

## Betty I. Palmer

Betty I. Palmer, 53, of 9832 Quail Run Circle, Urbandale, died of cancer Monday, Jan. 13, at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Smith Funeral Home, with the Rev. Ronald Mohr, pastor of St. Stephen Lutheran church of Urbandale, officiating. Organist was Susan Todd, and pallbearers were Mike Arthur, Randy Arthur, Doug Baber, Jerry Bullock, Dave Miller and Jeff Miller.

Burial was in Rock Creek Cemetery. Memorials may be made to St. Stephen Lutheran Church.

The daughter of Ernie and Velma Swartzendruber Yoder, she was born Nov. 6, 1938, in Parnell. She attended Parnell schools and graduated from Wellman High School. She also attended college in Lexington, Ky.

On Jan. 11, 1961, she was married to Robert Palmer at St. John's Lutheran Church in Grinnell. The couple lived here and in Andalusia, Ill., moving to Meskego, Wis., in 1973. While living in Meskego, Mrs. Palmer was a library associate at Tess Corners Elementary School.

In 1991, the couple moved to Ankeny where she was a library associate at Ankeny High School. She had lived in Urbandale since August.

Surviving are her husband; her parents; two daughters, Sherry Lynn of Gulfport, Miss., and Linda Palmer of Milwaukee, Wis.; two sons, Robert and Steven, both of Milwaukee; two grandchildren; three sisters, Dorothy Bullock of Maquoketa, Janet Miller of Mt. Vernon and Janice Myers of Kansas City, Mo.; and two brothers, Walt and Warren Yoder.

She was preceded in death by infant twin sons, John and Jeff.

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(Robert)