

Valley Old-Timer

Myrtie Breslin

Services Thursday

Funeral services for Myrtie Louise Breslin, 83, will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday, June 17, in the Chapel of the Valley. Interment will be Desert Lawn Memorial Park.

Mrs. Breslin and her husband, Gene Harry Breslin, were for many years caretakers for the Palmdale-Littlerock Dam, going to work the year before it was built and had been "on the job" since 1923. Her husband preceded her in death during 1945.

Mrs. Breslin was born Nov. 25, 1888, in Durango, Colo., and moved with her family to California in 1911, prior to coming to the Antelope Valley in 1921. She died in the Palmdale General Hospital Monday morning, June 14. For the past two years prior to her final illness she had resided on 77th St. East, in Littlerock.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Velma Berchfield, of Hermosa Beach; a grandson, James Berchfield, on military service in Japan; and three great-grandchildren.