

LOUIS BORDOK OBITUARY

Louis H. Bordok, 84, a long-time Barstow educator and coach, died of cancer at his Barstow home on Friday, April 5, 2002. Born in Marting, W.Va. on Aug. 16, 1917, Bordok graduated from West Virginia Institute of Technology and earned his master's degree from West Virginia University. He earned the rank of chief petty officer while serving in the [U.S. Navy](#) during [World War II](#). Bordok left the service and moved to Barstow in 1954. He became a teacher, coach and director of welfare and attendance with the Barstow Unified School District. Bordok was part of the original faculty at Barstow Community College and became the college's first basketball and baseball coach. Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Verona Bordok of Barstow; son and daughter-in-law Jeff and Barbara Bordok of Gardnerville, Nev.; grandsons Jeffrey Bordok and Trent Bordok, both of Irvine, and Preston Bordok of Newport Beach; and great-grandson Brennan Bordok. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 10, 2002, at First Congregational Church, 220 N. Second Ave. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Visiting Nurse Association of the Inland Counties, 222 E. Main St. Suite 112, Barstow, CA 92311.