Annette Kay Schaffner, 61

Annette Kay Schaffner of Millersburg, was born September 12, 1952, in Ocean Side, Calif., the daughter of Robert Thomas & Barbara Ilene (Spray) Schaldecker. She graduated from John F. Kennedy High School and Young's School of Beauty, with a degree in cosmetology. After graduation, Nettie moved to the Millersburg area and was united in marriage to Roger Schaffner on August 18, 1984, at the Millersburg United Methodist Church. She was a beautician, an associate at the Millersburg Elementary School helping with the PDC kids and for the last 27 years has been an in home daycare provider. Many children have passed through her life and all still hold a special place in her heart. Nettie was a member of the Millersburg United Methodist Church. She enjoyed, reading, singing, watching NASCAR, taking care of her animals and most importantly her family. Nettie died on Wednesday, August 6, 2014, at her home after a courageous battle with cancer at the age of 61 years.

She is survived by her husband, Roger Schaffner of Millersburg; two sons, Caleb “Cub” (Jessie) of Brooklyn and Jacob “Jac” (fiancé Shelby Kahler) of Millersburg; a grandson, Brecken of Brooklyn; her father, Robert Schaldecker; and a brother, Michael (Debra) Schaldecker, all of Cedar Rapids; beloved dog Bailey; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her mother.

Celebration of Life Service was held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, August 11, at the Millersburg United Methodist Church. The Rev. Lester Zook and the Rev. Michelle Williamson officiated. Burial will be at a later date. Memorials may be given for the City of Millersburg Playground Fund. Messages and tributes may be left at www.powellfuneralhomes.com.