



Mrs. Marie O Rogers

April 13, 1935 - December 28, 2018

Mother Marie Oreta Hudson Rogers, 83, went home to be with the lord on December 28, 2018. She was born on April 13, 1935 to Samuel Hudson, Sr. and Florence C. Hayes, in Newport News, VA. Mother Rogers grew up in Atlantic City, NJ. Mother Rogers achieved her high school diploma. She met the love of her life, William Rogers, Sr. and they married on March 30, 1953. Between them they had 9 children. Mother Rogers was predeceased by her husband of 54 years. William Rogers, Sr.; a son, James Nathaniel Rogers; 2 grandchildren, and 1 great granddaughter.

Mother Rogers was an active member of New Life Church Hampton, Inc. She was at the inception of ministry before it became New Life Church in 1972. She allowed God to use her in many ministries; Sunday School, Newsome Park Evangelism, NLC Daycare and School, Senior Ministry, Hospitality, NLC Choir, Greeter, Tuesday Bible Study, BSF Bible Study, Woman's Aglow Retreat, and played the piano at Calvary Life. Mom was always busy doing the work of the Lord. What she loved the most was when she would care for other people when they could not do for themselves. That was her true calling. She was the best mother anyone could ever have. She was a homemaker and raised us in the admonition of the Lord. She was a persistent prayer warrior. She interceded for everyone she knew. Mother Rogers loved everyone she knew the same including her family. There was no "I love this person more than the other" with her.

When we were younger, we used to call mom "White Lightning" because she was fast with her left hand. She was left-handed, and if you said or did something wrong and thought you were getting away with it, you would get hit by that left hand before you knew it. She was the humblest person I have ever known. When we were in chaos, she did not fret at all.

Mother Rogers leaves behind to cherish her memories 4 daughters; Mary (Herley) Jones, Cynthia Hudson, Patricia Moore and Rita (Rhodney) Blow; 4 sons; Williams Rogers, Jr., Joey Rogers, Arthur (Constant) Rogers, and Carl (Ellen) Rogers. She also leaves to cherish her memories 14 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren and 25 great-great grandchildren; 1 sister Lois Green; 2 brothers-in-law Mitchell Rogers and Meredith Rogers. There is also a host of relatives, friends, and especially the New Life Church family who will cherish her memories as well. We all will miss you very much Mom. Sleep on and one day we will see you again.

Cemetery Details

Hampton Memorial Gardens

155 Butler Farm Rd.
Hampton, VA 23666

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

M.E. Fisher Funeral Home
2117 Madison Avenue
Newport News, VA 23607
(757) 245-3302
mark@mefisherfuneralhome.com
<https://www.mefisherfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

JAN 5. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

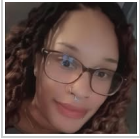
New Life Church
1525 Power Plant Parkway
Hampton, VA 23669

Burial

JAN 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Grandma I miss you so dearly!! You’ve been on my mind so faithfully everyday. You still live on in me to be the woman I am today. I love you and I can’t wait to see you again! Your grandbabies always ask me to tell stories about you!!*



Meeka Meeka - July 29, 2025 at 08:05 AM

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“ *We were sorry to learn of your loss and extend our heartfelt condolences to you and your family in the loss of your Mother. May God grant you the strength to endure during this time. Praying for God's comfort and peace for you and your family.*



George W. Carver Class of 1972 - January 10, 2019 at 08:24 PM

JB

“ *Pat, Cynthia and Family,*

I am sorry to hear of the loss of your Mother. Offering my deepest condolences during this difficult time. Always remember her beautiful smile and the good times and she will always be in your heart.



Janice Bowman-Larrimore - January 10, 2019 at 08:20 PM

AB

“ Sorry to hear of the passing of your Mother. Will keep you all in my prayers.

Ada Brooks and Family

Ada Brooks - January 04, 2019 at 12:01 PM

LS

“ Mother Marie Rogers, a servant of God, loved the New Life Church family. She prayed, helped, and served them dearly. She played the piano in children's church for many years. Her legacy of loving and caring will go on for generations. We will continue to pray strength for the family. Bro. Leroy and Min. Gwendolyn Smith (NLC), Hampton VA.



Leroy & Gwendolyn Smith - January 04, 2019 at 10:29 AM

JM

“ Sis Rogers say hello to Adrienne for me. You were her first babysitter back in 1980. RIH. Condolences to the family.

Jacqueline (owen) Maxwell - January 04, 2019 at 07:59 AM

BS

“ Love you Grandma.. I miss you 😞

Belinda Squires - January 03, 2019 at 08:04 PM

AH

“ To my grandma ROGERS pure heart of gold now gone home with our lord grandma you will be very truly miss by many. we love you until we meet again. wife latara great grandson ANTONIO HUDSON JR GREAT great GRAND DAUGHTER LADAVEN HUDSON

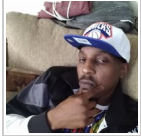
antonio hudson - January 03, 2019 at 11:12 AM



Meeka
Rogers

“ *Grandma, words can't express how I feel now that you are gone. You were the backbone and more. You were more than just a grandma and a mother. You were the prayer of the family that held this family together. I love and miss you.*

Meeka Rogers - December 30, 2018 at 04:24 AM



“ *Too many memories to shares, but forever locked away in memory and cherished. You were more then my grandma, more like a second mom to me. Love you always and forever grandma.* 🌹🌸🌺
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Robert Rogers - December 29, 2018 at 06:16 AM