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He was married to Julie Blue on Sept. 3, 1994, in Grinnell.

Surviving are his wife; his children, Emma and Aaron, both of Grinnell; his parents, Paul of Yuma, Ariz., and LaRue Jackson of Des Moines; one sister, Janet Ahrens of Grinnell; and one brother, Richard of Marengo. He was preceded in death by his brother, David.

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James is survived by his wife, Julie of Grinnell; his children: Emma and Aaron Hudnut, both of Grinnell; his father, Paul Hudnut of Yuma, Ariz.; his mother, LaRue Jackson of Des Moines; one sister, Janet Ahrens of Grinnell and one brother, Richard Hudnut of Marengo.

Friends may call at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell, where the family will be present from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday.

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