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*BRIDGEPORT:* Bill Paschall, 86, self employed, died Saturday, June 2, 2012, in Decatur.

Bill was born on April 25, 1926, to Elmer and Margaret (Barfield) Paschall in Cottondale. He is retired from farm and ranch, owned and operated Weighmaster Livestock Systems and Southwest Electronic Livestock Auction Systems. Bill served his country in the U.S. Navy during WWII and the Korean War. He was united in marriage to Barbara Ward on January 30, 1964, in Friona, Texas. Bill was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church where he was an elder, trustee, and congregational president. He was a member of the Runaway Bay Chamber of Commerce, Runaway Bay City Council, Bridgeport Historical Society, and Citizen of the Year 1986-87.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Maurice and Ron Paschall; and his sister, Sandra Paschall.

Survivors include his wife of 48 years, Barbara Ward Paschall, of Bridgeport; his daughter, Jeana Actkinson and husband, Bobby, of Runaway Bay; his son, Dusty Paschall and wife, Jennifer, of Dallas; seven grandchildren, Lindsey Childs and husband, David, Lauren, Beau, Sydney, Lizzy, and Jack Paschall and Ches Actkinson; his great grandchild, Brodie Childs; two sisters, Margaret Wood and Marilyn Davis; his brother, Ralph Paschall and wife, Betty; other family members and a host of friends.

Funeral was held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 5, 2012, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Bridgeport with burial in Cottondale Cemetery.

Pastor Gerald Epperson officiated and was assisted by Pastor Gerald Peterman. Pallbearers included Richard Blake, Rusty Childs, Kevin Francis, David Hoyler, David Wood, and Jeff Wood. Honorary pallbearers included Frank Blank, Jack Moody, and Leroy Schmedthorst.

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