Rites held for Leon H. Main

Leon H. Main, 69, formerly of Grinnell, died Thursday, Nov. 25, at Lancaster, Calif., following a lengthy illness.

Funeral services were conducted Nov. 30 at Murphy Mortuary, with burial at Joshua Memorial Park in Lancaster. Conducting services were officers of the Lancaster Masonic Lodge No. 437.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Main of Searsboro, he was born May 1, 1913. He was a 1932 graduate of Grinnell High School. He was a staff sergeant in World War II and a retired mechanic for McDonnell Douglas Aircraft.

Mr. Main had lived in Lancaster for 27 years. He was a member of the AV Barnstormers, McDonnell Douglas retirement club, Al Malaikad Temple of Los Angeles, Walker Masonic Lodge No. 302, Golden West Commandery No. 43 and Knights of Templar of California.

Donations in Mr. Main's name may be made to the Antelope Valley Aero Museum, P.O. Box 2585, Lancaster, Calif. 93535. He was one of the museum's founders.

Survivors include his wife, Aurie P. Main; a daughter, Patricia McMurrin of Lancaster; two granddaughters; and two brothers, Millard Main of Brooklyn and Ransom Reeves of Searsboro.