

Robert Milton McCoy Sr.

Robert Milton McCoy Sr., died June 11, 2002. Born in Bakersfield, he lived in Victorville for five years. He was a member of the Local 12 Operating Engineers Union for 60 years. He was a [U.S. Navy](#) retired submarine veteran of [World War II](#), a member of Masonic Lodge 769, Apple Valley Shriners and a member of the Barstow High School Class of 1936. He served as an officer of the Rainbow Organization for girls, DeMolay for boys and Jobs Daughters. He said working with young people kept him young. He was preceded in death by his wife, Alice L. McCoy, who is buried at Riverside National Cemetery. He is survived by daughters Barbara Smith of Lakeside, Roberta Dunn of Louis Center, Ohio; sons Robert W. of Spring Valley Lake, Robert Milton Jr. of Spring Valley Lake; brother Glenn; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held from 3:30 to 6 p.m. Thursday at Desert View Mortuary Chapel 11500 Amargosa Road in Victorville. Graveside services will be held at noon Friday at Riverside National Cemetery, Staging Area 5. Desert Valley Mortuary is handling arrangements.

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