

# Graveside Services for John Beckman

Graveside services were conducted by the Masons Saturday, Febr. 5, for John Beckman of Simi Valley, Calif. at the Santa Clara Cemetery. He died January 30, 1994 at a Simi Valley hospital after a brief illness.

John F. Beckman, son of Herman and Martha (Evers) Beckman was born April 19, 1918 at Laurel. The family moved to Coleridge in 1927 and John graduated from Coleridge High School in 1936.

He married Angie Cruz July 24, 1948 at Agana, Guam. After returning to the States, they resided at Camarillo, Calif. and Spanaway, Wash. before she passed away February 14, 1984.

Following his discharge from the Navy, John was a civil service shop planner for 33 years. He was affectionately known as "Big John". He enjoyed blue grass music, genealogy and watching his grandchildren participate in sports.

He is survived by his second wife, Maxine Beckman of Simi Valley; two sons, Anthony Beckman of Camarillo, Calif. and John Beckman, Jr. of Arroyo Grande, Calif.; a daughter, Janice (Mrs. Joe) Borchard of Camarillo, Calif.; nine grandchildren, and a sister, Margaret Cisney of Wakefield.