 2012 at 11:00 A. M. with the Rev. Aubrey Heath officiating.

The family will receive friend at Powell Funeral Home, Wednesday, October 10, 2012 from 7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

Online condolences may be directed to www.powellfunerals.com

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“ *Willie was a nice man, who wanted everyone to ride a bicycle. He said it was good for you! He was a kind neighbor that will be missed by many! Very knowledgeable and David enjoyed talking with him about how Halifax use to be, back in the day. Rest in Peace Mr Willie with our Lord!*

David & Sylvia Tooley - October 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM