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She is survived by her husband, Albert of Grinnell; three daughters, Diana Tully of Warrenton, Va., Denise Hartz of Jackson, Tenn., and Darlene Mesch of Littleton, Colo.; one sister, Dorothy Wheeler of Montezuma; one brother, Gerald Hall of Brooklyn; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother, Lloyd Hall and one sister, Mildred Long.

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