



## Brigadier General John E. Rogers

June 26, 1934 - August 29, 2009

ROGERS, John - Brigadier General John E. Rogers (Ret.), age 75 of Grayson, passed away on Saturday, August 29, 2009 at his home surrounded by his family. Funeral Services will be held at 2 PM Tuesday, September 1, 2009 at Grayson United Methodist Church, with the remains lying in state from 1 - 2 PM. Rev. Scott Hearn and Rev. DeDe Leetch will officiate. Burial will follow in Gwinnett Memorial Park with full military honors to follow. Mr. Rogers was a Retired United States Army Brigadier General who also retired as executive director at Peper Martin Law Firm in St. Louis and as Legal Administrator at Turner Broadcasting. Mr. Rogers was a member of Grayson United Methodist Church. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Marion Rogers; Children: John "Matt" Rogers, Grantsville; Laura Rogers, Grayson; Linda & Kyle Esmonde, Lilburn; Lisa Rogers Smith, San Antonio, TX; Grandchildren: Julie & Kevin Eiland, Sharpsburg; Jeff Rogers, Grantsville; Steve, Beau and Jack Esmonde, Lilburn; Laura Smith, San Antonio, TX; Great Grandchildren: Cole Eiland and Taylor Eiland. The family will receive friends Monday, August 31 from 6 - 8 PM at Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road, SW, Lawrenceville, GA, 30045. 770-962-3100. Please sign the online guest registry at [www.stewartfh.com](http://www.stewartfh.com)

# Previous Events

## Service

SEP 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

Grayson United Methodist Church  
555 Grayson Parkway  
Grayson, GA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brigadier General John E. Rogers*

October 08, 2022 at 11:31 AM



“ *Rogers Family,*

*I have just recently heard of the passing of John, I knew him from my work as and Executive Director of a law firm in St. Louis while John was with Peper Martin. I had an immense amount of respect for John and it was an honor to call him my friend. John was a consummate professional and a gentleman to his core, always willing to take a call and discuss a problem.*

*I will never forget him.##imported-begin##Rick Wolf##imported-end##*

April 07, 2010 at 10:24 AM



“ *Dear Mrs. Rogers,*

*My heart is saddened to learn of John's passing. I hope that your family will find inspiration in all of the hearts that he touched along his courageous path. John was a great mentor and coach and will keep the angels smiling down on you all each day in good order.##imported-begin##Ann Wagner ##imported-end##*

September 01, 2009 at 08:44 PM



“ Dear Marion and family, our prayers are with you. We all 3 worked under the General at Peper Martin in St. Louis. We are now called Husch Blackwell Sanders. John hired all 3 of us and we are now all in our 22+ years of service here. We all thought a lot of him and we know he will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Tim Good, Tony Zito, and Ann Burr##imported-end##

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September 01, 2009 at 03:22 PM



“ My thoughts go out to your family during this time. John was a wonderful mentor and friend during the time I worked with him at Turner.

Our prayers are with you...##imported-begin##Tricia Brownfield##imported-end##

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September 01, 2009 at 03:19 PM



“ Mr. Rogers was so admired at the Peper Martin firm. His dry humor defused some crazy personnel situations.##imported-begin##Sharon Staffel Lustick##imported-end##

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September 01, 2009 at 02:42 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. I worked with Mr. Rogers at Peper Martin years ago and remember him as very cheerful and caring individual. He was always a pleasure to be around.##imported-begin##Joyce Markley##imported-end##

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September 01, 2009 at 02:36 PM



“ Marion,  
*It was a short friendship but a lasting one that we had with John.  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Fondly,  
Carole and Alan Smiley##imported-begin##Carole and Alan  
Smiley##imported-end##*

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September 01, 2009 at 11:28 AM



“ Sorry to hear of John's passing. You are all in my prayers. I am  
unable to get to the funeral due to some family health problems.  
Love,  
Wylene Mosley##imported-begin##Wylene Mosley##imported-  
end##

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September 01, 2009 at 11:01 AM



“ Deepest sympathy of James and Katie. Please let us know if we  
can assist you in any way, ever. I would consider it an honor.  
james##imported-begin##James & Katie Gillespie##imported-  
end##

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September 01, 2009 at 10:26 AM



“ Class of 1956 at North Georgia College.##imported-begin##Haines  
Hill##imported-end##

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August 31, 2009 at 11:59 AM



“ Dear Rogers Family,

*It was nice to meet the General at our Friday Morning coffee men's group for the period of time he was able to attend. I know he, and you all, have gone through a long and difficult struggle these many months of his illness.##imported-begin##Larry Hanna##imported-end##*

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August 31, 2009 at 10:22 AM