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- Peter J. Faust Corporate Law, Mergers and Acquisitions Law
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- Carl D. Holborn Trusts and Estates
- Dennis W. Hollman Corporate Law, Trusts and Estates
- Grant C. Killoran Litigation-Health Care
- Dean P. Laing Commercial Litigation, Personal Injury Litigation-Plaintiffs, Product Liability Litigation-Defendants
- Gregory W. Lyons Commercial Litigation, Litigation-Insurance
- Gregory S. Mager Family Law

- Patrick G. McBride Commercial Litigation
- Thomas A. Merkle Family Law
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