



## Sevilla Tvedte

February 10, 1945 - July 20, 2012

Sevilla Tvedte, age 67, of Okoboji, passed away Friday, July 20, 2012, at her home in Okoboji. She was born on February 10, 1945, in Spirit Lake, Iowa, to Charles Dewey and Geneva (Wood) Belken.

Sevilla attended grade and high school at the Spirit Lake Schools, working, marrying and raising her family in the lakes area. She was united in marriage to Craig Allen Tvedte on July 7, 1971. Sevilla and Craig owned and operated Tweeter's Restaurant and Lounge for many years, before retiring on July 6, 2007.

Sevilla loved to golf and was an avid golfer on all the lakes area courses. She loved watching golf on TV and following all of the tournaments. Sevilla always enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. A bouquet of flowers, an invite to lunch or a friendly visit would be made by her for no reason other than to say "Thank you" or "I love you." She loved to surprise people with gifts of happiness.

Sevilla is survived by her husband, Craig Tvedte of Okoboji; son, Rob Tvedte, and his wife, Tracy, of Spirit Lake; two grandchildren, Brock and Josie; three sisters, Betty Smith of Milford, Sheri Dare, and her husband, Don, of Big Fork, Minnesota, and Barbara Haagenson of Spirit Lake; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers; and one sister.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 3:00P.M. Wednesday, July 25, 2012, at the Good News Community Church in Okoboji. Visitation will be held Tuesday,

from 4:00P.M. until 6:00P.M. at the Schuchert Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given in Sevilla's name.

The Schuchert Funeral home is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

JO

“ *i loved my grandma and i loved to color and play school with her but know she's gone:(*

*Josie Mae Tvedte*

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**Josie** - August 24, 2012 at 10:51 PM

PR

“ *Dear Brock,  
I am so sorry to hear about your grandma passing away. I knew her many years ago when she came to Okoboji Golf Course. She was not only a great golfer but a wonderful person. My thoughts are with you and your family.*

*Mrs. R*

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**Peggy Rick** - July 26, 2012 at 01:43 PM

JH

“ *Rob and family, just learned of your mom's passing. We are so sorry to hear this. You are all in our thoughts and we are thinking of your family at this time of sadness. Blessings to you all.*

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**Judy & Rog Hagedorn** - July 24, 2012 at 07:50 PM

RL

“ *Sevilla Tvedte*

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**Randy Loerch** - July 24, 2012 at 05:43 PM

EG

“ Rob and family, May many great memories of your mom get you through this difficult time. Hopefully, there are folks sharing lots of stories and memories with you and the rest of your family. My thoughts are with you, Tracy, your children and your dad at this tough time.

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**Elaine Greer** - July 24, 2012 at 01:57 PM

VF

“ Craig, Rob, and family  
All our love as we remember with tears, love, and smiles of the good times. We are thinking of you and wishing we could be there with you. Love you always.

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**Virginia, Marge & family, Linda & family** - July 23, 2012 at 10:40 PM

JG

“ Tweeter and family, Our deepest heartfelt sympathy to all of you. She was a sweet lady with a smile on her face and took time out to talk to you now matter how busy she was. Deepest sympathy.  
Janine Gapinski

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**Janine Gapinski** - July 23, 2012 at 10:09 PM

GP

“ Rob and family, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family as you all go thru this difficult time. Sevilla was a gracious person and we will always have fond memories of her joy she brought others. She will be in our thoughts and prayers.

*The Post family*

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**Greg Post** - July 23, 2012 at 03:19 PM

SF

“ Tweeter & family - I am deeply saddened to hear of Sevy's passing. I am grateful to have known her; and I will always remember that sincere, friendly smile that she greeted friends & employees with. She was fun to talk to & such a nice person. Thinking of you all during this difficult time. You are in my prayers.

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**Sheila (Gapinski) France** - July 23, 2012 at 02:58 PM

KW

“ Tweeter & family,

*You all are in our thoughts & prayers.*

*Sincerely,  
Jerry, Kathy, & Michael Welter*

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**Kathy Welter** - July 23, 2012 at 10:27 AM

KK

“ I was so sorry to hear of Sevy's passing. She was a beautiful and sweet lady. I will remember her and Craig whenever I would go into Tweeter's for the rest of my life. Such great memories. To the family I am so sorry for your loss

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**Kevin T. Kuehl** - July 23, 2012 at 09:55 AM

BA

“ Tweeter, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family as you all go thru this difficult time. Sevilla was a beautiful lady with a grand smile. We all have such great memories of you guys at Tweeters while we lived in the lakes area.

*Sincerely,  
The Neubaum's*

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**Barb** - July 22, 2012 at 09:13 AM

JC

“ I will never forget the first time we met and the warm embrace I received. It is comforting to know you live on inside me, and I feel extremely blessed for the amount of time we shared together. You are my angel now and can't wait to meet you again in eternity. You have made the path to heaven a little smoother. We love you Aunt Sevilla, Matt, Julie, Kaylee, Michael, and Jesse...

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**Julie Combs** - July 21, 2012 at 09:38 PM

SD

“ Sevilla- I will miss you tremendously! We have shared so many things growing up and into our golden years. You were always there for me when I needed a shoulder to lean on, and always knew just the right thing to say or do when I needed a lift. You have left behind a legacy that will not be forgotten. I will always love you Sis and will think of you often.

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**Sheri Dare** - July 21, 2012 at 08:13 PM

CT

“ Sevilla always had a cheery greeting whenever she saw me and brightened my day. We'd have a good chat about "school days" and staying over at each other house for the night. Her class will miss her at our reunion next year! Our deepest sympathy to her family!

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**Collette & Bob Travis** - July 21, 2012 at 06:08 PM

MM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Tweeter and your family as you say your final goodbyes to a wonderful lady. We have fond memories of seeing her at Tweeters' and other places in the lakes area. She was always a friendly, fun gal. Sincerely sympathy, Fred & Margaret McKim

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**Margaret McKim** - July 21, 2012 at 10:13 AM

SW

“ *The Family of Steve and Sue Wood, formerly of Des Moines, and Okoboji, would like to tell the family how much we enjoyed Sevy, and loved her gracious spirit and friendship for so many years! Our evenings at Tweeter's were always more fun with her there. Our love and sympathy to you all at this very hard time.*

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**Sue Wood** - July 21, 2012 at 09:36 AM