



Robert Schuessler

December 5, 1923 - August 30, 2020

Robert William Schuessler, 96, born December 5th, 1923 in Cincinnati, Ohio to Oscar Schuessler and Flora Lobitz Schuessler, passed away August 30, 2020 in Lakeland, Florida where he had resided since 2015. He proudly served as a pilot with the rank of Lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force during World War II in the Pacific Theater. He worked for many years in various positions of State and Local government in Florida. His hobbies included building and flying radio controlled airplanes, fishing and golf. Robert was preceded in death by his wife of 67 years, Dorothy Stephens Schuessler, who died January 23, 2014. He is survived by his daughters, Diane Ryer of Lakeland, Florida and Donna Krell of Tallahassee, Florida; his son David Schuessler also of Tallahassee; his sister Vera Hodges of Milford, Ohio; four grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Robert will be laid to rest at 2PM, Friday, November 6, 2020 with his wife Dorothy at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Rev. David Goodroe will officiate. On behalf of a Grateful Nation, The United States Air Force will be in attendance to render honors for Robert's dedicated service to our country.