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The daughter of Jerome and Myra Fuller Goodwin, Maxine was born on July 2, 1917, in Brooklyn. She was raised in the Malcom area and was a 1935 graduate of Malcom High School. She was married to Vernon "Red" Turner on July 6, 1935, at the Grinnell First Baptist Church. She was

a seamstress in Grinnell for many years.

Maxine was a member of the Grinnell First Baptist Church, American Legion Auxiliary, Eastern Star and Rebekah Lodge, all of Montezuma. She baked wedding cakes for many weddings and enjoyed gardening, canning and camping. She loved all her family and friends.

Survivors include her children, Don Turner of Montezuma, Janice (Mrs. Freddie) Van Ervelde of Grinnell, and Dennis Turner of San Antonio; nine grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; and one sister, Verna Mae Baird of Newton.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband in 1997, two brothers and one sister.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Grinnell First Baptist Church.

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