

Sharon "Sherry" Kay Burchett

Sharon (Sherry) Kay Burchett, the daughter of Larry Dean and Mary Joan (Hastie) Howard, was born at Shenandoah, Iowa on April 24, 1962 and passed away at Clarkson Hospital in Omaha, Nebraska on July 4, 2002 at the age of 40 years, 2 months and 10 days.

Until the age of seven she lived in Shenandoah at which time she moved with her family to Loveland, Colorado, where she was raised and lived until 1990 when she moved back to Shenandoah. She attained her education in Shenandoah and later at Mary Blair Elementary School and Conrad Ball School in Loveland. After moving back to Shenandoah she worked at Pella Corporation, for Nishna Productions and at Garden View Care Center. Sherry was a member of Nishna Valley Christian Church. She enjoyed camping, her church and helping others.

Preceding her in death were her grandfathers, Ellis Hastie, and Roy Allen; and a brother, Larry Dean Howard, Jr.

Survivors include her parents, Dean and Joan Taylor of Shenandoah; father, Larry Howard, Springfield, Missouri; brother and sister-in-laws, Skip and Cindy Howard of Essex, Iowa, Chris and Brenda Howard of Gothenburg, Nebraska; fiance Steve Nardi of Shenandoah; step brothers and friends, Herb and Lisa Taylor of Shenandoah, Terry and Kristie Taylor of Omaha, Nebraska, Chris Taylor of Lincoln, Nebraska, and step sister Deanne Taylor of Omaha, Nebraska; nephews, Sam Miller and Ellis Dean Howard; grandmothers, Mary Hastie of Shenandoah, and Dorothy Allen of Loveland, Colorado; aunts, uncles, along with other relatives and a host of friends.