

**American Soldier by Toby Keith**

I'm just trying to be a father,  
raise a daughter and a son  
Be a lover to their mother,  
everything to everyone

Up and at 'em bright and early,  
I'm all business in my suit  
Yeah I'm dressed up for success,  
from my head down to my boots

I don't do it for money,  
there's bills I that I can't pay  
I don't do it for the glory,  
I just do it anyway

Providing for our future's my responsibility  
Yeah I'm real good under pressure,  
being all that I can be  
And I can't call in sick on Mondays  
when the weekend's been too strong  
I just work straight through the holidays,  
sometimes all night long

You can bet that I stand ready,  
when the wolf growls at the door  
Hey I'm solid, hey I'm steady,  
hey I'm true down to the core.

And I will always do my duty  
no matter what the price  
I've counted up the cost,  
I know the sacrifice  
Oh and I don't want to die for you,  
but if dyin's asked of me  
I'll bear that cross with honor,  
cause freedom don't come free.

I'm an American Soldier  
An American  
Beside my brothers and my sisters,  
I will proudly take a stand  
When liberty's in jeopardy,  
I will always do what's right  
I'm out here on the front lines,  
sleep in peace tonight  
American Soldier,  
I'm and American, Soldier.



**Steven Raymond Linderleaf**

January 27, 1959, Bellaire, MI  
April 8, 2008, Donnybrook, ND

**Memorial Service**  
Saturday, April 12, 2008, 11 a.m.  
United Methodist Church,  
Donnybrook

**Officiant**  
Pastor David Birkeland

**Music**

Special CD selections,  
“God Bless America” Lee Greenwood  
“American Soldier” Toby Keith  
“Dust In The Wind” Kansas  
“Home” Chris Daughtry  
“Teddy Bear” Red Sovine

**Honorary Bearers**

Steven's family and friends

**Those Who Shared In His Life**

Wife, Pamela, Donnybrook; son, Steven R. Linderleaf Jr.,  
Donnybrook; daughters, Andrea L. Topolski, Donnybrook and Angela J.  
(Alex) Linderleaf-Smeltzer, Las Vegas, NV; grandson, Anthony Topolski  
Jr.; parents, Raymond and Ida Linderleaf, Rapid City, MI; brother, Tony  
Linderleaf, Rapid City, MI; grandmother Linderleaf, Travers City, MI .  
Steve was preceded in death by his sister, Debra (Linderleaf) Hiller, son  
Tony Topolski, Grandma and Grandpa Underhill and Grandpa  
Linderleaf.

**Final Resting Place**

Donnybrook Cemetery

Flag Presentation by the Donnybrook American Legion

Immediately following the graveside service lunch will be serviced in the  
lower level of the church.

Thompson-Larson Funeral Home, Minot