

Steven R. Pralle

July 12, 2005

Steven R. Pralle, 47, of Latimer, died on Saturday, July 9, 2005, at the Franklin General Hospital in Hampton.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, July 15, at 10:30 a.m., at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Latimer, with Pastor Marvin Lorenz officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Visitation will be held on Thursday from 5-7:00 p.m., at St. Paul's Lutheran and one hour prior to services at the church.

Steven Roy, son of Roy William and Mary Ellen (Borcherding) Pralle, was born on May 30, 1958 in Hampton. He graduated from the CAL Community School in 1976.

He was confirmed at St. Paul's in 1972 and was a life long member. He served as head usher, a trustee, and was on the finance committee. On December 28, 1985 he married Sara Wolken at St. Paul's.

Steve worked in construction and at the Coulter elevator. He then started farming and raised his family. He was a member of Farm Bureau and the Latimer Fire Department for 22 years, serving as chief for five years. He enjoyed camping and spending time with his family and friends. Steve always said "Pralle family fun day is Sunday not Monday!"

He was preceded in death by his grandparents; and sister, Laurie.

Steve is survived by his wife; his parents; daughters, Leslie, Angela and Michelle, all of Latimer; sisters, Nancy (Steve) Junge of Johnston, Susan (Dave) Hanson of Lamont, Kathie McGinnis of Johnston, Rhonda (Gene) Yee of Boyton Beach, Florida, Linda (Rob) Dietz of Dows and Karen (Todd) Christensen of Urbandale.