



## Lisa Shipley

January 7, 1989 - November 25, 2006

Lisa Renae Shipley, 17, Steele, North Dakota, died November 25, 2006, as a result of a motor vehicle accident near Binford. Funeral services will be held on Thursday at 2:00 PM at the Steele Dawson High School Gym with Rev. Alan Steier, Rev. Paul Nather, and Dr. Gordon Stork officiating. Burial will be at Woodlawn Cemetery in Steele. Visitation will be held Tuesday from 2:00 - 9:00 PM and Wednesday from 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM at Parkway Funeral Service, 2330 Tyler Parkway, Bismarck, where sharing and a prayer service will be held at 7:30 PM on Wednesday. Visitation will continue one hour prior to the service at the school. Lisa was born on January 7, 1989, in Bismarck, the daughter of Mark and Jackie Wagner Shipley. She grew up on a dairy farm north of Steele. Lisa was a senior at Steele Dawson High School. Lisa was active in the youth ministry at Century Baptist Church in Bismarck and loved the Lord and served Him daily. She recently traveled to New Orleans with the church youth group for hurricane Katrina relief. Lisa always had a smile on her face that would brighten a room. She radiated an incredible spirit of life that energized others to fulfill their desires. She was very excited about being a senior and anticipated an exciting future, working ambitiously on many projects preparing her for college. Lisa lived every day of life to its fullest. She will be deeply missed by her family and friends but will always be with us in spirit. Lisa is survived by her parents, Mark and Jackie Shipley of Steele; her brother, Nathan of Fargo, and his fiancée, Salena Gransee of Sanborn, Minnesota; her brother, Joel and her sister, Naomi, both at home; her

grandparents, Charles and Tillie Shipley of Steele, Marlene Wagner of Bismarck; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. She was preceded in death by her grandpa, Emil Wagner.

# Tribute Wall

VO

“ Lisa always reminded me of a Precious Moments doll - such a lovely young woman. She'll be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Love, Aunt Vye

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**Violet Olson** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ shipley family, I'm sorry about your loss. She was a great friend, and classmate. You guys should be so proud that you raised a great young lady like Lisa. Lisa would all ways come to school with this big smile on her and she always had something to say to all of us. In study hall she would tell us how she redid her room and she had to draw us a picture so we know where ever thing was. Lisa all ways told us that she wanted to be a princess and know you are the princess up in heaven and you can wear the crown of our choose Lisa. Lisa once told me that if I had find a guy that did not just care about his self or ask dum questions that I was to tell her so she could meet him well Lisa I will still tell you when I find that special someone . Lisa Renae Shipley will all ways be remmbered in our class it will not be the same with out her. We miss her alot. Love always, Shirley Nicole Six '07

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**Shirley Nicole Six** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ I miss Lisa deeply like many others, its not easy to accept that such an amazing person was taken from us. But thats the part where we need to trust God, this was best, im not trying to make little of it, but God doesnt make mistakes, her death was not a mistake. I dont know why he did it, we may never know, all i do know is that he is just and true, and Lisa is running with the angels on streets made of gold. Her death has already brought me and her friends closer together, and me so much closer to God. I remember the night she died, i stayed up all night bagging God to take me instead, I'd give anything for her back, even my life. I kept asking why, i couldnt understand. Me and her were gonna be together, she told me so many things, she was my reason to live. Now shes gone. And shes still my reason to live, Lisa you inspire me, i keep the memories of us close to my heart. I'm so sorry we never had the chance to be together like we were planning, but i will see you again. Enjoy your stay in Heaven with the King of Kings, im gonna miss you but i rejoice for you have made it to heaven, and you fully deserve that. Thank you for inspiring me. For now i still have the river, and i can still walk along the same path we did, and visit the same spots we did. See you soon.

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**Matt Dockter** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Denise Turpin** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Shipley Family: We were so sorry to hear of the loss of Lisa. May the Lord comfort you in this time of great sorrow and grief. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We have heard many wonderful things about Lisa, including her deep faith and relationship with the Lord. That is such a blessed hope as we know that you will one day be reunited with her.*

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**Steven & Gretchen Bitz** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Our most heartfelt prayers go out to Mark, Jackie and their family. We were so sorry to hear of your loss.*

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**Lorry and Jody Barnick** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *FAMILY OF LISA, THERE ARE NO WORDS TO EXPRESS HOW SORRY I AM TO HEAR OF THE LOSS OF YOUR DAUGHTER. MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY IN THIS TIME OF SADNESS. GOD BLESS. WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY, SHELLY*

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**SHELLY KALAINOV BUEHLER** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *Dear Mark and Jackie, our hearts are broken for you. We are praying for the Lord to hold you and comfort you as only He can. We rely on the knowledge that we will see Lisa again. We will keep praying for you. In Christ, Don and Sue*

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**Don and Sue Kleinsasser** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ To Lisa's Family: I had the honor of being Lisa's STEM Short-Term Evangelical Missions Team Leader to the Gulf Coast this summer. Lisa was very special to me on that team. Lisa was one of the girls on the team that really stuck out to me. She had a passion for life...she knew the Lord...and I felt there was just so much beauty in what God was doing in her and through her. In the 1 week I knew Lisa...I saw Jesus in her and moving through her and she blessed me so much. There was a maturity about her that was different - love was coming out of her as I saw her serve with all her heart. Sometimes I'd find her serving so quietly and humbly...completely for the Lord - beautiful. God really used her so beautifully. I loved the way she loved her brother Joel...she really loved him and it blessed me to see their brother/sister relationship. Joel - you're awesome...I pray the Lord is really holding you in this time. Bless you family...our prayers are with you here at STEM. In Jesus, Katie LePage

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**Katie LePage** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Mark, Jackie and family, We think back to "little Lisa" as we used to call her as a toddler, and realize only in size was she little, for she always had a huge heart and abundant love. Even as a little girl she loved to crawl on laps and give hugs, and we don't remember her without a smile. Those things never changed for even as a young woman she was still full of love, giving hugs, and always smiles. She was considering mission work--all of us who knew her were her mission field, for she has left none of us unchanged. She wanted to be a princess---she was--and is--for she is now living in a mansion, with streets of gold, gates of pearl, and sitting in the court of the King of Kings!!! Take comfort in knowing that your little girls spent her life serving God and others. We love her and will see her again.

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**John, Laura and Ike** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. Lisa was an inspiration to others and touch the lives of many people. She is a special angel watching and guiding you. May the comfort of the Lord see you through this journey.

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**Antoinette Heier** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ We are truly so sorry to hear of the death of your daughter. We can't even begin to comprehend what you must be feeling! I know your faith will carry you both through this, but those valleys and this is a BIG valley we go through as Christians doesn't make them any easier. You are being remembered in prayer and our thoughts will remain with you.

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**Gloria & Dean Steichen** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Dear Lisa Shipley Family: Our thoughts & prayers go out to you at this time of need. I can't imagine the pain you are enduring. Remember the good memories and that you had a wonderful daughter that was kind to everyone. Also, hoping that in time you will find some way to keep your faith and know that GOD evidently has another plan for Lisa in Heaven.

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**David Flath Family** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Our sincerest thoughts and prayers are with Mark, Jackie, and family. Although I didn't know Lisa as well as some of my older cousins she will be greatly missed.

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**Jon Hockhalter** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Lisa was a great person, she always lived life to the fullest and didn't try to be like the rest of the world. Lisa was a great christian and I know she is in a better place. Lisa was always trying to bring people to the lord and was kind to everybody. Lisa will be remembered by all who knew her, and hopefully all who knew her will get to see her again someday. Julia Dee Scherbenske

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**Julia Scherbenske** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Shipley Family: I'm sorry to hear about Lisa's passing. My heart goes out to you, as this must be a very trying time. I met Lisa this past year on the forth of July, and can remember what a beautiful spirit she had in her. I pray that God will bring you peace and comfort in this time of need. I pray also that God will provide you with hope knowing that, in Christ, you will meet again. Sincerely, Stephanie Bitz

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**Stephanie Bitz** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ mark,jackie and family, we saw Lisa's obit in the paper and feltthat you should know that you have our deepest sympathy. One knows that nothing can be said to ease your heartache but you are all in our thoughtsand prayers just the same. I was one ofgary's friends in college and we try to keep in touch with them so if you don'tremember me from back then,Jackie youmight remember mariann and me at matt'swedding. We both think you and mark have a great family,so friendly. Also, anyone who milks for a living has my respect. that ain't easy. 30 years experience talking So please know, so many others are thinking of you during this time and keeping all of you in our prayers.

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**jeff,Mariann Schaeffer** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ We were in EMT class with Lisa and will miss her. We are praying for you and your family. Love In Christ, Marvin & Gail Nerby

Marvin & Gail Nerby - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ Shipley Family, I was the EMT at the scene of the accident. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. I wish I could have met Lisa as she sounds like a beautiful person.

Amy Andel - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NI

“ Lisa was a very special person to me and to everyone else. i looked up to her and i still do, even though shes not here with us, i will always remember her as a friend. since her death, its drawn me closer to The Lord. and made me see life in a different way. like i never expected. theres so many words to say, but for now ill keep them to me. untill i see her again. I am keeping you in my prayers.

Nita - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ Lisa Renae was a big part in my life. She always had something to give. She always proud and added smile to the room. If anyone was feeling down, she would be right there helping bring them up. She would laugh and smile every week, day, and hour. Lisa was always one step ahead of herself. She was into pretty much everything there was to be in; school, Student Coucil, Drama, Online College Credits, EMT-B Class, Youth Group, and the list goes on. She was greatly looking forward to graduating from high school, and becoming an EMT Basic. Lisa was always trying to follow God. She wanted to take a mission trip to Sudan, Africa this next summer. She was planning and planning and planning for it. I feel, that even though she was not able to go on that mission, that she was a missionary for us all. She was here for us and helping us through tuff times. Lisa always talked about how great God was, and all that he has done for us. At least we can all rest asured that she is up there resting in the palm of Gods hands. And that she is watching over us and will always be right beside us through tuff times. May God be with her, and also with you. Tyler DeKrey

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**Tyler DeKrey** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NI

“ Dear Shipley Family, I am so sorry for your loss, i know Lisa was a very special person. She was a very good Role Model in our school, and we will miss her smile and kindness. She was a nice, sweet and funny person. She will never be forgotton. I understand that she was a bright person in your family. i know Joel form school and it seems that when they see eachother its like they first met, they would get along so good. I will continue to keep your family in my prayers.

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**Nita** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Just wanted to let you know I am praying for your family. My brother is Randy Schmor, head of Gateway Teams who organized the Katrina Relief mission trip Lisa was on. He passed on a prayer request for your family to me. May God fill you with the peace beyond understanding that He promises to His children.

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**Kelly Fehr** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Mark, Jackie, and family, Our deepest sympathies. May the grace of God be poured out richly on you during this difficult time of loss. Our prayers are with you. John & Donna Stolz

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**John & Donna Stolz** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ For the family of Lisa Shipley: Lisa will be missed by friends and an entire conference of churches and members. She was a model of commitment and missions for the rest of us. You have an assurance of prayer from the conference staff in Chicago as you struggle with finding help in this tragedy. God bless you in the difficult future. My wife and I also lost a young daughter and know how difficult the loss can be. Gordon and Joyce Harris

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**Dr. J. Gordon Harris** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Dear Aunt Tillie, Uncle Charles and Mark and Jackie, I was so saddened to hear about Lisa. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Karen Pfeifer Matthews** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Jackie, Mark / Family and MarleneAlthough several years have passed and we have not had much contact, please know our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.Les and Debbie Wagner

Les and Debbie Wagner - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Lisa was a great classmate and I am going to miss her very much. She will always be in my heart.

Kezia Schnabel - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Sally and Tim Wagner - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ My thoughts are with you and your family at this time.God Bless you.

Paula Loegering - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Sorry to hear of the loss of Lisa. May God comfort you in this time of sorrow. My thoughts and prayers are with you.Dr. Debbie

Debbie Schoepp - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ I went on the mission trip with Lisa to Louisiana. I don't think I ever saw her in that entire time without a smile on her face or an encouraging word, even in the heat and with the hard work. She had a passion for doing Gods work and she did it with a cheerful heart. I will miss her smiling face at church every week and her jokes for Pastor Paul. She was a very special girl and I can't wait until we can all be together again in heaven.

Chelsea Nygaard - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ We will always rember you lisa. you are in good hands you friend  
Jeff Rohrich

Jeff - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ lisa was an awesome friend to everyone. even if they didn't like her, she would be kind to them. i looked up to her, and admired her. i have always wanted to be like her because she loved the lord, and without questoun. i am praying for her family in this time of need. she may be gone, but her spirit lives on, in all of us.

Bethany Schatz - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.Love Debbie Wagner-Brannan

Debbie Wagner-Brannan - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KE

“ Thinking of you and praying that you will find comfort at this difficult time.

Kari Enzminger - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Sorry to hear about the loss your family has suffered. I cant image the pain you are going through. my prayers will be with your family  
Deven Moser

Deven Moser - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TO

“ Lisa was a truely amazing woman. We loved having her at the Outlet this summer and getting to know her. She always brought an excitement and new perspective to our small group discussions!The Bible says in Isaiah 43:2-3"When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;and when you pass through the rivers,they will not sweep you over.When you walk through the fire,you wil not be burned;the flames wil not set you ablaze.For I am the Lord, your God,the Holy One of Israel, your Savior..."Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. The Outlet Family

The Outlet - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ I will always remember Lisa even though we were not real close friends. The way she was always happy and always knew how to make people feel better. She was the nicest most considerate person I have ever know. I will alway remember her for the good things she has done.

Tara - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WE

“ Lisa, you are finally home with the Lord. Say "Hi" to the Lord from those of us still stuck here on earth. We all will miss your smiling face and upbeat personality. I will especially miss your hugs. See you later.Wes

Wes - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ My wife Joanne are deeply touched and sadden. It brings back heart felt tears and pain from the loss of our Daughter Dianna 11/19/92 in a auto accident. Dianna was 16. Although we had never had the pleasure of meeting Liza. She appears to be another beautiful child taken home early in life. Our thoughts and prayers are with Mark, Jackie and the family. Only the Lord can fill the emptiness left by Liza's departure. Hold true to your faith and He will provide you with peace and comfort. He will restore your joy... He has for us. Let us take comfort and remember the great joy Liza brought to all during her short stay here on earth. May God Bless you all. Rick and Joanne

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**Richard Wagner** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Dear Mark and Jackie, Our hearts are grieving with you. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Brad and Heidi, Robert, Tovey, and Rachael

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**Brad and Heidi Mitchell & Family** - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM