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## Herman 'Bud' Beal

OCT. 19, 1923-AUG. 11, 2002

Herman "Bud" Beal, 78, of Nevada, died Sunday from a heart ailment at Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Bacon Funeral Home in Nevada, with the Rev. Brenda Hobson officiating. Burial will be in Colo Cemetery. Military honors will be at the cemetery.

Herman "Bud" Beal was born Oct. 19, 1923, in Nevada, the son of James and Carrie (Spencer) Beal.

He married Maxine Bloomfield Jan. 23, 1943, in Bethany, Mo. He served in the U.S. Marines Corp, Fifth Division, during World War II. After the war, he helped build an airstrip in Greenland, and then returned to Iowa where he was a farmer. He also worked as a foreman in bridge construction.

He is survived by one brother, Howard "Mike" Beal of Nevada.

He was preceded in death by his wife and one son.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 tonight at Bacon Funeral Home in Nevada.

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Herman "Bud" Beal, 78, of Nevada, died Sunday, Aug. 11, at the Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames from a heart ailment.

He was born Oct. 19, 1923, in Nevada, to James and Carrie (Spencer) Beal. He married Maxine Bloomfield in Bethany, Mo., on Jan. 23, 1943. She preceded him in death Jan. 15, 1994. He was a veteran of WWII having served in the US Marines Corp, 5th Division, and having fought at Iwo Jima. After the war, he helped build an airstrip in Greenland and then returned to Iowa, where he farmed and also worked as a foreman in bridge construction. He enjoyed gardening.

Survivors include a brother, Howard "Mike" Beal of Nevada and two sisters-in-law, Alberta Beal and Mildred Beal, both of Nevada.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, and a son, Dene Beal on Jan. 13, 1989.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Bacon Funeral Home in Nevada with the Rev. Brenda Hobson officiating. Burial was in the Colo Cemetery. Military honors will be given at the Cemetery.