



**Ed Trout**

ELDON-Edward William Trout, 44, of 10140 Floris Rd., went to his heavenly home at 3:26 p.m. March 26, 2015 after a courageous battle with cancer at Hospice House in Ottumwa.

He was born October 22, 1970 in Ottumwa to William "Bill" Eugene and Lynne K. Kemp Trout Jr. He married Nicole Covert on May 17, 1997.

A 1989 graduate of Cardinal High School, Ed graduated from Indian Hills Community College in 1990 with a degree in Auto Body Tech. He worked for the

City of Eldon, for Fesler Auto Mall, and Clemons Inc. He worked for 15 years at John Deere Ottumwa Works in the paint line Dept. 27 and loading dock Dept. 35.

He was a member of Living Hope Bible Church in Eldon and Local #74 and he enjoyed watching drag racing at the Eddyville Raceway.

Surviving is his wife, Nicole; two daughters, Kristian and McKenzie; step-sister, Tracy Petersen of Ankeny; step-brother, Mike Neubauer of Amston, CT; his mother-in-law and father-in-law, Betty and Bill Covert; several aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; step-father, Floyd Neubauer; grandparents, Vera and Archie Durham, Beulah and Edward Kemp, and Bill Trout Sr.

His body has been cremated.

Memorial services will be 1 p.m. Friday, April 3, 2015 at Living Hope Bible Church with Pastor Dave Albert officiating. Inurnment will be in Bethlehem Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the family for his daughters' education or to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Reece Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.