



Heidi S. Soderstrom Barber

August 23, 1961 - April 17, 2011

Heidi Sharon Soderstrom Barber, 49, of Fond du Lac, left this earth to go home to Heaven on Sunday, April 17, 2011, at Agnesian HealthCare Hospice Home of Hope, Fond du Lac. She was born on August 23, 1961, in Kalispell, Montana, the daughter of Bob and Joyce Soderstrom. Heidi graduated from St. Mary Springs High School, Fond du Lac, in 1979. While raising her family, she enjoyed many vacations and traveling excursions. Her joy came from spending time with her children and grandchildren. She will be remembered for her love of family and her strength in picking herself up when health issues knocked her down. Heidi was a member of Holy Family Catholic Community. She is survived by three sons: Garland (Samantha) Barber of Fond du Lac and their three children: Lillian, Aurora, and Gabriel, Grant Barber of Madison, and Garrett Barber of Fond du Lac; her mother, Joyce Soderstrom of Fond du Lac; her father, Bob (Arlene) Soderstrom of Kalispell, Montana; two sisters, Sharmen Soderstrom of Mesa, Arizona, and Shelly Soderstrom of Milwaukee; her maternal grandmother, Fern Olson of Sioux Falls, South Dakota; her former husband, Russell T. Barber of Fond du Lac; and a niece, nephews, other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her brother, John Soderstrom; maternal grandfather, Nobel Olson; and her paternal grandparents, John (Susie) Soderstrom. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 20, 2011, at St. Mary Catholic Church of Holy Family Parish, 59 E. Merrill Avenue, Fond du Lac, with Rev. Luke Strand officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed

to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place,
Memphis, TN 38105.

Tribute Wall

JS

“ *May your hearts heal and I send you all my love.*

Jessica Smidt - April 20, 2011 at 07:11 PM

TE

“ *Heidi will be greatly missed but her memory will be in our hearts forever. Love, Tracey, Nathan(Jessica), Nicholas(Melanie), Kourtney and Kaiden Soderstrom*

Tracey England - April 20, 2011 at 04:22 PM

DS

“ *Joyce, Sharmen, Shelly, Garland, Grant & Garrett, My deepest sympathy & prayers go out to the Soderstrom and Barber families. I am sorry I was unable to make it to Wisconsin to pay my respects to Heidi & to spend time with all of you at this sad time. Peace & Love, Diane*

Diane C. Smidt - April 20, 2011 at 11:53 AM

JS

“ *Heidi S. Soderstrom Barber*

Julie Smidt - April 20, 2011 at 11:34 AM

JG

“ Heidi was my cousin who I have such fond memories of her. All the family gatherings in Sioux Falls at Grandma O's house when the Soderstroms would visit with Smidt clan & Olson crew which were priceless & family fun for all. We never missed our annual trips to WI to see Aunt Joyce & Soderstrom family in Fond Du Lac. Heidi always had a comb to make sure her beautiful sunny kissed hair looked good. Her laugh with the cough was unforgettable and infectious. Heidi's biggest pride and joy was her boys Garland, Grant & Garrett. Heidi you will be missed by all, because your kind heart touched all who knew you and loved you.

Jayne Smidt Grohmann - April 20, 2011 at 10:20 AM

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Diane C. Smidt of Sioux Falls, SD - April 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ I went to school with Heidi from Grade school through High School in Fond Du Lac. We had many great times together, she had the prettiest color hair and eyes, always was kind to everyone she saw. Rest in Peace Heidi, you always were an angel.

kathie hatch - April 19, 2011 at 01:36 PM

MA

“ My condolences on your loss. Mary Ahern, SMS '77

Mary Ahern - April 19, 2011 at 12:47 PM

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Mary Ahern of Pleasant Hill, CA - April 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM