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Michael Long, 30

Aug. 14, 1970 – Sept. 29, 2000

WALNUT – Michael Dell Long was born Aug. 14, 1970, in Marshalltown, the son of Larry and Jacqueline Daniels Long. He was one of four children in the family. He attended school in Shelby, and later received is GED. He drove a truck for a living. Michael, along with his daughter, Ashlie, died Sept. 29, 2000, as the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident at age 30 years, one month and 15 days.

He was preceded in death by his son, Scott Long. He is survived by his parents, Larry and Jacqueline Long of Shelby; children, Anthony and Brandon Carlson of Walnut; his sister, Tami Bowen of Shelby; and his brothers, Jeff Long (Lana) of Walnut and Aaron Long (Liane) of Garner; his maternal grandparents, Bob and Jean Brasch of Marshalltown; and his paternal grandparents, Charles and Marylouise Long, also of Marshalltown; and his special friend, Renee Tichota, and her daughter, Shelby, of Atlantic; aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Oct. 4, 2000, at Calvary Baptist Church, Walnut, with Pastor Paul Hutchins officiating. Burial was in the Walnut Cemetery. Casket bearers were Jeff Long, Aaron Long, Ryan Long, John Houston, Greg Wood, Donnie Butcher, Matt Williamson and Phil Merkle. Knutson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.