



## Orval E. Rogers

January 1, 1923 - March 28, 2011

Orval Edward Rogers, 88, Topeka, passed away Friday, Mar. 25, 2011. Mr. Rogers was born Feb. 18, 1923 in St. Marys KS, the son of Edward and Martha Mullen Rogers. He served two tours of duty with the US Army in WWII, in both the Pacific and European Theatres. On Aug. 28, 1948, Orval and Mary V. Mashburn were united in marriage at Assumption Church. She preceded him in death on Mar. 6, 1996. On Jan. 15, 1952, Orval was initiated as a member of United Association, Pipefitters Local #165. He worked hard to raise five children and took tremendous pride in his five grandchildren. He was handy at anything from building homes to fixing everything and gave of himself always to help others. He was a charter member of St. Matthew Church, the Knights of Columbus, Council No. 534 and the American Legion, Post 400. Survivors include his children, Carol Lynn Rogers, St. Louis, Donna Lee Rogers, St. Louis, Teri Rogers (Jeb Benfer), Topeka, Jimmy Rogers (Mary), Topeka and Kerry Rogers (Amy Runnebaum), St. Louis; grandchildren, Garrett McGraw, Grant Rogers, Braden McGraw, Mac Rogers and Patrick Rogers; and a sister, Vena Mae Willingham, Topeka. Orval was preceded in death by his three brothers, William, Harold (Red) and Kenny Rogers. Family will greet friends from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka KS 66614, where a parish prayer service will be at 7:30 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Matthew Church. Burial will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Matthew

Church and/or Grace Hospice, sent in care of the funeral home.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Orval E. Rogers*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Carol, please accept our condolences on the passing of your father. You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

**Denny and Karen McWilliams** - March 29, 2011 at 04:25 PM



“ *Carol, please accept our condolences on the passing of your father. You are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

*Denny and Karen*

**Denny and Karen McWilliams** - March 29, 2011 at 04:24 PM



“ *I fondly remember spending years at your home with all of you. Tacos, pancakes, our forts and wax guns. Your Mom and Dad were always making sure everything was OK, and we all got plenty to eat. Shep and the beautiful collie were such good playmates. Carol Lynn caused such a fuss when she dyed her hair for the 1st time. and she couldn't wait to get rid of us. It sure was real! Bless your family, each and everyone!!!*

*Donna Kraus Perry.*

**Donna KRAUS Perry** - March 28, 2011 at 09:14 PM

CW

“ Carol and Family ~ We are so sorry to hear of the passing of your beloved father and grandfather and extend our sympathy to all. May you feel God's loving arms around you providing strength, peace and comfort. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Carla & Leonard Weintraub** - March 28, 2011 at 07:17 PM

TF

“ To the Rogers Family, We'd like to extend our sincere condolences during this time of grief. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Steve, Christie, Kate, Michael and John Englander

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**The Englander Family** - March 28, 2011 at 12:16 PM

LA

“ Teri Ann and family, I am so sorry to here of the loss of your father. I had actually visited with him a couple of months ago at Atria. I had gone to visit a friend and saw that he was there. I know this is a bad time with your birthday and all but please know that I am thinking of you and your family duing this most difficult time

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**linda Haynes Anderson** - March 28, 2011 at 09:39 AM

MW

“ For the entire Roger's family: My thoughts and prayers are with you on the passing of your beloved Father and Grandfather. He was a fortunate man to have such a loving and devoted family and speaks so very highly of the man he wa; now moved on to the next level to be with those he loved who have been called home before. Strength will be yours. Marti Wedner

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**Marti Wedner** - March 27, 2011 at 03:31 PM

AR

“ Teri, Jeb, Garrett & Braden,  
*I'm so sorry to have read in the paper that your father has died. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you all.*

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**Angie & Dick Rosebrough** - March 27, 2011 at 02:39 PM

DH

“ Dear Teri and family -  
*So sorry to learn of your father's death.  
He and all of your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Duane & Rosie Henson** - March 27, 2011 at 09:03 AM

RL

“ *I would like to extend my prayers to the entire Rogers Family and I am sorry for your loss. It is said that a man's legacy is known by the children he leaves behind. I think Orval can be very proud that he has left the strongest of legacy in children and grandchildren whom will have made him very proud. My the Lord care for Orval as he does all his children.*

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**Randy Lierman** - March 26, 2011 at 12:49 PM

MB

“ *To The Entire Rogers Family ~ I would like to extend my sincere condolences. May Orval Rest In Peace.*

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**Mike Browne** - March 25, 2011 at 08:35 PM