Tonya Eve Blakeman passed away on October 22, 2014, in Billings, MT.

Tonya was born on July 28, 1969, in Rapid City, SD to parents Dallas Duaine and Jeanette Marie Hendrix Blakeman. Tonya was preceded in death by her sister Dawn Marie and her grandparents. She is survived by her parents; Jeanette Bennett of Dayton, WY, and Dallas (Marie) Blakeman of Hancock, MI, her stepfather John (Melba) Bennett of Sheridan, WY, her children; Jackson Bennett Maronick and Amanda Marie Maronick, and their father, John S. Maronick, her sisters; Debra Cole and her daughter Miranda Cole, and Denise (Scott) Gillenwater, and their children Tony Gillenwater, David Blakeman, Taffany (Joel) Hanson, Justin Gillenwater, and Sean Gillenwater, her step siblings, Donna Roberts, John Robert Bennett, Christopher Bennett, and Allan Bennett.

Tonya enjoyed reading, writing, painting, and collecting paintings. She also enjoyed her trip to Frankfurt, Germany, and her vacation to Mazatlan, Mexico, with her family. She loved animals, spending time with her family, and was loving toward her children and friends, including her dear friends, Sheryl Miller and Sheri Reed as well as a host of cousins and friends.

Tonya Blakeman

July 28, 1969 - October 22, 2014

GOD SAW

God saw she was getting tired
And a cure was not to be,
So he put His arms around her
And whispered, "Come with Me."

With tearful eyes we watched her suffer
And saw her fade away.
Although we loved her dearly
We could not make her stay.

A golden heart stopped beating
Hard working hands to rest,
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.

In Loving Memory Of
Tonya Eve Blakeman

CELEBRATION OF LIFE
Saturday, November 1, 2014, at 1:00 pm
Dayton Community Hall

OFFICIATING
Granger Logan

SHARING TIME
By Family and Friends

Memorials to honor Tonya can be made to
Maronick Children's Fund,
First Interstate Bank, % Jenny Epperson
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