

Scott Carlsen, 31

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WASHINGTON, D.C. - Scott B. Carlsen, the son of Alan "Skip" and Jonne Carlsen was born Nov. 7, 1958, in Omaha, NE. He died Feb. 15, 1990 at Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, D.C., at age 31 years. In 1977, he graduated from high school in Worthington, MN. He then joined the U.S. Marine Corps., where his assignments included tours of duty in Okinawa, Japan, and as an embassy guard in Warsaw, Poland, and Paris, France, where he met his future wife, Theresa. After his discharge from the Marines in 1981, he earned a Bachelor's Degree in History and Economics at the University of South Dakota.

Oct. 2, 1982, he married Theresa Connors of Hertfordshire, England, in Vermillion, S.D. In May of 1989, they renewed their vows at Georgetown Lutheran Church in Washington, D.C. In 1986, they moved to Washington, D.C., where he was a special agent with the U.S. Department of States Bureau of Diplomatic Security. In addition to Washington, he had previously served in the Sudan and Bogata, Columbia. In addition to being a member of Georgetown Lutheran Church, he had several short stories published, and had contributed articles to neighborhood papers.

Surviving him in addition to his wife, Theresa of Washington, D.C., are his parents, Alan "Skip" and Jonne Carlsen of Harlan; two brothers, Jeff Carlsen of Geneva, IL., and Chris Carlsen of Maryville, MO; his paternal grandmother, Mildred Carlsen of Omaha; his maternal grandparents, Don and Mac Schroeder of Sun City, AZ., and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Feb. 20, 1990 at Georgetown Lutheran Church in Washington, D.C. Memorial services were held Feb. 24, 1990 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Harlan with Pastor Otto A. Zwanziger, officiating. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.