



Ms. Elise Beatrice Rogers

September 7, 1958 - June 28, 2016

Elise Beatrice Rogers, 57, daughter of the late Frank and Rollie (Burney) Rogers, was born on September 7th, 1958, in St. Louis, Missouri. She departed from this life at 12:22 a.m., Tuesday, June 28th, 2016, in Peoria, Illinois.

Elise accepted Christ at an early age and was a member of the Friendship M.B. Church in East St. Louis, Illinois where she sang in the choir. She attended elementary through secondary school in East St. Louis and graduated from East St. Louis Senior High School. She furthered her education with additional courses at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and at Illinois Central College.

Elise moved to Peoria, Illinois and became a member of Word of Faith Christian Center where she also was a member of the choir. She was most recently employed at HGS as a customer service consultant.

Elise was loving with a contagious sense of humor. She was full of life and the joy of her family. She enjoyed cooking, shopping, dancing, and watching DVDs of classic movies. She collected cookbooks and loved to cook for family gatherings.

She leaves to cherish her most precious memory her daughter, Shemeika "Nikki" Kye of Peoria, IL; her sister, Marilyn (Lawson) Giles of Peoria; one grandson, Carlos O'Conner, Jr. of Peoria; four nieces, Maya (Archie) Hargett of Suwanee, GA; Sheree (Arthur) Pannell, Carita Giles, Melody Giles; one nephew, Alvino Giles; her best friend, Victoria Jackson and a host of family

and friends.

Memorial services will be held at 11 am, Saturday, July 2, 2016 at Word of Faith Christian Center with a visitation beginning at 10 am. Bishop Leroy Davis, will officiate.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made to simonsmortuary.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Word of Faith Christian Center
7116 N. Terra Vista Dr.
Peoria, IL 61614

Memorial Service

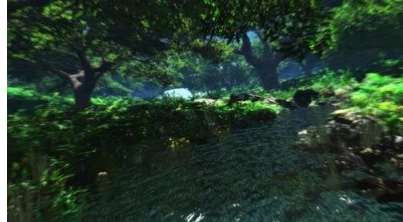
JUL 2. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Elise Beatrice Rogers*



Simons Mortuary - July 01, 2016 at 05:40 PM



Happy Birthday my friend. Your spirit lives on! I know wherever you are - you are laughing, eating good food and having fun. That was always on the agenda :) Thanks for sharing your love of life with me and everyone that you touched. I love you and miss you my good buddy, my neighbor, my friend....Clarette

C.Epps - September 07, 2022 at 10:15 AM



“ *Ms. Elise Beatrice Rogers*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Ms. Elise Beatrice Rogers*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM

GB

“ I am so sorry to find out of the passing of my childhood friend. I just happened to put her name in a search engine and it showed that she had passed. I went to grade school with Elise, I even shared a few meals with Elise, Mr. Frank and Mrs Rogers. I and another childhood friend searched for Elise and found an address, wrote to her but never heard back. I am sad but so glad that I stumbled upon this obituary because watching the video brought back so many memories of times spent with Elise. I don't know what happened to you my friend, but may your soul be at peace. My heart weeps for you my friend. I can stop looking for you now...rest easy my sweet friend.



Gayle Chapman-Betts

Gayle Betts - May 11, 2017 at 09:22 PM

ES

“ Marilyn,
So sorry to hear about Elise. I am keeping you and your family in my prayers. I am so sorry that I cannot be with you at a time like this.

May God's peace be with you now and forevermore.

Love,
Ethel

Ethel Shanklin - July 01, 2016 at 09:51 PM

JW

“ *Janice Whitelow lit a candle in memory of Ms. Elise Beatrice Rogers*



Janice Whitelow - July 01, 2016 at 08:36 PM

EC

“ *Evelyn L Clayton lit a candle in memory of Ms. Elise Beatrice Rogers*



Evelyn L Clayton - July 01, 2016 at 12:56 AM

JB

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May the God of all comfort strengthen you for the days ahead. Know that caring thoughts are with you. That "He heals the brokenhearted; He binds up their wounds."- Psalm 147:3*

JB - June 30, 2016 at 06:21 AM

ME

“What a Beautiful woman, Ms. Rogers was. I am very sorry to read of your loss. With all her love and joys, I know she was an amazing woman. I won't pretend to know what you're going through, but what has helped me deal with the loss of those I love is turning to the Scriptures, something that has been a real source of comfort. One Scripture that gives me hope is John 11:25, which says, " Jesus said to her: "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who exercises faith in me, even though he dies, will come to life." I hope that this verse will also comfort you and, I hope you and your family can get through this difficult time. Please accept my condolences for the loss of your beloved mother, grandma and friend. Sincerely, Meryl

Meryl - June 29, 2016 at 02:29 PM

TW

I didn't know Miss Rodgers only to see the news. My prayers are with the family during this time of grief. seeing that your family is saved and feeled with the Holy Ghost. God will see you thru. Sincerely Theresa W.

Theresa Walker - June 30, 2016 at 07:39 PM