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He was a member of the United Church of Christ-Congregational of Grinnell and he enjoyed reading and traveling with his family.

He is survived by his mother, Corinne B. Switzer of Grinnell; one nephew, Jay



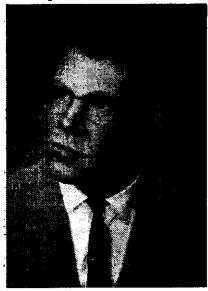
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