



Edward H. Rogers

May 1, 1922 - September 3, 2020

HARRISVILLE – Edward H. Rogers, 98, passed away peacefully at the Coös County Nursing Hospital in West Stewartstown on Thursday, Sept. 3, 2020.

He was born in Nashua, NH, on May 1, 1922, a son to the late Normand and Erma (Clark) Rogers. His early years were spent in Marlborough, NH, where he graduated from Marlborough High School in 1940. He then attended Mount Herman Prep School and later graduated from Springfield College where he earned a Bachelor degree in social work with honors.

Edward was a veteran of the U.S. Army and served in the European theater during World War II. He was a member of the Croteau-Coutts American Legion.

Edward's professional career of 35 years was spent as a director with the YMCA, serving in Keene, NH, Palmer, Beverly and Boston, MA, and in Philadelphia.

The majority of Ed's retirement years were spent in the town of Harrisville, NH, where he was active in the Harrisville Community Church, serving as deacon, moderator, council member, and in the choir. He was an ardent outdoor sportsman and an enthusiastic high school sports official in the Monadnock region for many years. He was also active for many years in the fire service as

a 27-year member of the Harrisville Fire Dept., serving as a captain, deputy chief, and training officer. He was also a NH Deputy Forest Fire Warden and served on the board of the Meadowood County Area Fire Department.

In 2000, the Rogers moved to the Birch Hill Retirement Community in Manchester where they spent 18 years as active residents. Ed was an avid volunteer in the area of the indoor golf program, the Tavern operation, and served as secretary of the resident council, the Fund Choir and as a clerk in the Country Store. In early 2019, Ed and his wife moved to Clarksville, NH, to be closer to family.

He was married to Amilee (Connor) Rogers for 72 years until her passing in 2019. Their family includes a son, Philip Rogers of Napoleon, ND; a daughter, Janet Greer of Clarksville, NH; four grandchildren, Edward Foss of Virginia Beach, VA, Michael Rogers of Fairbanks, AK, Joshua Greer and Luanne Young of Clarksville, NH; as well as seven great-grandchildren.

There are no public calling hours. A private family service will take place at a later date.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mr. Rogers may be made to the Birch Hill Benevolent Fund, 200 Alliance Way, Manchester, NH, 03102.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

Tribute Wall

DH

“ It feels like the passing of an era to me with Ed and Am now gone. So many memories of the Harrisville 'Camp' , the many Clark reunions. Even when Ed was not there.he was very much in the conversation. Lots of news of his latest accomplishments, his sweet, Southern fiancée, Amilee. and later, their kids. Later years there were visits to Manchester, lunches and long talks. Happy memories. How they will be missed!

My condolences to all the family. May the cherished memories of two lives well lived be a comfort to you.

Diane (Murley) Houghton

Granddaughter of Lida (Clark) Hingley

Second cousin to Edward Rogers

Diane (Murley) Houghton - September 21, 2020 at 09:26 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. I had the pleasure of meeting both Ed and Am at Birch Hill - they attended my "Sit and be Fit with Lynda" exercise class for many years! What great people - so glad they were a part of my life! Rest in peace Ed and Am.

Lynda Dickson

David Dickson - September 13, 2020 at 09:36 AM

JD

“ spent many years with Ed and Am at church and at the fire sta. i think we were the first two girls in the fire dept. its been a long time. so sorry ,but they are together now. Ed drove the rescue truck many times for me on a call my sympathies.. Jane Dunn

Jane Dunn - September 08, 2020 at 03:40 PM

KI

“ *Mr. Rogers was one of the nicest, most caring, most loved men on the planet. His kindness and generosity, his humility, his love for his wife. I am blessed to have known him during his years at Birch Hill. Much sympathy to all who knew him and his family. Happy he as been reunited with the love of his life.*

Kim - September 08, 2020 at 10:00 AM

BD

“ *Betty Day lit a candle in memory of Edward H. Rogers*



betty day - September 08, 2020 at 06:19 AM

BD

sorry for your loss

betty day - September 08, 2020 at 06:20 AM

TF

“ *Mr ed was a great gentleman. He had a heart of gold.*



Theresa ferren-Avery - September 07, 2020 at 06:19 PM

TF

So sorry for ur loss janet and luanne

Theresa ferren-Avery - September 07, 2020 at 06:20 PM

RH

To the family of Ed and Amilee Rogers:

I knew both of your parents during their Philadelphia years. Your dad established a youth work program at the Central YMCA that was highly regarded and became the model for other Pennsylvania YMCAs. Philip, you were a participant in that program and I send special greetings to you. To all of you, I wish you happy memories and strong family connections.

*Bob Hoffman
West Hartford, CT*

Robert Hoffman - October 16, 2020 at 01:00 PM

RJ

“*Sympathies to the family. I met Ed when he came into CCNH. He was what you would describe as a true "gentleman" He would address everyone by their names and always had such a gentle air about him. Wonderful sense of humor. His gentle little smile he would give will be missed dearly. I'll never forget you Gentleman Ed. RIP*

Rita Johnson - September 07, 2020 at 03:27 PM



“*Janet & Josh- so very sorry for your loss. I hope you can be comforted by memories.*

Carol Bond - September 06, 2020 at 11:28 AM