

Thomas A. Dewbray. Memorial services celebrating the life of Thomas Andrew Dewbray, 43, of Bloomingdale, Ill., formerly of Franklin Park and Roselle, will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, at Salerno's Rosedale Chapels, 450 Lake Street, Roselle. He passed away peacefully Sunday, Dec. 14, 2003, at his home, surrounded by his loving family and friends. Tom was a loving father, family man and friend to all he knew, with a terrific laugh and a true love of life. He loved the Lord with all he had and lived with honor and respect for all life. He lived his life by the standard, try not, do, or do not, there is no try. He was a talented potter and photographer who loved art, music and sports. He was an avid gardener with a love of roses. He attended EIU on a ceramics/art scholarship and was nationally featured in "Ceramics Monthly." He was a 25-year A card journeyman electrician with I.B.E.W. Local @#134 Chicago. Tom was the loving father of Alexandra "Alex", daughter of Pam Carpinelli; dearest son of Edward and Virginia "Ginni"; fiance of Carol Lee Riddle; loving brother of Edward Jr. (Debra), Denise (David) Hoover, Steven (Darlene Palatine) and David (Jeanne); beloved nephew of Frances O'Neill, Marge (Chuck) Burton and Irene (Louis) Nemeth; and thoughtful uncle of Amanda, Paul and Raymond. Visitation services will be from 3 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, at the funeral home. Memorials may be made in Tom's name to the American Cancer Society. Friends may visit [www.dailyherald.com/obits](http://www.dailyherald.com/obits) to express condolences and sign the guest book. For funeral information, (630) 889-1700.

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