Tina L. Young, age 52, of Galva, Iowa, died on June 1, 2008, at Buena Vista Regional Medical Center in Storm Lake, Iowa.

Tina Louise Willeford, the daughter of R.W. and Shirley (Ensley) Willeford, was born at Sioux Rapids, Iowa, on February 10, 1956. Tina lived her youth and received her education in the Sioux Rapids and Storm Lake communities.

On September 10, 1982, Tina was united in marriage to Brian Young at the Galva United Methodist Church and together they were privileged to raise three sons: Adam, Aric, and Barry. Tina was not raised on a farm but she enjoyed working along side Brian in their farming operation near Galva. She assisted with raising hogs and cattle, enjoyed driving tractor and helping with the harvest. Tina took pride in keeping the building sites painted and maintained and spent many hours mowing on their farmstead.

Tina was very gifted in doing all types of crafts. She crocheted many baby blankets, did artwork on plastic canvas, weaved yarn on lawn chairs, and did decoupage pictures. Tina had a very generous and giving heart and gave to others the crafts that she made. She had a deep and abiding love for her family and she cherished the times she could spend with her husband and sons and remembering the vacations they took together. Tina's granddaughter, Cassidy, and her mother, Shannon, held a special place in her heart and she loved spending time and communicating with them. Tina had served as a Cub Scout Den mother for nine years and enjoyed attending the Iowa State Fair, playing bingo, fishing, and socializing with her friends and family. Tina was a member of the Summit Evangelical Free Church of Alta where she used her talents in assisting with the powerpoint presentation during the worship services and programs.

Therefore, since we have been justified
through faith, we have peace with God
through our Lord Jesus Christ,
through whom we have gained access
by faith into this grace in which we now stand.
And we rejoice in the hope of the glory of God.

Not only so, but we also rejoice in our sufferings,
because we know that suffering produces perseverance,
perseverance, character, and character hope.
And hope does not disappoint us,
because God has poured out His love
into our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
whom He has given us.

Romans 5:1-5

Those who are grateful for having shared in Tina's life include her husband of 25 years, Brian, of Galva; her two sons: Aric of Ida Grove, Iowa and Barry of Galva; her granddaughter, Cassidy, Cassidy's mom, Shannon, and Grandpa Sherrard, all of Des Moines, Iowa; Tina's four brothers: John Willeford and his special friend, Sheryl, of Blue Rapids, Kansas; Bill Willeford and his special friend, Peggy Rench, of Alta, Iowa; Dennis and Dana Willeford of Lincoln, Nebraska; and Art Willeford of Spencer, Iowa; three sisters: Mary and Jim Klatt of Sioux Rapids, Iowa; Linda and Steve Hendrick of Arnolds Park, Iowa; and Penny Lee and her special friend, Craig Peters, of Storm Lake, Iowa; her father– and mother-in-law, James and Carolyn Young of Galva; her loving and supportive cousins, Glenda and Tom Struve of Rembrandt, Iowa; other relatives and a host of friends.

Tina was preceded in death by her parents; her son, Adam; and a special uncle, Don Ensley.

Throughout her battle with cancer, the hope, peace, and joy that Tina exemplified on a daily basis is a lasting testimony of her deep and abiding faith in her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

"For to me, to live is Christ, to die is gain." Philippians 1:2

"Well done thou good and faithful servant…enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." Matthew 25:21

IN MEMORY OF

Tina L. Young

February 10, 1956 — June 1, 2008

FUNERAL SERVICE

Wednesday, June 4, 2008 • 10:00 a.m.
Summit Evangelical Free Church — Alta, Iowa

CLERGY

Pastor Doug Corlew
Pastor Kevin Mahr — Pastor Grant Mangold

SPECIAL MUSIC

Luann Smith, Organist

Praise Team
Belinda Shea, Bruce and Jill Engleman, Dave Delbridge

Instrumentalists
Pastor Corlew, Julie Todd, Matt Skelton, Brittany Corlew
Dan Mangold, Steve Mangold, Jim Christensen

Hymns
"How Great Thou Art"
"Lord, Reign In Me"
"He Knows My Name"
"It Is Well"
"Today"

FLOWER ATTENDANTS

Cindy Joens, Lois Voge, Karyn Brophy
Jamie Botello, Gary and Deb Wanberg

CASKETBEARERS

Paul Clapp, Paul Voge, Warren Ehrp
Michael Young, Jamie Hughes, Barry Carlson

INTERMENT

Galva Township East Cemetery
Galva, Iowa

Arrangements by
Sliefert Funeral Homes
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Then He got into the boat and
His disciples followed Him.
Without warning, a furious storm
came up on the lake, so that the waves swept
over the boat. But Jesus was sleeping.
The disciples went and woke Him, saying,
"Lord, save us! We're going to drown!"
He replied, "You of little faith,
why are you so afraid?"
Then He got up and rebuked the wind
and the waves, and it was completely calm.

Matthew 8: 23—26

We wish to express our sincere gratitude for your many kindnesses evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at this service. You are invited to join us for lunch and a time of fellowship at the church following the burial.

Tina's Family

Celebrating A Special Life

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His Saints.
Psalm 116:15

Tina L. Young

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