

Services Held For Fred Martin

Fred Martin, one of the Valley's real oldtimers, died Aug. 26 in the Villa Conteta Nursing Home in Torrance after an illness of 18 months. He was 85.

Graveside services were held Friday afternoon at the Lancaster Cemetery with Rev. Dorsey Allen of the Community Methodist Church officiating. Mumaw Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

A native of Chico, Calif., born in 1883, Mr. Martin came to Mojave about 1911 where he was a horseshoer. He remained in Mojave until the completion of the Aqueduct when he moved to Lancaster where he had resided since that time.

There are no surviving relatives.