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Man digging for gold dies in landslide

KUALA TERENGGANU: A man who was digging for gold, was killed when he was buried in a landslide in Kampung Air Sejuk here on Wednesday. District police chief Deputy Superintendent Afandi Hussin said Mohd Johari Mohd Asri, 34, who had gone to the area with his parents, was digging for gold in a 3m-deep hole when the landslide occurred about 5pm. "There were difficulties in conducting the search operation due to heavy rain that occurred intermittently. With the help of the Fire and Rescue Department, the victim was found at 7pm and his body was brought out half an hour later," he said in a statement on Thursday. Afandi said the body of the father of two was sent to Setiu Hospital for further action.

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