



Shirley Jean Rogers

June 18, 1930 - March 8, 2021

Celebration of Life services for Shirley Jean Smith Rogers, 90, of Bullard will be held on Monday, March 15, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. at Emerald Bay Community Church with Dr. Darryle Dunks officiating under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rogers went to be with her Lord on Monday, March 8, 2021 in Tyler. Born June 18, 1930 in Breckenridge, TX, she was the only child of Dillon Barto Smith and Lorene Jeanette Smith. She was married to her TCU college sweetheart, Randall Weldon Rogers for 59 years and they raised their family in Tyler for over 20 years. She worked as secretary/receptionist for the Tyler ISD at Hogg Middle School and then the TISD Administrative Office.

Shirley was a charter member of the Emerald Bay Club of Bullard and considered everyone in EB her special family. After retirement, she was an avid golfer twice winning their LGA Club Championship and traveling with her golf buddies all over Central Texas.

Her love of baseball was well known. She was a skillful scorekeeper at hundreds of Tyler youth games and was awarded a baseball letter at TJC as their official scorekeeper. She was a lifelong fan of the Houston Astros (Colts) and the Texas Rangers celebrating her 50th wedding anniversary and 80th birthday at the ball parks.

She was a committed Christian and an active member of Emerald Bay Community Church.

Shirley "Gram" Rogers leaves a legacy of a devoted, caring and generous heart to her loving family including daughter, DeBe Wayne Rogers Albright Wantzloeben, husband Kenneth (Georgetown, TX); son, Randall Smith Rogers (Bullard); six grandsons, Randall E. Rogers, wife Melissa (Dallas); Blanton E. Albright (Arlington, TX); Dayne W. Albright, wife Amy (Holcomb, KS); Dillon R. Rogers, wife Melissa (Virginia Beach, VA); Marcos Martinez Rogers, wife Jacquelyn (Clinton, MS); and Urbino B. Martinez, Jr. (San Jose, CA); 11 great-grandchildren, Baileigh, Arabella, Bronwyn, Lucas, Reagan, Rowan, Jackson, Ava, Samson, Olivia, and Ezekiel.

Shirley was preceded in death by her husband, Randall Weldon Rogers.

The service will be available via the Emerald Bay Community Church Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/emeraldbaychurch>).

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Noonday Community Food Pantry, P. O. Box 2185, Flint, TX 75762, the Hospice of East Texas, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, TX 75701 or Emerald Bay Community Church, 160 LaSalle Rd, Bullard, TX 75757.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 15. 1:00 PM (CT)

Emerald Bay Community Church
160 La Salle Rd
Bullard, TX 75757

Tribute Wall



“ Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Shirley Jean Rogers



Stewart Family Funeral Home - March 12, 2021 at 02:13 PM

DD

Awesome

doug dotson. - March 13, 2021 at 02:45 PM

DG

Lovely memorial.

Diane Gruel - March 14, 2021 at 11:30 PM

SL

Absolutely wonderful!!

Sheryl Ann Lair - March 19, 2021 at 01:56 PM

NM

“ I may have shared previously but just came across this link. My mother-in-law was Elizabeth Maxwell who taught at Hogg while Shirley was in the office. Always had a smile on her face and a comforting word. Shirley and Elizabeth remained friends long after Hogg. God Bless you Smitty. We are never ready to say good-bye but God has a reason.

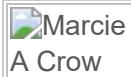
Nita Maxwell - April 24, 2021 at 01:19 AM



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Stewart Family Funeral Home - March 12, 2021 at 02:07 PM



“ *Marcie A Crow lit a candle in memory of Shirley Jean Rogers*



Marcie A Crow - March 12, 2021 at 12:02 PM

SS

“ *We have many fond memories of joining Randy, Shirley, my parents and bringing along our young children to TCU games for many years. She was a passionate TCU fan and gentle soul. Rest in peace, Shirley. Love, Steve and Laurie*



Steve Simpson - March 11, 2021 at 10:09 PM

DD

“ Shirley was an awesome lady and a dear friend. She will be missed by me my kids Zane and Kaela. We enjoyed many great times together. We always could talk about sports especially baseball. And of course TCU football. We have many great times together going to see horned frogs football. And of course emerald bay golf as well. Me and my kids loved Shirley very much. The family is in our prayers and thoughts. Love Doug Zane and Kaela. We will think about Shirley and her family often. Rest In Peace love Doug Zane Dotson and Kaela Linscombe. Go Rangers and Astros. Love again Doug Dotson.

doug dotson. - March 09, 2021 at 04:41 PM

GC

My sympathy to the family. I remember her through her cousin Judi that was a good friend of mine.

Gail McKinzie Clark

Gail McKinzie Clark - March 11, 2021 at 04:11 PM

RP

Shirley was one of the people who interviewed us when we first moved to Emerald Bay. She was such a nice lady and we saw her many times at the Club. Roy and I are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers. 🙏

Roy and Nancy Page - March 13, 2021 at 12:36 PM



We will miss Shirley. She was Ms Emerald Bay, and what you see is what you got with her. She was a true friend of many in the community including us, and we will miss her. Prayers for you all.

Jimmy & Madeline Zahirniak

Jimmy Zahirniak - March 14, 2021 at 07:42 PM