

## **Judith (Judy) Ann Hillers, 53**

**May 25, 1942 - Dec. 13, 1995**

**Harlan** - Judith (Judy) Ann Brandt Hillers, daughter of Harold and Frances Brandt, was born May 25, 1942 in Fremont, NE. She graduated from Hooper, NE high school and attended one year at Northwest Missouri State University, where she dated George Albert (Bert) Hillers.

Dec. 29, 1963 they were married. They resided in Kansas City, MO for three years and then moved to Harlan where they made their home for 29 years. She sold toys and Avon products for several years and eventually worked for AEA for 12 years as an audiometrist. She died Dec. 13, 1995 at age 53 years, six months and 18 days after four courageous years battling cancer. She enjoyed shopping and making time for edible "treats" with her children. Music boxes, the Statler Brothers and ice cream were some of her

favorite things. She also was a board member of Iowans for International Adoption for several years and looked forward to attending Korean culture camp and the retreat during the summers. She was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Harlan.

Her son, Nicholas, and brother, Larry Brandt, preceded her in death. Survivors include her husband, Bert Hillers of Harlan; her children, Kristi Kassebaum of Lincoln, NE; Kerri Palmer of Lake View; Sun Hee Hillers of Co. Bluffs and Kim Hillers of St. Paul, MN; a special son, Irv Jones of Harlan; six grandchildren; her parents, Harold and Frances Brandt of Wahoo, NE; her siblings and in-laws, Don (Jackie) Brandt of Blanchard, MI; Bob (Peg) Brandt of Wahoo, NE; Ted (Deb) Brandt of Kearney, NE and Marlys Brandt of Fremont, NE; nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 15, 1995 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Harlan with Pastor John Benson officiating. Casket bearers were Cody Brandt, Tony Brandt, Justin Brandt, Donnie Brandt and Jason Brandt. Burial was in the Harlan Cemetery. Burmeister Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.