

H-R August 10, 1978
Jessie Oppel rites pending

Jessie Mae Oppel, 52, of Malcom died Tuesday afternoon at her home. 5-3

Funeral services will be conducted later this week in Whittier, Calif. Friends may call the Smith Funeral Home for additional information.

The daughter of Melvin and Hazel Powell Gentry, she was born Feb. 28, 1926, at Long Beach, Calif. She grew up in the Los Angeles, Calif., area and attended school there.

On May 30, 1959, she was married to Virgil F. Oppel in Las Vegas, Nev. The couple moved to Malcom this year and were joint owners of the Starting Over Antique Store.

Survivors include her husband; two step-children, Mrs. Virginia Bishop of Provo, Utah, and Mrs. Judy Baker of Elma, Wash.; and four step-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents.

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