Irwin Conver (1917 – 2003)

Irwin John "Jack" Conver, 86, a resident of Barstow for 45 years, died Thursday Aug. 21, 2003, in Ontario. He was born April 16, 1917 in Albuquerque, N.M. Jack was the head custodian for Barstow High School for many years. In addition, he worked as a general contractor building many places in this area. He was president of CSEA #306 for seven years, and president of the Senior Citizens for over 10 years, more than any other serving president. He was also a member and officer of Kiwanis. He loved to play cards with his brothers. Survivors include his sons, Steve Conver of Colorado Springs, Colo., and John Conver of Prescott, Ariz.; daughters, Jackie Conver of Mohave Valley, Ariz., and Darlene Wallace of California; brothers, Al Conver of El Monte and Dick Conver of Palmdale; life companion, Pauline Conte of Barstow; and stepson, Kenny Jones and his wife Joette of Barstow; 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Memorial service will be today Aug. 27, 2003, at 10 a.m. at Mead Mortuary, 36930 Irwin Road.

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