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Harlan native Wade E. Kittell, 76, died on Dec. 6, 1992. He had lived in Long Beach since 1937 and is survived by many friends. Kittell was born in Harlan on June 21, 1916

He graduated from Harlan High School in 1933. Kittell was a member of Queen-Vista Masonic Lodge; Long Beach Masonic Club; the Los Angeles Corral of the Westerners; and Downey Historical Society.

Masonic memorial services were held on Dec. 10 at Hunter Mortuary Chapel. He was the only child of the late Mr and Mrs Howard Kittell, former Harlan residents.

He was instrumental in promoting the annual Harlan picnic held in Escondido, CA, for many years.