



Dorothy Louise Rogers

January 16, 1926 - October 9, 2021

Dorothy Louise Rogers was a beloved mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and great great grandmother. She left this earthly world for heaven on October 9, 2021.

Louise, as she was known to her friends, was born in Cairo, Georgia on January 16, 1926 to Charlie and Maude Brady. After a brief move to Waycross in 1961, she was a resident of Jacksonville since 1963. She was Baptist by faith.

Called "Grandma Rogers" by her own grandchildren as well as so many neighborhood children, she was known for working hard, but even more for how fiercely she loved her family. Louise was well known for her upbeat optimistic attitude and always had a kind word and a warm smile to share even in the most difficult of times. Louise loved to have fun and made everyone feel welcome to her home. She was loved by everyone. She was a nature lover, wildflowers being her favorite flower. She loved babies whether human or animal. She helped raise numerous children and bottle fed many orphaned kittens and squirrels.

Louise is survived by four of her children: Mary Swords, Evelyn Jacobs, Ethel Anderson, and Ed (Carmen) Rogers; twelve grandchildren: Lee Swords, Duncan Swords, Timmy Swords, Dorothy Peace, Charles Swords, John Jacobs, Debbie Williams, Terri Duett, Ernie Joyner, Jr., Bryan Joyner, Brenda Rozier, and Justin Jones; and many great and great great grandchildren. Louise was preceded in death by a number of her loved ones, including husband Sam Rogers in 1986, grandson Norman Swords, granddaughter Miranda Zortea, and son Ernest "Ernie" Joyner. Three of her children died in infancy or childhood: Alice Faye in 1951, Barbara Ann in 1955, and Mary Ellen in 1961.

Visitation will be on October 16, 10:00 am at Corey Kerlin Funeral Home at 1426 Rowe Ave, Jacksonville, FL 32208, with a graveside service at 12:00 noon at Evergreen Cemetery.

Cemetery

Events

Evergreen Cemetery

Jacksonville, FL,

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Visitation

10:00AM - 11:00AM

Corey-Kerlin Funeral Home

1426 Rowe Ave., Jacksonville, FL, US, 32208

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Graveside Service

12:00PM - 01:00PM

Evergreen Cemetery

4535 North Main Street, Jacksonville, FL, US, 32206

Comments



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy Louise Rogers.



October 15 at 12:53 PM



“ Amber Clements lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Louise Rogers



Amber Clements - October 14 at 07:14 PM



“ Charlie and Lisa Branch purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dorothy Louise Rogers.



Charlie and Lisa Branch - October 14 at 03:50 PM



“ I have so many beautiful memories of Aunt Louise,,One of my favorite memories was walking into her home was her welcoming smile followed by and I quote
“Come on in have a seat,, and always do you want a glass of tea, are you hungry? I told my Mama once when I was very young,that Aunt Louise was the number one cook, and Mama looked at me and I said real quick but you are number two Mama,,,she just burst out laughing.. Her home was always Welcoming and she baked the best biscuits, and fried chicken (yum)! Her kitchen table was the gathering place for all the visits,, She was my favorite Aunt and I will always cherish my memories of all the visits,,I’m not saying goodbye,I’m saying I’ll see you in your new kitchen up in Heaven,, I can smell the biscuits cooking already,, and the fried chicken and taste your good sweet tea,,, I love you and I’ll see you soon...
Hugs and kisses,
Barbara Brady Beville

Barbara Beville - October 13 at 08:47 PM



“ Linda & Melinda Butler purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Dorothy Louise Rogers.



Linda & Melinda Butler - October 13 at 03:11 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Dorothy Louise Rogers.



October 13 at 01:48 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Dorothy Louise Rogers.



October 13 at 11:17 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Dorothy Louise Rogers.



October 13 at 10:16 AM



“ Carmen Rogers lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Louise Rogers



Carmen Rogers - October 13 at 10:11 AM



“ The one thing that I will always remember about Aunt Louise is that wonderful smile she always had on her face. I have only known her about 30 years since I married into the family. She always made me feel welcome and would go out of her way to make a feast when Lester and I came to visit. She will be missed. We loved her very much.

Diane Singletary

Diane Singletary - October 12 at 08:17 PM