Anoulack Baccam, 25, of Ankeny

Anoulack Patrick Baccam, 25, of Ankeny and formerly of Pella, passed away Aug. 8, 2006, after a life-long struggle with Thalassemia. Funeral services were held Aug. 13, at the First Church of the Open Bible in Des Moines. Memorials can be given to the Thalassemia Foundation or the Asian Church of the Open Bible Youth Group, c/o the Garden Chapel Funeral Home.

Anoulack was born Feb. 12, 1981, to Thoykam and Teuy Hoang Baccam. He attended Pella Community School. He enrolled at the University of Iowa and majored in chemistry and later enrolled at DMACC where he graduated with honors as a medical laboratory technician. He worked at Des Moines Methodist Hospital as a med lab tech until he became too ill to work.

He is survived by his parents, step-father Patrick Stark, mother Teuy Baccam-Stark and many uncles, aunts and cousins, a fiancee, Ms. Beverly Mahayong of Rockford, Illinois.

He was preceded in death by his father, Thoykam Baccam from an automobile accident in 1993.