Terry W. McDowell



Terry W. McDowell, 62, of Grinnell, died Wednesday, May 11, 2011, at his home.

A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, May 17, at 2 p.m. at Hazelwood Cemetery in Grinnell. Officiating will be Rev. Nick Adam of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Grinnell. A celebration of life will take place at Game Time in Grinnell, following the committal service.

Memorials may be directed to the Terry W. McDowell Memorial Fund and sent in care of the Smith Funeral Home, PO Box 368, Grinnell, Iowa 50112

Terry Wayne McDowell was born on February 12, 1949, in Grinnell, the son of Wayne L. McDowell and Florence L. Smith.

Terry had a zest for life, a heart of gold, and lived his life by the adage of a Frank Sinatra Song, "I Did It My Way."

Terry is survived by his brother, David McDowell of Grinnell; stepsister, Debra Glisan of Wyoming, Ill.; step-brothers, Larry Steele of Hopedale, Ill. and Steven Steele of Lancon, Ill.; and many friends and relatives.

Terry was preceded in death by his parents, paternal and maternal grand-parents and many aunts and uncles.

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