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Wednesday, March 21, 2018, at Brooklyn Community
Estates in Brooklyn, Iowa.
A funeral service will be
held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday,
March 24, 2018, at the Grin-
nell Friends Church with the
Rev. Steve Savage officiating.
Interment with military hon-
ors will held at Hazelwood
Cemetery in Grinnell.
Visitation will begin at
2:00 p.m. on Friday at the
Smith Funeral Home and his
family will greet friends from
5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on
Friday evening.
In lieu of flowers, memorials may be designated to Brooklyn Com-
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Survivors include his daughter, Marcia Brewer of Searsboro, Iowa;
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nick of Hiawatha, Amanda Dunnick of Marshalltown, and Michael
and Misty Brewer, both of Searsboro; five great grandchildren, Kellen,
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