David Noel

David Noel, 52, of Belle Plaine died Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2011, at his

A funeral service will be held Sathome. urday, Feb. 12, at 11 a.m. at Smith Funeral Home.

Visitation will be held prior to the service from 9 until 11 a.m. at Smith Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the David S. Noel Memorial Fund, PO Box 368, Grinnell IA 50112. Memories and condolences may be shared with his family at www.smithfh.com.

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David S. Noel, 52, of Beile Plaine, formerly of Grinnell, died Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2011, at his home.

A celebration of his life was held Saturday, Feb. 12, at Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell with the Rev. John Epperson officiating. Memorials may be made to the David S. Noel Memorial Fund, PO Box 368, Grinnell, IA 50112. Memories and condolences also may be shared with his family at www.smithfh.com.

He was born May 3, 1958, in Grinnell, the son of William and Judith Louise Browning Noel. He was raised in Grinnell and Davenport, graduating from Davenport West High school with the class of 1977. He then attended the University of Iowa in Iowa City.

He was united in marriage with Rachel Schwertfeger on Sept. 8, 2006, in Davenport. He was employed with Natural Products and Chief Alfa in Grinnell for several years; with Maytag in Newton; and at Jeld-Wen in Grinnell.

He is survived by his wife Rachel Noel of Belle Plaine; his parents, William Noel of Unionville, Mo., and Judy Noel of Davenport; his stepdaughters, Sheri Shepherd of Stover, Mosnand Lisa Fick of Belle Plaine; five grandchildren; and his brother and sisters, Brad Noel of Eldridge and Mindy Clark and Susan Yarolem of Davenport.