

Lester Bradley Rich

BRISTOL, Conn. — Lester Bradley Rich, 91, died at home on June 27, 2010 surrounded by his family. He lived a long and good life, leaving a legacy of 61 years of marriage, 10 children, 34 grandchildren, and 24 great-grandchildren.

Born September 16, 1918 in East Berlin, Conn., he was employed as a tool-maker for over 30 years. While he and his wife lived in North Eastham, they operated The Pantry Bake Shop. He was also president of the Rich Family Association in Wellfleet. His true passions in life were his family, fishing, photography, and spending time with his loyal beagle Heidi.

He is survived by 8 daughters, 2 sons, and their families, including Linda Bodamer and her husband Clarence of North Eastham and their children, Janis of Eastham, Dawn Steber of Brewster, Scott of Charlton, Craig of Belchertown, and Derick of Orleans. Lester was predeceased by his beloved wife Rena, and two infant sons.

Funeral services and burial were in Connecticut.

Donations may be made to Connecticut Community Care, Inc., 43 Enterprise Drive, Bristol, CT. 06010.