

Brining, Kathryn

Kathryn Anne Brining, 23, of Bad Axe, passed away from complications of Muscular Dystrophy Tuesday evening, Dec. 10, 2002, at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw. She was born May 16, 1979 in Bad Axe to Douglas and Janis (Simmons) Brining. Kathryn touched people's lives in a special way. She spoke with her eyes to the people who knew her. She attended Our Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church. She was a student at Bad Axe Junior High School and the Transition House of Huron Intermediate School District. Kathryn enjoyed her stuffed animals, watching birds, and spending time with her family and friends. Kathryn is survived by her parents, Douglas and Janis Brining; one sister, Jennifer Hamilton and her husband, Dan, of Cincinnati, Ohio; two brothers, Mark Brining of Madison Heights and Drew Brining of Bad Axe; grandparents, Bill and Evelyn Stone of Caro, Ruth Simmons of Caro, Harold and Peggy Simmons of Caro; two nieces, Grace Kathryn Hamilton and Olivia Ruth Hamilton of Cincinnati, Ohio; special caregiver and friend, Doreen Zdrojewski; aunts and uncles, Denise and Bob Clarke of Eaton Rapids, Nancy and Jim Lukey of Okemos, and Robert Brining of Clio; cousins, Theresa, John and his wife, Lillian, Geoffrey and his wife, Laura, Leigh, Joseph and Alex Clarke, Ben and his wife, Natalia, and Jolene Lukey. She was preceded in death by her grandfather, William Brining. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 14, 2002, at Our Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church in Bad Axe. The Rev. Kenneth Lueke will officiate. Burial will be in Colfax Cemetery. Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. tonight, from 1 to 9 p.m. on Friday, and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday at MacAlpine Funeral Home in Bad Axe. Memorials may be offered to Our Savior Lutheran Evangelical Church Building Fund, Huron Memorial Foundation, or the Muscular Dystrophy Association.