

Beard, Gene  
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## **Former resident of Maxwell dies in California**

Gene Beard, a former Maxwell resident, died Thursday Feb. 12, after suffering a stroke February 8.

Mr. Beard was born Sept. 12, 1909 in Mingo. He lived in Maxwell most of his life and had lived in Buffalo, Mo. before moving to Ontario, Calif.

He preceded in death by his father, Charles, and a sister Bernice Pitcher.

Survivors include his wife, Mary, a daughter Kay of Pomona, Calif.; a son, Jerry of Ankeny, his mother, Effie of Maxwell, a brother Carl of Collins and six grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are pending at the Peaper Mortuary. 811 Mountain Ave.; Ontario, Calif.

Those wishing to send cards may do so to Mary Beard, 5600 Mission Blvd, Spc. 3, Ontario, Calif.