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Margaret Hartnagel, 89, a former Portland resident, died Monday in Woodcrest of Decatur.

Born in Adams County on April 24, 1914 to William and Grace (Rape) Butcher, she was married June 10, 1934, to Paul Hartnagel, who died Nov. 23, 1983. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are two sons, Marvin Hartnagel, Coldwater, Mich., and John Hartnagel, Pigeon Forge, Tenn.; two daughters, Mrs. Gary (Sally) Ireland and Mrs. Lloyd (Susan) Knittle, both of Portland; one sister, Martha Lantz, Terre Haute; 12 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Services are Saturday at 10:30 a.m. in the Baird-Freeman Funeral Home with Pastor Darrel Borders presiding. Burial will follow in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Pennville.

Visitation is Friday from 3 to 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Jay County Heart Fund or Alzheimer's Association.

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