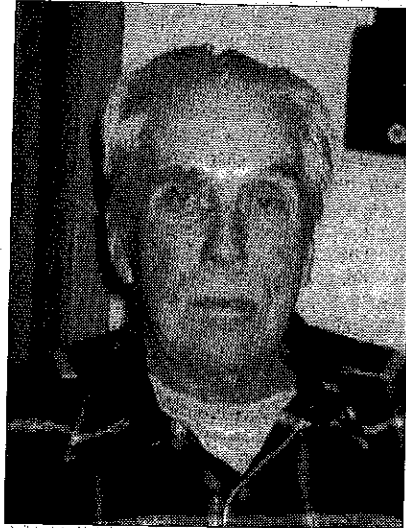


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Visitation will be held from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home and with the family present from 6 to 8 p.m.

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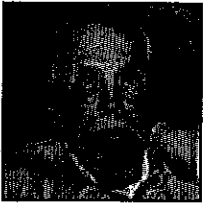
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