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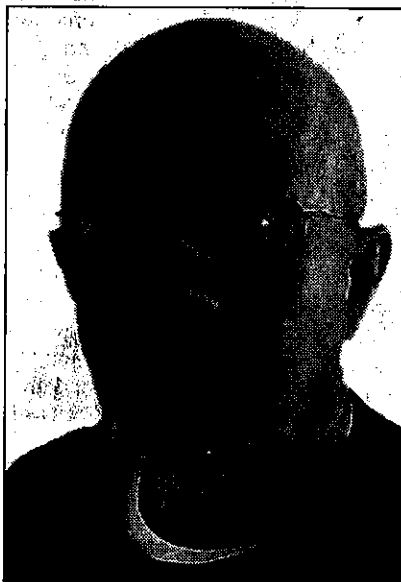
A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., Friday, April 26, at the Grinnell Christian Church. Interment will be at Hazelwood Cemetery in Grinnell at a later date.

Friends may call at Smith Funeral Home from 12 noon to 5 p.m. on Thursday.

Memorials may be directed to Holt Adoption Agency and sent in care of Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell.

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Harvey was born on April 16, 1942, in Burlington, to Harry and Velma McKeeown Martindale. The family moved to Grinnell in 1954 and he graduated from Grinnell High School with the Class of 1960. Following his education he worked for the Amana Refrigeration Company and the Donaldson Company.

He married Sue Ryan on Oct. 16, 1965, in Grinnell. The couple lived in Grinnell and adopted two daughters, Stacy and Sara. He worked for 25 years as a computer operator for General Telephone of the Midwest in Grinnell and spent 11 years with the Jeld-Wenn Corporation in Grinnell before his retirement in 2011.

Harvey was a long time member of the Grinnell Christian Church and he enjoyed working on his 1954 Lincoln Continental, taking motorcycle trips, socializing over a cup of coffee and attending sporting and school activities of his grandsons. Harvey and Sue were members of the same card club for 43 years.

Survivors include his wife, Sue Martindale of Grinnell; two daughters, Stacy Mason and Sara Martindale, all of West Des Moines; three grandchildren; one sister, Mary Lou Doty of Grinnell; and one brother, Ed Martindale of Havelock, N.C.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

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