Former Oxford and Lake Orion businessman, Norman Albert Geisler died Saturday at Crittenton Hospital. He was 74.

"Norm" Geisler was born in Utica and attended school there. He also attended MSU.

Long active in Oxford Rotary, Mr. Geisler promoted many sales projects for the Club, many of them objects he made, such as, picnic tables, cribbage boards, knife holders, stools and name plates.

He developed Parkhurst Mobile Home Sales and Court between Oxford and Lake Orion. In 1951 he operated a mobile home sales lot at Casemere and M-24 in Lake Orion. He also developed Oxford Mobile Manor on Lakeville Road, Oxford. After several years of "door to door" type selling, Mr. Geisler bought a grocery business in Oxford in 1936 and operated it for 11 years.

During his lifetime he was an aircraft welder, baker, country peddler and barnstormer by airplane.

In May 1979 The Leader told the story of how Mr. Geisler "took 4600 volts" of electricity as a youth in Utica. It was a popular article.

Mr. Geisler lived with his wife, the former Doris Corey, at 145 Spezia. They were married last February in Florida.

He is a member of the Congregational Church, Camp Thomas Club and Maumen Club.

Surviving, besides his wife, are two sons, Donald of Lake Orion and Richard of California, a daughter, Mrs. Norma Heffron, Florida, eight grandchildren, one great grandchild and a



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brother, Frank of Birmingham.

Memorial services are Wednesday at the Immanuel Congregational Church with arrangements m a d e by Bossardet Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to the Church or Michigan Heart Fund. Pastor Arthur Habermehl will officiate Wednesday. Geisl

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GEISLER, NORMAN ALBERT; of 145 Spezia Dr., Oxford: September 13, 1980; age 74; husband of Doris; father of Donald Geisler of Lake Orion. Mrs. Norma Heffron of Orlando, Fla. and Richard Geisler of Fair Oaks. Calif.; eight grandchildren; one great-grandchild; brother of Frank Geisler of Birmingham, Mi. Mr. Geisler was a member of the Oxford Rotary Club, Camp Thomas Club and the Maumen Club, he was the former owner of a grocery store in Oxford. Funeral service Wednesday, September 17, at the Oxford Congregational Church, 1 p.m., Rev. Arthur Habermehl officiating. Interment Oxford Cemetery. Memorials to the Oxford Congregational Church or Michigan Heart Fund. Mr. Geisler will lie in state after 7 p.m. this evening at the Bossardet Funeral Home. Oxford.

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