

Holly Powers, 31

April 1, 1972 - Oct. 21, 2003

HARLAN – Holly Ann Powers was born April 1, 1972, in Onawa, the daughter of Ronnie Powers and Juliet Gosch Powers. She attended school in Avoca, graduating with the class of 1990. Holly previously worked at CDS in Harlan, and West Telemarketing in Omaha, NE. She was currently studying to be a paralegal at Iowa Western Community College and was on the President's list. She did some writing and had her poem "Too Little, Too Late" published in the Literary magazine *Bella Donna*. Holly died at Jennie Edmondson Hospital Oct. 21, 2003, at age 31 years, six months and 20 days.

She was preceded in death her maternal grandfather, John E. Gosch, and paternal grandparents, Bud and Bonnie Powers. She is survived by her son, Teddy Stevens of Harlan; her mother, Juliet Powers of Hancock; her father, Ron Powers (Betty) of Harlan; three sisters, Jennifer (Jeff) Hernandez of Harlan; Cindy Maxwell and Julie Maxwell, both of Omaha; her brother, Philip Powers of Hancock; her maternal grandmother, Mabel Gosch of Whiting; step grandmother, Maxine Maxwell of Red Oak; and step grandfather, Francis Malcom of Coon Rapids; nieces and nephews, Danielle Hernandez, Nic Lane, Wynter Hernandez and Alex Bearden; and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Oct. 24, 2003, at the Pauley Knutson Funeral Chapel in Avoca, with Pastor Doug Durre officiating. Burial was in the Oak Hill Cemetery in Hancock. Casket bearers were Fred Griffin, Jeff Hernandez, Philip Powers, Adam Gosch, Julie Maxwell and Cindy Maxwell.