Rodger Himmel: Rodger Himmel, 53, most recently of San Diego, Calif., formerly of Chicago, died Monday, March 8, 1999. A memorial service will be held at his parents' home in San Diego today. A burial service is tentatively planned for April 2 at Shalom Memorial Park, Arlington Heights. For more than 25 years, Rodger enthusiastically taught and directed elementary and junior high school concert and jazz bands for Bloomingdale School District #13. Rodger remained a talented musician, playing the saxophone in numerous bands throughout the Chicagoland area. Survivors include his parents, Marvin and Maxine of San Diego; brother, Jay (Kay) of Atlanta, Calif.; daughter, Janice of Chicago; and son, Kevin (Lori) of Denver, Colo. In memory of Rodger, donations may be made to The American Diabetes Association, 2450 S. Downing St., Denver, CO 80201, (303) 778-7556, Ext. 314.

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