

Phyllis Athey

Phyllis Athey, one of the founders of Kinheart Women's Center, chose to take her own life last Monday.

Phyllis had recently resigned her post at Kinheart, and a spokeswoman for the center said that the stress and exhaustion of the last few months had finally overtaken Phyllis.

While the center is normally closed Fridays, this Friday evening, May 27, the center will be open to all women who would like to spend some time sharing and supporting one another, and remembering Phyllis and the many lives she touched. The center will be open 8-11 p.m.

On Monday, May 30, a memorial service for Phyllis will be held at Wheadon United Methodist Church, adjoining Kinheart Women's Center at 2214 Ridge, in Evanston. The memorial will begin at 7 p.m.

Kinheart is accessible by public transportation; the Noyes Street stop on the Evanston rapid transit line is not far from the center. For further information, contact Kinheart at 491-1103.