

*In  
Loving Memory*

**Thomas Shamburg Shannon**

*Born*

October 30, 1936  
Omaha, Nebraska

*Entered Into Rest*

May 4, 2003  
Shenandoah, Iowa

*Age*

66 Years, 6 Month, 4 days

*Life Celebration*

1:30 P.M. Thursday  
May 8, 2003  
Rose Hill Cemetery  
Shenandoah, Iowa

*Celebrant*

Reverend Donald Bruck  
St. Mary's Catholic Church  
Shenandoah, Iowa

**Thomas Shamburg Shannon**

Thomas Gerome Shannon (Shamburg), the son of Kenneth and Margory (Bloomquist) Shamburg was born October 30, 1936, in Omaha, Nebraska, and passed away May 4, 2003, in Shenandoah, Iowa.

Tom grew up in Blair, Nebraska, and graduated from the Blair High School. After high school he served in the U. S. Air Force. Tom settled in Southwest Iowa moving first to Red Oak, Iowa, where he worked as a painter for Steve and Clyde Bitterman. He soon made friends, whom were very close to him for the rest of his life. Tom moved to Shenandoah where he continued painting. Because of his illness he traveled back and forth to Iowa City to the doctors and hospital. There he met Sheila, whom he married. She later passed away and is buried at Sigourney, Iowa. Tom moved into the Shen's Rooming House where he met several other men who also became his friends. Because of his illness he was forced to stop working and later moved into Gardenview Care Center.

Preceding Tom in death were his Parents; wife, Sheila, and two brothers, Vincent and James Shamburg.

Survivors include his brother and sister-in-law, Patrick and Lyla Shamburg of Lincoln, Nebraska; sisters, Judy Young of Silver Lake, Kansas and Marjory Sorenson of Arlington, Nebraska; several nieces; nephews and friends.

*Services Entrusted to Selby Funeral Chapel  
Shenandoah, Iowa*