

## Theresa Wright-Maness, 50

Sept. 4, 1960 - Dec. 13, 2010

**HARLAN** - Theresa June "Tee-Dee" Wright, daughter of Wilbur and Shirley (Granteer) Maness, was born on September 4, 1960 in Omaha, NE. She was baptized and confirmed at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Omaha. Theresa accomplished her dreams and aspirations in obtaining her Registered Nursing Associate Degree at Iowa Western Community College School of Nursing. This was the footstep in her career path towards helping others in need. Our beloved mother was always willing and able to help others no matter what it took. She had a deep compassion in caring for others. During her nursing career she overcame many obstacles and chal-



lenges in reaching out to others and touching the lives of many. Theresa was a proud mother of five children and their many accomplishments. Her eldest daughter Melonie Vore has achieved a Masters Degree in Public Administration and has served in the United States Military for twelve years. Her daughter Megan Aguilera has flourished in her career path and being happily married to her husband Jose for fifteen years. Her son James Davies has achieved a Masters Degree in Business Administration and has been married to his wife Christie for three years. Her youngest daughter Diamond has accomplished her Cosmology Licensure and is attending Massage Therapy School. Theresa's son Orin Wesley Wright III will be graduating High School this upcoming spring and plans to enlist in the United States Army. Theresa died on Monday, December 13, 2010 at her home in Harlan, having attained the age of fifty years, three months, and nine days.

She was preceded in death by her father. She is survived by her children: Melonie Vore of Bellevue, NE, Megan Aguilera of Phoenix, AZ, James Davies of Charleston, SC, Diamond Wright of Bellevue, and Orin Wesley Wright III of Harlan; seven grandchildren; her mother Shirley and her husband Donald Petersen of Harlan; brother Wilbur Maness of Wahoo, NE; and sisters: Tammy Moyer of Waterford, CT, Judy Alger of Uncasville, CT, and Debra Sharritts of Omaha; other family members and friends.

Rev. Merlene Ostebee officiated the 4:00 PM Memorial Service at Pauley Jones Funeral Home on Friday, December 17, 2010. A reception was held at the Therkildsen Center following the service.

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