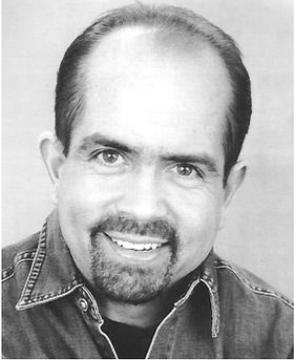


Daniel Lee Jr.



Daniel Sander Lee, Jr., was born July 17, 1960, in Fargo, North Dakota, the son of Pauline and the late Daniel S. Lee of Gwinner, North Dakota, and died peacefully on March 27, 2011, in Roseville, MN. He spent his childhood years in Gwinner and graduated from North Sargent High School. At age ten, Dan was stricken with acute kidney disease and underwent the first of four kidney transplants throughout his lifetime. Dan graduated from Concordia College, Moorhead, MN, with a double major in

communications and business and from North Dakota State University, Fargo, with a degree in pharmacy. He worked as a registered pharmacist in the Twin Cities area.

In spite of difficult medical challenges, Dan lived his life to the fullest. While in high school, he became involved with theater productions, participating in the state championship one-act play where he received the outstanding actor award for the state of North Dakota. He went on to establish the North Dakota award winning Gwinner Junior Players, a children's theater that has introduced young people to drama performance for over 30 years. Dan was active in theater roles throughout his college and adult years. As a member of the Screen Actors Guild he performed in many commercials and in a movie that premiered at Cannes Film Festival and the Sundance Film Festival. Dan enjoyed other artistic endeavors; he was talented and creative at pottery, jewelry making and glasswork. Dan was a member of the Roseville Arts Association and St. Michael's Lutheran Church, where he had served on the church board and sang in the choir. Dan's strong Christian faith sustained and uplifted him his entire life. Dan is survived by his mother, Pauline Lee, of Gwinner, ND, and four sisters, Sandra Chapin (Bo), of Brush, CO, Mary Edman (John) of Gwinner, ND, Paula Miller (Michael) of Frankfurt, IL, and Marva Fairchild (Tim) of EGF, MN. He is also survived by his nieces and nephews, Ned Chapin (Trin), Laura Edman, Amy Swanson (Matt), Mara Edman, Nathaniel Miller (Kate), Melinda Randolph (Dennis), Rita Fairchild, and Alexandra Fairchild, and many friends. He was preceded in death by his father Daniel S. Lee and his nephew Charles Fairchild.

Memorial Service Saturday, 10:30AM, at Gustaf Adolf Lutheran

Church, 207 1st St. SE, Gwinner, ND, with **visitation** one hour prior to the service. **Interment** will be in Gwinner Cemetery. Memorials preferred to Gustaf Adolf Lutheran Church, Gwinner Jr. Players or Rezek House for the Homeless. Arrangements by Armstrong Funeral Home, Lisbon, ND.