

Biasell, LaVerne R.

LaVerne R. Biasell, 90, of Englewood, Florida and Port Austin, died Sunday, March 26, 2006, at Venice Regional Hospital. He was born October 26, 1915 in Detroit to Paul and Grace (Steeneck) Biasell. Mr. Biasell retired from the Chrysler Corporation after 27 years of service. He was an aeronautical engineer known for airplane design and was a pioneer in the space program. Mr. Biasell was a member of St. Michael's Catholic Church of Port Austin and St. Raphael's Catholic Church of Englewood. Mr. Biasell is survived by his wife of 65 years, Irene Biasell; two sons, Thomas P. (Pamela), of Rochester Hills, and James L. (Patricia), of Clarkston; two daughters, Anne Biasell (Barry) Weldon, of Holland, and Lynn Biasell (Freeborn) Kellogg, of Benton Harbor; one sister, Beverly MacRae, of Tujunga, California; five granddaughters; five grandsons; five step granddaughters; and three step grandsons. A memorial mass will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 24, 2006, at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Port Austin. Burial will be in St. Michael's Cemetery. Knoblock Funeral Home in Kinde is handling the arrangements.