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RANCHO BERNARDO, CA - P.J. Thielen, 83, of Rancho Bernardo, CA, died Jan. 3. 2002. He was born in Defiance. He was in the Standard Oil business in Defiance, with his father, Louis Thielen, for many years. He was a property manager for Whittington & Ramm Co. He served in the Army during World War II. He was a member of the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel Thielen; son, Phillip M. Thielen of Scripps Ranch:

brother, Leo Thielen of Denver, CO; four grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

A Mass was celebrated at St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church in San Diego, CA. Poway Bernardo Mortuary in charge of arrangements.