Family

Death

William Siruta

William 'Bill' Siruta, 57, born and raised in Colby, died Wednesday, March 19, 2008, at his residence in Midland, Texas.

Survivors include wife, Marilyn of Midland; son, B.J. Siruta of Midland; daughter, Alicia Johnson of San Antonio; son, Josh Siruta of Midland; daughter, Sara Cipriani of Midland; and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers and one

A rosary will be held at 7 p.m., Sunday, at Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home & Crematory, 3800 N. Big Spring St., Midland, Texas 79710.

Services will be held at 11 a.m., Monday, at St. Stephen's Catholic Church in Midland with Father James Bridges officiating.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Midland. Online condolences can be made at: www.npwelch.com

Katie N. (Smith) Nichols

day, Jan. 21, 2008.

May 5, 1916, to George and Sara (Linscott) Smith in Wallace Coun-

Mrs. Nichols attended rural elementary school in Wallace and graduated high school in Winona. She married Merlin Elda Nich-

ols Oct. 3, 1941, in Colby. The couple began farming south of Levant. In 1946 they moved to a farm between Trenton and Culbertson, Neb., where they lived for 62 years.

She attended Culbertson United Methodist Church and was active in the United Methodist Women's

Survivors include husband, Merlin; sons, Jay and wife Shirley

Katie Neola (Smith) Nichols, of Shawnee; Jerry and wife Rhon-91, formerly of Colby, died Mon- da of Winona, Paul and wife Mary of Culbertson, Dennis and wife She was born in a sod house, Cathy of Culbertson; daughter, Carolyn and husband Dana Parker of Rapid City, S.D.; 15 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and other relatives.

> Katie was preceded in death by her parents; four brothers, Neil, Mel, Cliff and Floyd; three sisters, Carrie Whiteford, Georgia Eaton and Marjorie Smith.

> Services were held Jan. 26, 2008, at Trinity United Methodist Church in Culbertson. The Rev. Richard Melano officiated. Interment was in Culberston Cemetery. Memorials may be made in her name to the Herrman Funeral Chapel, 302 W. B St., Trenton, Neb., 69044.

Golden Plains School announce honor roll

Honor Roll 3rd quarter

Superintendent List: grade 12: Andrew Broeckelman, Caitlyn Moss; grade 11: Tanner Moss; grade 10: Isaac Broeckelman, Jonathan Broeckelman, Shaun Gilbert; grade 9: Lucas Phillips. Principal List: grade 12: Tim Beeck, Samantha Dice, Brandy Ginther, Micah Goscha, Joshua Korte, Tiffany Kyle, Brittany Ritter, Daniel Rogers, Jordan Rogers, Jennie Staats, Klint Wessel; grade 11: Oriana Beltran, Tate Bruggeman, Randa Lewis, Angel Lobato, Torry Roehl, Ivonn Vargas; grade 10: Alyssa Babcock, Michelle Becker, Jenna Bruggeman, Jacklyn Fringer, Jeremy Hunter, Melisa Lobato, Jessica Luna, Dylan Moss, Michael Roehl, Core Shaw, Jordan Spresser, Aisha Walter,

Student news

Kathryn Lang of Colby was

named to the Fall 2007 dean's list

at Liberty University in Lynch-

Colby High School and the daugh-

ter of Ken and Bev Lang, also of

Liberty University is an evan-

burg, Va.

gelical university.

Golden Plains High School Megan Zodrow; grade 9: McKayla Albertson, Randi Cressler, Marissa Mosier, Jacy Moss, Devinn Ritter, Melissa Ritter, Avery Spresser.

Godlen Plains Middle School Honor Roll 3rd quarter

Superintendent List: grade 6; Kylie Jones, Leea Juenemann, Hailee Spresser; Principal List: grade 8; Hannah Antholz, Viridiana Beltran, Cole Christensen, Raquel Garcia, Trey Schwarz, Emily Wachendorfer, Ethan Walter; grade 7; Jose Bermudez, Haydyn Best, Andrew Luna, Angela Ritter, Camron Spresser, Colten Wachendorfer, Morgan Walz; grade 6; Jacob Antholz, Jordan Christensen, Emmy Fringer, Chance Hoeting, Tristan Schwartz, Caitlin Spresser, Grant Spresser, Zachary Spresser.

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Got news?

Wichita boy named finalist

win \$10,000, but Michael Flores isn't too concerned about that. What he really wants - what would be really, truly, totally awesome — is his name on the bottom of a Hot Wheels car.

"That," says the 8-year-old, "would be cool."

Michael, an Andover thirdgrader, is one of 10 finalists in a national Hot Wheels contest: the "Trick Tracks Video Challenge."

challenged The contest youngsters to build "the ultimate tricked-out track" and make a video showing how it works. Earlier this month, 10 top de-

signs, including Michael's, were posted on the Hot Wheels Web

favorite track; the winner will that's a lot of Hot Wheels cars.

WICHITA (AP) — He could get \$10,000, a 2009 model Hot Wheels car named after him, and

200 of those cars. Other finalists' videos, meanwhile, look stunning, even professional, with blaring music. snappy editing and special ef-

"I had no idea what I was doing," Tracey Flores said. "I've never uploaded a video in my life. We just did our best."

Now that Michael's a finalist, Tracey and her husband, Jorge, are focused on marketing. They've sent e-mails to friends and family members, asking them to vote for Michael's video once a day through the contest's deadline, April 7.

For being a finalist, Michael won a \$500 American Express Visitors can vote for their Gift Card. At 97 cents apiece,



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Agnes Kinderknecht

Agnes Kinderknecht, 80, of Grinnell died Wednesday, March 19, 2008, in Hays.

She was born June 25, 1927, in Gove County to Michael Heier and Marianne Kuntz Heier.

She was a retired lunchroom cook at Grinnell schools.

Survivors include a son, Lonnie Kinderknecht of Colby and daughter Diane Stefan of Goodland.

Services are 10 a.m. Monday at Immaculate Conception Church in Grinnell. Father Michael Elan will officiate. Burial will be at Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Grinnell.

Visitation is 5-9 p.m. Sunday at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall in Grinnell. A rosary/wake service will be held 7 p.m. Sunday at the church.



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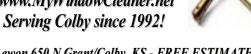
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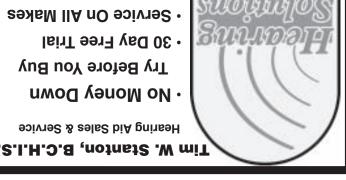
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