

Mr. George Thomas Rogers

June 12, 1952 - March 8, 2014

Funeral services for George Thomas Rogers, 61, will be held at 11 am Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at Willow Oaks Farm, 4748 Hartsville Highway, Society Hill, SC 29593. George, husband of Lyrae Creamer Rogers, died Saturday, March 8th, 2014. Born in Hartsville, SC, he was the son of Anna Gillespie Rogers and the late Paul Hamilton Rogers IV.

The family will receive friends Monday from 5 to 9 pm at Willow Oaks Farm. George graduated NC State with a mechanical engineering degree and went on to own his own business building custom fabricated machines for over 30 years, beginning in 1983. His brilliant mind and drive for innovation combined with his tremendous work ethic made him a shining example of the American Dream. Yet even on his longest and hardest days of work, he always had time for his family. George was a loving husband and devoted father; a spiritual man who lived out his faith through his great integrity, selfless generosity, and joy for life. His heart of gold made him adored by many. He loved everyone and his dog, and enjoyed snow skiing, hunting, fishing, and running, completing two marathons. Above all other hobbies, George loved aviation and has ultimately flown home.

Surviving are his wife, Lyrae Creamer Rogers of Society Hill, SC; sons, Thom Rogers (Amanda) of Hartsville, SC and Caleb Rogers (Anna) of Charlotte, NC; daughter, Drake Loflin of Society Hill, SC; mother of Hartsville, SC; brothers, Paul Rogers (Warner), Gill Rogers, John Rogers (Lynn), Sid Rogers (Bonnie), all of Hartsville, SC; sisters, Rebecca Funderburke (Ed) of

Southport, NC and Irene Ingram (Glenn) of Hartsville, SC; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Ray and Lyman Creamer of Anderson, SC.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you donate to your favorite charity in George's memory.

Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **10**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Willow Oaks Farm
4748 Hartsville Highway
Society Hill, SC 29593

Service

MAR **11**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Willow Oaks Farm
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Tribute Wall

RA

“ Robert Andrews lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



Robert Andrews - June 27, 2025 at 11:27 PM

JA

“ He was very comfortable in his shoes but he was uncomfortable in mine.

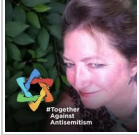
He belonged to a gang of people that loved to prank people.

I was told by someone that he, while every one was taking transportation down the mountain, he ran down the mountain tripping and falling along the way. Having been bumped and bruised along the way when he got back to his friends and family he looked like a mule eating briars.

I was having breakfast with him the day I found out his dad had died

He was one of the people I listen to.

James - June 12, 2019 at 02:03 PM



“ I am so sorry to learn this tragic news. My heart goes out to you all. Thoughts, prayers and fond memories to the Rogers Clan. I was shocked to stumble across this on the internet this morning, here in New York. My mother, Jane Blizzard Lee, grew up in Hartsville, and was great friends with George's parents. Mom would take me and my brothers (Christopher and Frank) over to the farm from our house in Columbia for visits. George and I were the same age. What great memories I still have: all of us kids running around, swimming in the swimming hole, picnicking, hanging out at the barn, watching the cows being milked then drinking fresh milk, feeding mice to a snake (in a cage), riding, sitting in the evening and listening to the grown-ups tell their tales... It was such a happy time, and a flood of fond memories return now fifty+ years later. A wonderful family. Despite the sadness, it is a pleasure to read others' fond recollections and admiring tributes here. Love to all, and God's Blessings for Strength and Peace... Janet Lee Burnet, Suffern, NY



Janet Burnet - March 15, 2014 at 11:10 AM

CM

“ We were saddened to hear of the tragic loss of George and Josh. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

*Jim and Carol Millen, Raleigh, NC
Mary Louise Hunnicutt*

Carol Millen - March 14, 2014 at 09:28 PM

BC

“ To the entire Rogers Clan, I was sad to hear about George. When I was in college, studying engineering he would always ask me questions about becoming an engineer. And from what I have heard, he was a pretty good engineer. George was also a prankster, as well as his brothers, as evident of my and my brother's survival in the late 60's from a well orchestrated prank. They still laugh about that to this day. I am glad I knew him. God bless you.

Boyd Curry

Boyd Curry - March 14, 2014 at 10:59 AM

GB

“ Prayers for you all during this sad time. I certainly remember George from High School ..his free spirit, athletic runner and smarts! Know he will be missed. Gayle Welch Bentley, Augusta, GA

gayle w bentley - March 13, 2014 at 06:05 PM

CH

“ Probably my first memory of George was when Anna, Hank and kids came to our house one evening for our parents to "visit" (I think I George was about 9 or 10). The adults laughing over "drinks" while we kids played. George taught me to spit on a checker to capture it! I never heard of that before or since. I know y'all will miss his unique and fun perspective on life, work and all. Cherish the memories.

Charlotte Bowen Hardin - March 12, 2014 at 04:36 PM

GS

“ I knew George from working with him here at ACF in Milton pa. I have been at his place many times he was a very smart man and I will miss working with him on projects here. my heart and prayers go out to the familys that were involved in the accident .Garry H Snyder

Garry H Snyder - March 12, 2014 at 07:56 AM

ET

“ Erin Thomas lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



Erin Thomas - March 12, 2014 at 07:38 AM

JS

“ George was such an inspiration to everyone who knew him. He was a great friend and running partner back in the day. My sincerest condolences to his family and friends. May God bless and keep you all during this most difficult time. My prayers go out to all of you suffering from this tragic loss. Rocky Segars

John Segars - March 11, 2014 at 09:43 PM

TB

“ To the family, neighbors and friends of George Thomas Rogers; I'm very sorry to have heard that George has passed away. Please know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless George and his loved ones. Tony B

tony branch - March 11, 2014 at 08:02 PM

VC

“ Lyrae and the entire Rogers family, We were saddened by the events of the last few days. Stephanie and I were talking about the times in elementary school when she and Drake would spend the day together. Everytime I saw George with the children he was like a kid himself playing with them on the swing in the big oak tree. May God wrap you tight in his arms and give you comfort until the time comes, and it will, when you meet George again. Love and Prayers to you and the entire family and May God Bless and Keep you Forever. Love, Virginia and Stephanie Catoe



Virginia and Stephanie Catoe - March 11, 2014 at 05:50 PM

SD

“ I only met George once through my brother Bryan Drayton. But he left such a huge impression on me. What an amazing man he was. I was so incredibly sad to hear this news. To his family; know that there are people who barely knew him who are feeling his loss. His influence stretched far!

shanon drayton - March 11, 2014 at 03:09 PM

PD

“ Praying for you all. Mr. George was such a good guy!!! He always seemed to have a smile on his face. He loved his family and his community. Such a wise man who has left us much too soon.

Patricia Devine

patricia devine - March 11, 2014 at 01:29 PM

LG

“ To the family of Mr. George Roger's. When we first heard the news we prayed it was not so. I called Mrs. Larae and said to say it was not a dream. Our dad Raymond Gainey and our brother Junior Gainey passed away several years ago and they loved the Roger's family. I can see the 3 now talking and having a good time now on the streets of GOLD. I will never forget the time when George and his family were at the Truckstop and that's where I worked we played a joke on my brother Richard and Mr. George really enjoy that. Whenever I would see him he would always smile and say we got Richard good about them fish. No matter if he was at the truckstop, at work, or stop by the house he always had that beautiful smile and we will miss that the most. We love u George. Praying for the Roger's family. From Gainey's Well Drilling.

Lisa Gainey - March 11, 2014 at 11:01 AM

CK

“ Lyrae, Caleb, Anna and family,
I can't begin to tell you how deeply sorry I was to hear of George's tragic death and that of your son/brother in law Joseph. Although we only had the opportunity to meet George once in Los Angeles we were instantly drawn to him. Caleb is such a spitting image of his Dad. Caleb and Anna I hope you know that we love you like our own children and that our heart aches for you right now. The only comfort to be found is your profound faith in the Lord. Lean on him now as you struggle to make sense of this tragic loss. If there is anything we can do I hope you know to just ask. We are praying for you and will continue to pray as time passes for you to have the peace of knowing that your loved ones have peace in the presence of the Lord.

Sincerely
Carol and Craig Kinney

Carol Kinney - March 11, 2014 at 10:52 AM

BH

“ *Becky, Irene, Gil, Paul, John, Sid, and especially Anna, my heartfelt condolences. So saddened to hear about George. This tragedy has brought back so many memories of your family and the time I spent with all of you out on the farm when we were so young and carefree. I will always cherish the way all the boys picked on us "girls". Also, I have never forgotten your Dad and that he took me for my first airplane ride and his loss shortly after. I can envision him and George soaring together now. You are now and will always be in my thoughts and prayers.*

Beth Howle - March 11, 2014 at 09:33 AM

HF

“ *HHS 70's Friends lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



HHS 70's Friends - March 11, 2014 at 09:25 AM

HF

HHS 70's Friends send their prayers and love for our classmate and for his family. May God hold all of you in His embrace as He comforts and encourages you, as only He can.

HHS 70's Friends - March 11, 2014 at 09:28 AM

JF

“ *Lyrae, we were shocked and terribly saddened to hear of the tragic loss for you and your family. I wished I could have been there today to give you a hug. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Julian and Penny Fant

Julian and Penny Fant - March 11, 2014 at 07:49 AM

LI

“*Condolences to the family of Mr. Rogers. I did not personally know Mr. Rogers, but I do know that our God Jehovah never purposed for humans to experience pains of death. And he has promised in his word the Bible that we can see our dead loved ones again through the resurrection hope. For Acts 24:15 promises "there is going to be a resurrection." Also, Revelation 21:4 promises a time when there will be no more mourning or death. Since he is a God who "cannot lie" (Titus 1:2), we can be assured of these promises.*

You can find answers to questions such as "where are the dead," "why do we die," "will suffering ever end," etc., at web www.jw.org. Or you may contact me at ecarter2054@att.net. May the God of comfort (2 Corinthians 1:3,4) provide your family a measure of comfort during this time of your loss.

Liz - March 11, 2014 at 06:46 AM

AC

“*Andy Cottingham lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Andy Cottingham - March 11, 2014 at 05:45 AM

AM

“*Lyrae, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family, May God give you strength at this difficult time and may your days be filled with wonderful memories to comfort you.*
Audrey & Billy Martin

Audrey & Billy Martin - March 10, 2014 at 10:53 PM

GO

“ I am sorry for your loss you all have my thoughts and prayers that God will see you through this difficult time.

Grady O'Neal - March 10, 2014 at 09:20 PM

LH

“ George was one of the finest gentlemen I've ever known. My heart goes out to the family and I pray that God will give you strength and comfort during this time of grieving.

Larry Huggins

Larry Huggins - March 10, 2014 at 09:13 PM

VH

“ The Rogers Family, You all are in our thoughts and prayers.
Vonciel and Glenn Holloman

Vonciel Holloman - March 10, 2014 at 09:00 PM

MJ

“ Lyrae, My thoughts and prayers are with you and Drake. May God give you some measure of His peace during this unimaginable tragedy. Love Mary T

Mary T. Johnson-Lee - March 10, 2014 at 07:46 PM

JH

So sorry to hear about your loss. I just got word hear in Texas as to what happened and I am shedding tears for you and your family.

Jimmy Hamilton - March 11, 2014 at 05:58 AM

PC

“ Lyrae and family,
Dana and I were heartbroken when we heard the news about the accident. George was such a special part of Nick's life. Nick loved the plane rides with George. George was always so compassionate toward Nick and always asked about Nick when we saw him. He will be missed by so many. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. I hate that we are so far away and can't be there in person to tell you how much we appreciated George's kindness during Nick's illness and death. We will continue to think about you in the difficult days ahead.

Love,
Pat and Dana Chrisley

Pat Chrisley - March 10, 2014 at 07:18 PM

CO

“ Even though I didn't know u long, u gave me a job and got to know each fast. U were just like a father figure to me. I learned so much from u and son who u taught the business well. I looked up to u and can still hear ur voice in my head bout the last job we did together. When everyone else left it was jus me and u work n overtime. Thank u for showing me the way to live life and to b so understanding. No matter what. I will miss you, thank you again for everything!!! Sincerely. Chris O'Neal

Chris O'Neal - March 10, 2014 at 07:17 PM

DL

“ Lyrae, Tom, Caleb and Drake, thinking and prayer for you all. I will always cherish my memories of George and all the wonderful times we had at your house. May God comfort each one in the days ahead and give you peace. Love you all. Debbie Gandy Langley

Debbie Gandy Langley - March 10, 2014 at 06:51 PM

KL

“ Words can not express my hearts pain for you all. George was one of the most all around loving person I have ever known, just so full of life and love of life. Becky, I love you and just can not keep you off my heart, nor your family. God be with us all through this most tragic moment in our lives. My memory, singing George Happy Birthday over the phone at Becky's shop.



Love to you all, Karen from Southport Beck's old side kick

Karen J Lindsay-Thornhill - March 10, 2014 at 06:39 PM

BW

“ Becky and Irene, my heart goes out to you and all the Rogers family ! So very sorry, love and prayers to all ! Barbara Stanley Windham

Barbara Stanley Windham - March 10, 2014 at 06:31 PM

PD

“ I remember George as a good friend. Me being a stranger in his parts he was very helpful. I had an ATV and a truck, and George made ramps so I could load it...and then would not let me pay for his work. He was such a nice guy. I will remember him always.
Stan Bucek (Trapper John)



Pat Dixon - March 10, 2014 at 06:00 PM

SH

“ Becky, My heart breaks for you and your family. Please know that you have so many friends who love you dearly and will help you in any way we can.
Sheila Heller

Sheila Heller - March 10, 2014 at 04:39 PM

MW

You are so right so many love Becky so much. Our hearts are heavy now. Will be there whenever she needs anyone of us. Blessed to work for her and know her. Marsha Williams

Marsha Williams - March 10, 2014 at 04:45 PM

LM

“ *Lisa McElroy lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Lisa McElroy - March 10, 2014 at 04:22 PM

RL

“ *Lyrae,
We are here for you, your friends at
Chesterfield County DSS.*



Ralph E. Laney - March 10, 2014 at 04:21 PM

RG

“ *Rosemary Griggs lit a candle in memory of
Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Rosemary Griggs - March 10, 2014 at 04:08 PM

MC

“ *Sending prayers your way. May God wrap his arms around you and your family at this tragic time.*
Meagan and Brent Carpenter

Meagan and Brent Carpenter - March 10, 2014 at 03:30 PM

DD

“ *David Decker*
my prayers to the Rogers family. May God be with you and give you peace. George was brilliant engineer and great man. I will always remember that infectious smile. I will carry him in heart and mind all my life.

David Decker - March 10, 2014 at 03:08 PM

LM

“ *LaRae I am so sorry for your loss. You and your daughter are in my prayers*



Leslie McElveen - March 10, 2014 at 02:43 PM

PC

“ *Lyrae I am so sorry for your loss, I know you feel like your are having a terrible nightmare and keep praying you will wake up and it will all be just a bad dream. It will take you a while to accept it and to go on with your life but God will give you the strength. Don't let people tell you that there is a certain time frame, we all deal with grief differently. My words to you are that this is not good bye just "see you later."*

Patricia Collins - March 10, 2014 at 02:08 PM

WD

“ Lyrae, Thom, Claeb, Drake. You are all in our prayers.

Wayne, Rosanna, Marshall Dudley - March 10, 2014 at 02:02 PM

DD

“ My prayers are with the family.

Denise Douglas

Denise Douglas - March 10, 2014 at 02:02 PM

GO

“ GUY ONEAL lit a candle in memory of Mr.
George Thomas Rogers



GUY ONEAL - March 10, 2014 at 01:56 PM

DL

“ My condolences to George's family, friends and loved ones. George was my first college roommate at NC State. Such a great, fun loving person, that truly loved life and lived it to the fullest! George brought many pizzas from Brothers Pizza on Hillsboro Street across the street from NCSU, after hours of washing dishes. Myself and everyone that came to know George are truly blessed!!

Donald Lambert - March 10, 2014 at 01:46 PM

JR

“ *Jeff Robenson lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Jeff Robenson - March 10, 2014 at 01:36 PM

DH

“ *I'm sure going to miss my cold beer drinking flying buddy. I know one thing for sure heaven will never be the same and will be a whole lot more fun.*

David Hoover - March 10, 2014 at 01:36 PM

TL

“ *Sincere condolences to the family. George was a classmate and friend at N.C.State.His upbeat personality will never be forgotten.*

Tim Leith - March 10, 2014 at 01:31 PM

PG

“ *The whole family is in our thoughts and prayers. May God be with you all. Pat and Peter Grana*

patricia grana - March 10, 2014 at 01:25 PM

GJ

“ *To the family, I am shocked and saddened to hear of this trajedy. I hope that happy memories will sustain and lift all of you in this time of acute sorrowl.*

George M. McFaddin, Jr.

George M. McFaddin, Jr. - March 10, 2014 at 01:00 PM

DP

“ Dawn Powell lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



Dawn Powell - March 10, 2014 at 12:31 PM

DH

“ David And Anne Hoover lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



David and Anne Hoover - March 10, 2014 at 12:24 PM

DH

to the Rogers family, we will truly miss such a wonderful person. I know that there are no words to offer at a time like this. Please know that we are keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers.

David and Anne Hoover - March 10, 2014 at 12:39 PM

SG

“ George was a good friend of mine, He always could find a way of doing things that others couldn't do. A great engineering mind he had and I will miss him dearly. Godspeed George.

Shawn Garrigan

Shawn Garrigan - March 10, 2014 at 11:58 AM

JH

“ June Hyman lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



June Hyman - March 10, 2014 at 11:38 AM

LE

“ Precious family, you all have meant so much to me. My prayers and thoughts are with you. May God bless you and show you his mercy. I have learned so much from your children that went to Thomas Hart. You are deep in my heart. I thank God that the Roger Family has played a great part in my life. I have learned much from you You show the community what family and love means. May God be with you during these hard days when your loved one has returned home to our Heavenly Father.

Linda Edwards - March 10, 2014 at 11:32 AM

SF

“ Drake, I am so sorry for you loss. I cannot imagine what you and your family are dealing with, but please know that you all are in our thoughts and prayers. May God comfort you during this time.

Shannon and Will Floyd - March 10, 2014 at 11:26 AM

ST

“ Scott Trickey lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



Scott Trickey - March 10, 2014 at 11:18 AM



“ *Condolences to the whole family. So sorry for your tremendous loss. Prayers for all. George and I were classmates at HHS many many years ago, but I never forgot him. He was a friend to everyone.*

Debbie Johnson - March 10, 2014 at 11:16 AM



“ *Scott lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Scott - March 10, 2014 at 11:15 AM



“ *Irene, I am so sorry for the loss of your brother, George. I never had the privilege of meeting him, but your face always lit up when you would speak of him and his ability to live and enjoy life. You and your entire family are in my prayers. May God comfort you and give you peace that, one day, you will see your him again.*

Shaun Mattox - March 10, 2014 at 11:14 AM



“ *Shaun Mattox lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Shaun Mattox - March 10, 2014 at 11:06 AM

GB

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all from a distance here in Florida. The miles seem short when I begin thinking at this time of how many ways the Rogers family touched my life. I didn't see Gerorge as often as some of the other Roger's family members over the years, but I can still remember the smiles on all of their faces as they spoke of George and his adventurous nature and enthusiasm for life. My children share your grief today from closer at hand, all of them are in Hartsville and are feeling this great loss along with the entire community. We all are sending prayers.



Gail Bowen - March 10, 2014 at 10:45 AM

BC

“ My deepest sorrow for your loss. So many beautiful memories of the Rogers family in my childhood years. So many fun days spent visiting Anna and all the kids. Becky Large Copeland.

Becky Large Copeland - March 10, 2014 at 10:35 AM

DW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all you at this sad time. Peace of Christ be with you.

Donna Wadsworth

Donna Wadsworth - March 10, 2014 at 10:33 AM

RW

“ *My heart and prayers go out to you all. May God bless you and keep you..*

Becky Wadsworth Walker - Durham, NC



Rebecca Wadsworth Walker - March 10, 2014 at 10:20 AM

CC

“ *SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. KEEPING YOUR FAMILY IN OUR PRAYERS! CHESTER & JR. CROWLEY CROWLEY'S PLUMBING, INC.*

CHESTER CROWLEY - March 10, 2014 at 10:11 AM

TW

“ *Such a GREAT guy and family! It's hard to imagine such a terrible accident, but he was doing what he loved. I have never known such a close family, that worked together, played together and adored their mom and families. May the wonderful memories of this brilliant, easy going, loving man comfort you, always.*

My thoughts and prayers are with you today.

Much love, Terri

Terri Woodham - March 10, 2014 at 09:53 AM

LH

“ *Lea Hickey lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Lea Hickey - March 10, 2014 at 09:52 AM

DG

“ George was a dear friend and always stayed in touch with me since we first met in 1989. We met at the airport as both of us were very interested in flying, which in turn kindled a friendship that grew thru experiencing many of life's ups and downs ...that of how acquaintances unknowingly become stronger until becoming close friends!. George and I shared a lot of memorable time together, mainly of flying airplanes until our family moved from South Carolina, apart. He would continually reach out to stay in touch and would always prioritize me into his plans, someting that was heart felt to me. No matter how long it was since we last spoke, our discussions would would go into any uninhibited direction and depth with his sincere interests at heart. George's death has caused me reflection of all the special times, and I realize the friendship was a lot like being brothers. I don't know what to say for the loss this is for you Lyrae, and the children and immediate family ... other than to express how much of a friend he became to me and to know that he was a very special person because of who he was! Our friendship was a respectful admiration for each others exchanges and shared beliefs and values in life, a brotherly friendship that was as strong as when living close together as it was living many miles apart. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Lyrae, Thom, Drake, Caleb, and all of the family; he is and always will be in our hearts!

Love, David, Zola, Zoey, and Josey Gudger

David Gudger - March 10, 2014 at 09:37 AM

MF

“ Mitch Davis And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



Mitch Davis and Family - March 10, 2014 at 09:28 AM

SB

“ *Rogers Family, Thoughts and prayers are being sent to the entire family during this time of sorrow. Growing up down the road from this family, I have known the Rogers for a long time. I remember as a kid going out in our yard and watching George's dad crop dust all of the fields around our house with his plane. His mom was always one of my favorite elementary school teachers and the entire family seemed like they could run forever and a day. May all the fond thoughts and memories of George bring you comfort in the coming days ahead.*

Steve Beasley

Steve Beasley - March 10, 2014 at 09:05 AM

DG

“ *DeAnn (Blackmon) Grayson lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



DeAnn (Blackmon) Grayson - March 10, 2014 at 08:41 AM

AU

“ *Audrey lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Audrey - March 10, 2014 at 08:39 AM

AU

Please know that you are in my prayers. George will live on in the memories you have. Trust God in the days to come for comfort and peace.

Audrey - March 10, 2014 at 08:41 AM

MM

“ *Mimi McGowan lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Mimi McGowan - March 10, 2014 at 08:35 AM

CB

“ *Carla Benton And Allison Butler lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Carla Benton and Allison Butler - March 10, 2014 at 08:09 AM

DJ

“ *Darlene James lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Darlene James - March 10, 2014 at 08:02 AM

BD

Lyrae and Drake words cannot begin to tell you how my heart feels for the both of you. Prayers are going up for all of you and I know that God will carry you through this. Heaven has gain two more Angels and I know they will be watching over you. Lyrae you are a very dear friend of mine and God knew what he was doing when he crossed our paths and I am so thankful that he did. And I want you to know that because of your sweetness and kindness to others he is shinning on you now to carry you and the rest of the family through. We don't always know why and what for but he does and I know from being your friend for 11 years that you have the faith. I love both of you so very much and please call me if I can ever do anything for you

Brenda Davis - March 10, 2014 at 12:25 PM

JG

“*Dear Family, On behalf of Embrace Hospice and the Howard Family, I would like to express a heartfelt sorrow for your loss. In the book of John chapter 14, verse 2 reminds us that My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? This earth is not our home and we are only passing through this land, so hold on to the promise. My prayer is that God will hold you close as you press onto see George once again.*

*In His Grasp,
John "Bootsie" Griggs*

John "Bootsie" Griggs - March 10, 2014 at 07:55 AM

AN

“ I grew up in school with George and he was a sweet and kind person .
I remember when he first started the track team and participated in some of the partial mile runs. It was very hard at first and often he came in last. He kept going for the goal and never gave up. It was actually a help to me and others that it can be done if we keep trying.
Our sincere sympathy is sent to you and your family.
God has you in the palm of His hand. We pray that in the coming days His love will truly unfold for you in every decision and every need.

Ann Parnell Newsome

Ann Parnell Newsome - March 10, 2014 at 07:54 AM

VE

“ Dear Rogers family my prayers for love and comfort for you all. May the pain leave you soon and may the loving memories your family has sustain you. Vicky Earle

Vicky Earle - March 09, 2014 at 10:41 PM

GB

“ Dear Lyrae, , please accept my deepest condolences for the sadness you are all feeling. It has been years since you and I worked together at DSS but I will always remember your smile and sparkling eyes. I pray for God's peace and love from family and friends to help fill the void you are now living. Gloria Beckham Butler

gloria butler - March 09, 2014 at 10:16 PM

SC

“ Shannon Coward lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



Shannon Coward - March 09, 2014 at 10:11 PM

JD

“ It is hard to think of not seeing Mr George at Johnnie's. He and Ms Lyrae were always some of my favorite people when I worked here. A quick smile or a goofy joke. He was a special person and will be missed by so many.

Janet Starling Davis - March 09, 2014 at 10:08 PM

CD

“ Thinking of George, I can see his contagious smile...like he knows something that you don't....and he did!!! George had the most brilliant mind of any man I have ever met. He knew there were nothing he could not conquer if he desired. His love for his family was far more than most will ever feel. His love of life was unmatched. This man knew how to live... and he did. We could all learn from George....live everyday as if it is your last. George was a wonderful man and will be greatly missed by everyone who knew him.

My prayers and thoughts are with Lyrae, Drake, Thom and Caleb and family; as well as the Loflin family. May God bless you all.

Cindy Dowdy - March 09, 2014 at 10:04 PM

CB

“ *LyRae and family, words cannot express how you must be feeling. I am so sorry for your loss. May God wrap his arms around you all and comfort you. You are all in my prayers.*

carla benton - March 09, 2014 at 09:38 PM

JT

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Jason Thompson - March 09, 2014 at 08:44 PM

PM

“ *Lyrae, Mrs. Rogers, and entire Rogers family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. George was such an example of the American dream.....and was a product wonderful parents. We are proud to have grown up with the "Rogers Kids" and glad to have worked those years with you Lyrae at DSS. May God continue to wrap his arms of love and caring around you all for the days and weeks to come.*

Harry L and Paula Lyles Murph

Paula Murph - March 09, 2014 at 08:39 PM

KN

“ *Rest In Peace. My Ol friend!*

Karen Norris Newsome - March 09, 2014 at 08:38 PM

AT

“ Drake, Thoughts and prayers to you and your family. My heart goes out to you during this difficult time! I am so sorry...

Abby

Abby Tyner - March 09, 2014 at 08:29 PM

LB

“ I am so sorry about George's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with the Rogers. I remember coming to Hartsville with Becky when we roomed together at ASU and marvelling at his wonderful spirit. Peace, Lucy Butler

Lucy Butler - March 09, 2014 at 08:24 PM

WW

“ Rogers Family, So sorry about George. I worked some with him at A.O. Smith, he was a great person to be around. Such a intelligent person! God bless you all during this very difficult time. In prayers and thoughts, Wes Walters



Wes Walters - March 09, 2014 at 08:17 PM

TG

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Rogers family. I have always thought a lot of George, and I know that he will be missed by many.

Tom Goodson

Tom Goodson - March 09, 2014 at 08:09 PM

PM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the Rogers family during this heartbreaking time.*

Patricia Wadsworth McCoy

Patricia W McCoy - March 09, 2014 at 08:00 PM

RF

“ *1 file added to the album George, George!*



Ron Funderburke - March 09, 2014 at 07:45 PM

BM

“ *I am so sorry for your family's double loss. My heart breaks for you. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Betty McGalliard

Betty McGalliard - March 09, 2014 at 07:36 PM

BO

“ A wonderful man who loved his family, loved living life to it's fullest, loved people, loved creating and inventing, and always had a wonderful sparkle in his eyes as if he were on a constant quest. We have been blessed for so many years to be able to call all of the Rogers family friends. We hold you tight in love with our thoughts and prayers, He will always be missed but you will carry a part of him with you always.

Bonnie and Lee Gardner

Bonnie - March 09, 2014 at 07:32 PM

RP

“ Irene and family, we are so sorry to hear of your brother's passing. You all are in our prayers.
Kent and Regina Parker and family

Regina Parker - March 09, 2014 at 07:32 PM

VP

“ Von & Linda Parker lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers



Von & Linda Parker - March 09, 2014 at 07:11 PM

SB

“ George was one of a kind--enriching every life he touched. My heart goes out to his family. I wish I could do more.



Sandi Brown - March 09, 2014 at 06:44 PM

JL

“ Thoughts and prayers to all the family from Marion and I. May God comfort you during this time of sorrow.

Judy and Marion Lane - March 09, 2014 at 06:41 PM

MN

“ ” There are no words that can be said to ease your hearts, so I'm sending you thoughts and prayers to carry you through this most difficult time. Cherish the many memories that you have and know that heaven just gained another angel to its multitude, and remember one day you will walk together again. May God guide you and wrap his arms around your entire family during this time and the many days that are to come.”
Melissa Norton

Melissa Norton - March 09, 2014 at 06:22 PM

TA

“ 3 files added to the album George, George!



Tammy - March 09, 2014 at 06:15 PM

PS

“ To all the wonderful. Rogers family I have had the honor of sharing memories for many years stay close to God I love you all pat shaw

pat shaw - March 09, 2014 at 06:06 PM

TA

“ *Your laughter will be heard from the heavens! Forever in our hearts!*

Tammy and Jay Pilgrim

tammy - March 09, 2014 at 05:42 PM

AS

“ *To All The Rogers,
Great distance runner, Great hunter, Great Human being and most
of all a Great Man! George I Love You Friend, I will never Forget our
Friendship, You always Lite up My Life!
Bob Andy Shirley Jr.*

Andy Shirley - March 09, 2014 at 05:32 PM

NP

“ *I am so saddened by this news. George was always so kind and
had the funniest stories to tell. My heart goes out to the Rogers
family.*

Nancy Payne - March 09, 2014 at 05:07 PM

LP

“ *To the family,
We are so very sad to ear of this. George always made us feel
special and kept us laughing. Please know you are all in our
prayers. May you feel the comfort of our Heavenly Father"s hands
on you!*

Richie and Lesa Polson

Lesa Polson - March 09, 2014 at 04:21 PM

DB

“ *Dianne Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Dianne Brown - March 09, 2014 at 04:11 PM

DB

Praying for the family

Dianne Brown - March 09, 2014 at 04:12 PM

CW

“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

Catherine Atkins Wofford - March 09, 2014 at 04:07 PM

AJ

“ *Ann Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. George Thomas Rogers*



Ann Johnson - March 09, 2014 at 04:03 PM

RM

From all of George's friends in The Outdoor Club of Hartsville we will miss you (and your dogs) at our meetings and events. George was a wonderful friend to everyone of us.

Robert McWatty - March 13, 2014 at 07:57 AM