

## **Steven Keitel, 41**

**June 27, 1951 — Oct. 7, 1992**

**DAVENPORT** — Steven Henry Keitel, son of Henry and Alice (Green) Keitel was born June 27, 1951 in Davenport. He died Oct. 7, 1992, of a massive heart attack, at Mercy Hospital in Davenport at age 41 years, 3 months and 10 days. He was baptized at St. James Church in Toronto, IA., received First Holy Communion and was confirmed at St. James Church in DeWitt and also attended grade school there. He graduated from Central High School in DeWitt, attended St. Ambrose College in Davenport; 2 years and later graduated from Scott Community College in Bettendorf. He was employed as a field engineer for N.C.R., for 15 years.

Aug. 19, 1972, he married Mary Lou Goeser at St. Boniface Church in Westphalia. His memberships included church, and the Quad-City Computer Society. He had also been active in Dad's Club Association and had coached softball for many years.

He was preceded in death by his father, Henry, when he was 13 years old. Surviving are his wife, Mary Lou of Davenport and sons, Kenneth and Brian, both at home; his mother and step-father, Alice and Charles Lasock of Lost Nation; sisters, Mary Keitel-Wood, Omaha; Nancy Rutenbeck, Lost Nation; Sue Knight, Gainesville, FL.; Cathy Denard, Cedar Rapids; and brothers, Dennis, Coralville; Ron, Maquoketa; John, Oxford, Paul, DeWitt; Joe, Muscatine; and Jim, Lost Nation; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was Oct. 10, 1992 at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church with Fr. Jerry Lastey as celebrant and Fr. Bill Reynolds of Lost Nation, co-celebrant. Burial was at Davenport Memorial cemetery. Casketbearers were Steve's six brothers, Dennis, Ron, Paul, John, Joe and Jim. Runge Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.