



2005 Inductee

JIMMY JORDAN

In the early 1950's Jimmy Jordan lit up the basketball gyms around the county with his great offensive displays. He graduated from Welcome in 1952. To mention a few of his high school honors, he was Davidson County Most Outstanding Athlete, All-County, All-State and All-Conference, MVP State Tournament Class A, AA and AAA and he played on the East-West All-Star team. Jimmy averaged 29.3 baskets per game, setting new points record for boys high school (1,047 points). Jimmy went to Western Carolina and his great ability just kept going on. He was averaging 20 points per game. He was All-Conference and in 1954, scored 116 points in four games in one week. He was All-North State basketball in 1954, averaging 20.1 points per game. He played in 1956-57 as a semi-professional for Acme-McCrary, which was their last season as a semi pro team. Jimmy was also active in the Asheboro Civitan Club and the First Evangelical and Reformed Church.

