



## Peggy Jo Lahart Rogers

September 30, 1954 - January 15, 2008

Peggy Jo (Chidester) Lahart Rogers, age 53, of Ottumwa and formerly of Albia died Tuesday, January 15, 2008 at the Hospice House in Ottumwa, Iowa.

Peggy was born September 30, 1954 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Ottumwa, Iowa, to Edward Forrest and Norma Jean (Morgan) Chidester. Peggy graduated from Albia High School, class of 1972. After High School Peggy worked at Bankers Life Company in Des Moines, she also worked at Everco in Ottumwa for nineteen years, and went to Indian Hills Community College night classes and received her AA Degree. After Everco closed Peggy attended Buena Vista College, receiving a certificate in computers. Peggy later worked for the Monroe County Extension Office in Albia.

Peggy married Gary Lahart and to this union two children were born Callie and Stephen. They later divorced and Peggy married Bob Rogers, they divorced and Peggy began a companionship with Andy Davis.

Peggy enjoyed spending time with her family, traveling, camping, bicycling, crafts, and working with children through 4-H and the extension office.

Peggy is survived by her companion Andrew Davis of Ottumwa; her children, Callie and her husband Rich Johnson of Ottumwa, and Stephen Lahart of Ottumwa; two grandsons, Joey and Blake; her father Edward F. Chidester, two brothers Dale Chidester and wife Vicki of Austin, MN, and Ronnie Chidester and Annie Chwalek of Albia; two sisters Kathy Lientz of Austin, MN, and Karin and husband Larry M. Jackson of Richmond, Texas. Peggy is also survived by

several nieces and nephews.

Peggy is preceded in death by her mother, Norma Jean; one niece Shana Jean Lientz, and her grandparents Tom and Lorena Morgan and Dewey and Blanche Chidester.

Funeral service will be held at 10:30A.M., Friday, January 18, 2008, at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Albia with Hospice Chaplin Kate Stangl officiating. Burial will follow the services at Oak View Cemetery in Albia.

Visitation will begin at 9:00 A.M., Thursday, January 17th, at the Winfield Funeral Home in Albia. Peggy's family will be present from 6 to 8:00 P.M., Thursday evening.

Memorials may be given to the family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Peggy Jo Lahart Rogers*

January 30, 2023 at 05:06 AM



“ *Peggy Jo Lahart Rogers*

January 30, 2023 at 02:53 AM



“ *To Callie, Andy and all the family,  
I had the pleasure of knowing and calling Peggy my friend. Just knowing Peggy made me a better person. She had the most wonderful outlook on life. I quote her at times because she always knew what to say and how to help others. I have so many fond memories of Peggy. God broke the mold when he made her. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

*Sincerely,  
Linda Slaymaker*

**Linda Slaymaker** - January 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ God be with all the family,during this time of sorrow,sorry we could not be there.

Jerry and Mary DeGroot

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**mary and jerry Degroot** - January 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Callie and family,  
I am so sorry to hear about your Mom. She was a wonderful person and I am so glad that I got to know her personally. I always enjoyed her. I know what you are going through and if there is anything that I can do to ease your pain I would. If you ever need to talk or share stories please call me 815-712-4574 or email at joyplackett@hotmail.com. Wish there was more I can do. Just Joy

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**Joy Plackett (Stringfellow** - January 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I love you Aunt Peggy and will miss you so much.  
Callie, Stephen, Joey, and Blake, I am praying for you and want you  
to know that you can reach me for anything.  
I love you all and apologise that I cannot be there.  
Love, Becky*

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**Becky Schmitter (Rogers)** - January 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM