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Surviving are her husband Francis; one son, James (Cindy) Beck, Marion; one daughter, Kris (Tim) Caster, Portland; sister-in-law, Ruth Ingle, Portland, eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home, 221 N. Meridian, Portland, with Pastor Roger Domingo presiding. Burial will follow in the Green Park Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Trinity United Methodist Church in Portland or New Hope Hospice in Marion.

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