Linda Lee Bever
Dale E. Bever

Linda Lee Bever, 52, and Dale Emmett Bever, 45, of Hutchinson, Kan., died of an accident Sunday, Aug. 3, at Cheney Reservoir in Hutchinson.

A funeral service took place Friday, Aug. 8, at The Father’s House in Hutchinson with Pastor Allen Smith officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Linda Lee Bever was born in Grinnell on July 14, 1956, the daughter of William and Josie Perkins Asberry. She was a graduate of Grinnell High School and Hutchinson Community College. She had resided in Hutchinson since 1985 and had been employed in the SRS office in south Hutchinson for almost 19 years serving as administrative specialist for the last 16 years.

Dale Emmett Bever was born Jan. 12, 1963, in Nevada, Mo., the son of Denzel and Dora Money Bever. He had been a resident of Hutchinson since 1985, and was an experimental mechanic in the engineering department of Agco in Hesston.

Linda Asberry Geist and Dale Emmett Bever were united in marriage on May 25, 1992, in Hutchinson.

They are survived by one son, Rodney Geist of Salina, Kan.; one daughter, Amy Lafayette of Hutchinson; her brothers, Lonnie Asberry and Dwight Asberry of Grinnell; Oliver Asberry of New York and Jimmie Asberry of Wichita, Kan., and her sister, Cheryl Lingenfelter of Kingman; his parents, Denzill Bever and Dora Wendt of Missouri; his brother, James Bever of Missouri and his sisters, Linda McKee, Connie Schooley, Vicky Brown and Lisa Ketner, all of Missouri. They were preceded in death by her parents, and his brother, Danny Bever.