

Kenneth Phipps, 39

Kenneth L. Phipps, 39, of 201 Third Street, Searsboro, Iowa, died on Monday, Oct. 8, 2001, at Grinnell Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m., Thursday, Oct. 11, 2001, at the Smith Funeral Home in Grinnell with Rev. Troy Stein and Rev. Sam Reaves officiating. Music was provided by Betty Ann Battey, pianist, and Bill Surbrug, vocalist. Casket Bearers were Curt Phipps, Dave Phipps, Duane Phipps, Glenn Phipps, Kenny Phipps, Mary Phipps, Sean Phipps, Wade Phipps and Chris Bitek. Burial was in the Rock Creek Cemetery near Grinnell.

Memorials may be directed to Grinnell Regional Home Health Care.

He was born on Feb. 4, 1962, in Grinnell, Iowa to Bert and Maxine Large

Phipps. He was raised in Grinnell and Searsboro and attended schools in those communities. He also attended Lynnville-Sully High School. Following his education he worked for the Robintech Company in Grinnell. For the past few years he worked as a receptionist at the Mayflower Home Health Care Center in Grinnell and he also received an award from the Iowa Nursing Home Association as "Support Staff Member of the Year."

He is survived by his mother, Maxine Phipps of Grinnell; and five brothers, Wade, Curt and Dave all of Searsboro, Duane and Glenn Phipps both of Grinnell.

He was preceded in death by his father.

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Following his education he worked for the Robintech Co. in Grinnell. For a few years, he was coordinator for the Summer Youth Employment Program in Searsboro, and he received a citation from the state for his work. For the past few years, he worked as a receptionist at the Mayflower Health Care Center, and he received an award from the Iowa Nursing Home Association as Support Staff Member of the Year.

Surviving are his mother and five brothers, Wade, Curt and Dave, all of Searsboro, and Duane and Glenn, both of Grinnell.

He was preceded in death by his father and two brothers, Bertie and Danny.

Memorial contributions may be directed to Grinnell Regional Home Health Care.