Joseph Savino

Joseph Savino, 86, of Bayport, died April 2. Born and raised in the Bronx, Mr. Savino moved to Bayport in 1960. He worked as an electrician and technician at Brookhaven National Laboratory for 35 years. As a hobby, he created many ingenious inventions for his house and many toys and rides for his grandchildren. Mr. Savino was also ahead of his time with his hobby of converting gas-powered cars to electric power starting in the early 1970s.

He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Dottie; his three sons, Joseph and wife, Nancy, of Griswold, Conn., Michael and wife, Bonnie, of Bayport, and Dominick and wife, Dawn, of Patchogue; his brother, Anthony; and his six grandchildren, Elizabeth, Jessica, Nicholas, Erin, Lia and Russell. He was predeceased by his brothers, Frank, James and Michael.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Raynor & D'Andrea Funeral Home, Bayport. A funeral Mass was celebrated at Our Lady of the Snow R.C. Church, Blue Point.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation, 1359 Broadway, Suite 1509, New York, NY 10018 (www.pdf.org) and would be appreciated by the family.