Jack Allgood



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A memorial service was held Saturday, July 28, at Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell with Rev. Nick Adam, St. Mary's Catholic Church, officiating. Honorary bearers were Martin, Jackie and Joe Jordan and Dennis, Doug and Mark Allgood. Burial was in Ivy Hill Cemetery in Malcom.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Jack Allgood Memorial

Jack was born Nov. 22, 1950, in Grinnell, the son of Ivan "Jim" and Betty Cram Allgood. He was raised in Grinnell and moved with his family to Wilton, Iowa, in 1967. He was a 1969 graduate of Wilton High School where he excelled in sports, making All-Conference in football, basketball and baseball. He furthered his education and played football at Waldorf Junior College in Forest City and Texas Lutheran University in Seguin, Texas. He later attended U.N.I. in Cedar Falls.

He worked for the Waldorf Athletic

Department as a football recruiter for several years and returned to Wilton in 1982 where he was employed with North Star Steel. He retired from the steel plant in 1999 and moved to Grinnell in 2001. While in Grinnell he worked at the Grinnell United Methodist Church and as a caregiver for immediate family members and several friends. He attended St. Mary's Catholic Church in Grinnell.

His family was very important to him, and his dog Jake was a loyal companion. He was very attletic and held an appreciation for sports: he was a passionate fan of the Milwahkee C Brewes and Green Bay Packets and enjoyed watching ESPN. He was also an avid reader.

He is survived by three children, Jason Allgood of Iowa City, Aaron Allgood of Peoria, Ariz., and Melanie Berry of Chicago; one brother, Jim Allgood of Ankeny; one sister, Carol Jordan of Grinnell; and six grandchil-

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Jack was a loving and caring person to many. He loved his family dearly, they were his pride and joy and he looked forward to sharing his time with them. He was very athletic and held an appreciation for sports. He was a passionate fan of the Milwaukee Brewers and Green Bay Packers. He was an avid reader and enjoyed watching ESPN. His dog, Jake was a loyal companion.

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John 'Jack' Allgood

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Visitation with the family present will be held one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

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