



## Elizabeth Marie Panning

February 10, 1954 - February 28, 2011

Loving Wife, Mother, Sister Age 57 of Shoreview Died peacefully at home on Feb. 28, 2011 surrounded by her family. Survived by her husband, Rick; daughters, Allison and Katherine "Kate"; sister, Sally; father-in-law, Melroy Panning; siblings-in-law, Christi Panning, Brad Panning, Judy (Terry) Feltmann and Carol (Jim) Dvorak; nieces and nephews, Nathan (Julie), Marah, Devon, and Teagan; grandniece, Maria. Preceded in death by parents, John & Elsie Hummel; brother, John Jr.; mother-in-law, Marlaine; and grandniece, Grace. Liz was a graduate of Hamline University and a 31-year employee as a Clinical Laboratory Scientist with Regions Hospital, where she will be remembered as a great teacher and coworker. She was an active life-long member of her church where she served on the church council, was the Sunday School Superintendent and sang in the sanctuary choir. She was an avid Twins fan and loved flowers and gardening. She especially enjoyed traveling on family vacations to Gull Lake, the North Shore and warm beaches. We will miss her loving hugs and warm smiles. Visitation Friday 4-8 pm at HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL FUNERAL HOME, 515 Hwy 96, Shoreview. Funeral service Saturday 11:00 AM (visitation 10 AM) at ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, 900 Summit Ave. St. Paul. Interment Forest Lawn Cemetery. Memorials are preferred to ALS Association or to the church

# Tribute Wall

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“ On behalf of ISLA, and personally, I would like to send condolences to the Panning family. While never knowing Elizabeth personally, all descriptions lead to the conclusion that she was a remarkable person and a blessing to the world. She is remembered by ISLA with a tree planted in her name in Jalapa, Nicaragua.

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**Jon Kerr** - March 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Rick and family -  
I was sad to hear of Liz's death. It's amazing that even when we expect death to happen, it sneaks up on us. We never are truly prepared for its coming. I have deeply admired the love you all share, how you all have cared for one another in this process, the faith you've demonstrated, and how you kept moving forward in the toughest times. You truly helped Liz live life to its fullest. My prayers are with you all in your grief. May God's love envelope you and bring you peace and comfort in the days ahead.

*I'm sorry I won't be able to get to either of the services as I signed up for a workshop at the Carondelet Center Fri pm and Sat am. I will be thinking of you during that time.*

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**Carol Heckmann** - March 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Rick and family,

*I am so sorry for your loss; know that your extended family of ASCLS has you all in our prayers.*

*Cheryl*

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**Cheryl Caskey** - March 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM