



Diana Kay Keasling

October 27, 1950 - March 6, 2018

Diana Kay Keasling, 67, of Ottumwa and formerly of Agency, died Tuesday, March 6, 2018, at Ridgewood Specialty Care in Ottumwa. She was born Friday, October 27, 1950, in Fairfield, the daughter of Wilfered Dale and Dorothy Mae Hubbs Davis. She graduated from Pekin High School with the Class of 1968. She later received her bachelor's degree in sociology and psychology from Buena Vista. Diana worked for several years as a hair stylist. She also worked with mentally handicapped people for several years. While going to school, Diana worked in area restaurants. She was united in marriage to Richard Ryder and they later divorced. She then married Jeff Keasling and they later divorced. Diana enjoyed cooking, watching the Hallmark Channel and Christmas movies. She attended First Pentecostal Church in Ottumwa.

She is survived by her two sons: Wes (& Michelle) Ryder and Matt Keasling both of Ottumwa; three grandchildren: Kelsey Ryder, Benjamin (& Cassie) Ryder and Gage Ryder; a great granddaughter: Emma Ryder; a brother: Donald Davis of Rubio, Iowa; a sister-in-law: Lyndell (& Steve) Sheets of Des Moines and her niece: Cheri (& Scott) Estes of Des Moines and their families.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother: Jack Davis.

As was her wish, Diana's body has been cremated and a memorial service will

be held at a later date. Fremont Funeral Chapel is in charge of the arrangements. Memorials may be made to her family.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Diana was always so kind, loving, and caring. She always seemed to put others before herself, and I know my mom looked forward to and treasured their phone calls and visits. I will remember her smile and laugh. She will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with all of her family at this time.*

Linda Ehrenhard - March 09, 2018 at 04:49 PM

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“ *DIANA AND I SPENT A LOT TIME TOGETHER. EITHER IN HER TRAILER OUT ON RABIT RUN OR HER HOUSE ON BURN'S OR OUT IN AGENCY. SHE LOVED IT WHEN I BROUGHT MY GRAND BABIES TO SEE HER. THEY ALSO LOVED HER SO MUCH. WE TALKED MANY TIMES ON THE PHONE ABOUT THE LORD AND HOW HE IS COMING BACK SOON. LITTLE DID WE KNOW SHE WOULD GO TO BE WITH THE LORD SO YOUNG IN HER LIFE. I MISS HER LAUGH AND HER BIBLE KNOWLEDGE. REST IN PEACE WITH THE LORD UNTIL I GET HOME WITH THE LORD SEE YOU THERE MY FRIEND.*

DIXIE BLIZZARD - March 07, 2018 at 09:01 PM

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My deepest condolences to the family's. Dianna was a precious and beautiful friend in our lord Jesus Christ! She will be met with such glory in heaven! Dianna was a special friend holding everyone she knew in prayer. We talked and wrote to each other often. She was a true prayer warrior that will be missed by all those who knew her! God Bless, Billie Winn/Spicher and family.

Billie Winn/Spicher - March 07, 2018 at 10:29 PM

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“ So many I don't know where to start. Aunt Diney had a heart of gold. She spoiled me rotten when I was just a child. We shared so many laughs and put together so many puzzles with Grannie. I'm gonna miss her but know she is no longer in pain. Love you forever



Cheri Estes - March 07, 2018 at 08:13 PM