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Survivors include a son, Max (and Marilyn) Klinger of Nevada; two grandsons; and five great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband Charlie on April 23, 1988, and two sisters, Genevieve and Edna Pauline.

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Visitation will be after 3 p.m. Wednesday at Chet Ryan Mortuary in Nevada, with the family present from 5 to 7 p.m.

Memorials may be directed to the MS Foundation or Homeward Hospice of Ames.

Chet Ryan Mortuary in Nevada is in charge of arrangements.

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