



Lisa Nelson

February 14, 1961 - May 6, 2011

Lisa Ann Johnk was born on February 14, 1961 in Fargo, ND, the daughter of Jerome and Faye (Lyles) Johnk. She grew up and attended school in Page. After graduating from Page High School in 1979, she attended NDSU in Fargo.

On July 11, 1980, she married Terry Nelson in Page. They made their home on a farm two miles south of Page. Lisa and Terry farmed together and raised their family. Lisa was an animal lover; her dogs were also considered part of the family. She also worked part time at Natural Health and Chiropractic in Fargo for a number of years.

She was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Page where she served on the church council and was a member of WELCA and Parish Board. She also belonged to the School Parents group.

Lisa was an avid motorcyclist. She and Terry went on several rides both near and far. She participated in the first Fargo Marathon, running the half marathon. Her greatest joy was to watch her boys grow up. She loved to watch them participate in all of their activities.

She died Friday, May 6, 2011 at age 50 in her home, surrounded and cared for by her family with the help of Hospice of the Red River Valley.

Lisa is survived by her husband, Terry; sons, Nathan, Noah (Kara), and Nick all of Page; parents, Jerome and Faye Johnk of Page; brother, Brad (Sue) Johnk of Page; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her brother, Mike.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Our Savior Lutheran Church
Page, ND

Service

MAY 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

Our Savior Lutheran Church
Page, ND

Tribute Wall



“ Terry,
My most sincere and deepest sympathies.
(Krazy Dave Karaoke)##imported-begin##David
Prentice##imported-end##

May 12, 2011 at 04:02 PM



“ To Lisa's family, My sympathy to each of you.I had the privilege of helping your Mother and Wife when she shopped at Dayton's, Marshall Fields and Macys through the years. Lisa was one of those customers that I had over the years that were a joy to help, always friendly and fun to help, whether it was in kids when the boys were just little, mens or womens shoes for the wedding, it was always fun to see her smiling face. I will miss seeing once again.##imported-begin##Karen Schmidt##imported-end##

May 11, 2011 at 11:24 PM



“ The Punton family sends its deepest condolences to the Nelson family and hopes that Lisa will always be remembered##imported-begin##Alex and Kathryn Punton##imported-end##

May 11, 2011 at 09:41 AM



“ Terry and family,
Lauren and I are sorry we are unable to be there. We are keeping you in our prayers.
Take care,
Kellie Satrom##imported-begin##Kellie Satrom##imported-end##

May 10, 2011 at 12:39 PM



“ Lisa was an inspiration to everyone who had the pleasure of knowing her. It was so evident how much she loved her family. Her courage was amazing she continued to enjoy life while facing the fight of her life. The joy on her face while watching Nick play ball told the story of what was in her heart. My prayers and thoughts are with your family during this sad journey.##imported-begin##Rhonda Akers Young##imported-end##

May 09, 2011 at 08:57 PM



“ We were so sorry to hear about Lisa, She was wonderful person, always there for Nicks track meets. I loved visiting her at the meets, she'll be missed by many people.

May god bless you all in your sad time

Sincerely,

Todd, Cheryle, BreAnn, Chelsea and Chantelle

Benedict##imported-begin##Cheryle Benedict##imported-end##

May 09, 2011 at 02:46 PM



“ Noah, Kara and the Nelson family -
We were so sorry to hear of Lisa's passing. She was a very special person. May you be comforted with the assurance that she is resting with her Heavenly Father and free from the pain on earth.

Love,

Keith, Betsy and Shane##imported-begin##Keith, Betsy, and Shane

Knodel##imported-end##

May 09, 2011 at 10:03 AM



“ To Lisa's family - my deepest sympathy, please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Lisa was amazing. She has always inspired me, but the ultimate lesson was watching her handle her disease with truly amazing grace. She shared her strength with all who knew her. She will always be in my heart.

Cindy Hiam(Erickson)##imported-begin##Cindy
Johnson##imported-end##

May 08, 2011 at 11:56 PM