

Paul Fenske



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Paul Eugene Fenske, 38, of Merced Calif., formerly of Grinnell, died Monday, June 4, near San Bernardino, Calif., of injuries sustained in an automobile accident. At the time of his death, he was traveling to Iowa.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 23, at Hazelwood Cemetery, with the Rev. Tim Stewart, pastor of the Grinnell First Baptist Church, officiating. The Smith Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

The son of Eugene Thomas and Mary Ellen Farrand Fenske, he was born Jan. 19, 1963, in Grinnell. He was a 1981 graduate of Grinnell High School, then attended the University of Northern Iowa.

He later enlisted in the U.S. Air Force. Following his discharge in 1986, he made his home in the Merced area. He was skilled in concrete work and was planning to relocate to Grinnell to continue that trade.

Surviving are his parents; one daughter, Kirsten Fenske of Burlington; one sister, Kathy Clark of Grinnell; and one brother, Steve of Grinnell. His grandparents preceded him in death.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Grinnell First Baptist Church.