



## Donna Jean Rogers

December 9, 1950 - February 19, 2018

Donna Jean Rogers was born December 9, 1950, in Russellville, Arkansas, to John Loyd and Faye Ellene Rachel Smith. She died Monday, February 19, 2018, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, at the age of 67 years. Donna was reared and educated in Owasso, Oklahoma, and graduated with the Owasso High School Class of 1968. She was married November 18, 1972, in Tulsa, Oklahoma, to Rick Rogers. She spent much of her working life as an administrative assistant to the Superintendent of Bixby Public Schools. She was a faithful member of The Crossings at BCC in Bixby. Donna had a beautiful smile and a great sense of humor which she passed on to her children. She enjoyed a variety of pastimes including shopping, reading, playing the piano, being a coach's wife, and loved her friends and family, but especially enjoyed her role of "Nana" to her grandchildren. Donna loved her kids and grandkids, but her heart belonged to Rick. Her advice on life was to be thankful for each and every day of your life, take one day at a time and always live and love every day because time goes fast. Those she leaves behind who hold many cherished memories include: Her husband; Rick, of the home; Son and daughter-in-law; Mike and Jessica Rogers, of Bixby; Daughter and son-in-law; Kari and Jared Smith, of Bixby; Grandchildren; Rachel Rogers, Jackson Rogers, Railey Smith, Ryder Smith, and Jacob Rogers; Brother and sister-in-law; Larry and Pat Smith, of Owasso; Sister and brother-in-law; Judy and Lynn Barter, of Waddell, Arizona. She was preceded in death by her parents. Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Thursday, February 22,

2018, at Mowery Funeral Service in Owasso. Funeral service will be held 10:30 a.m., Friday, February 23, 2018, at The Bridge Church in Bixby with Pastor Jeff Henson and Pastor Rusty Westerfield officiating. Committal service and interment will follow at the Bixby Cemetery in Bixby, Oklahoma. The family requests memorial contributions be made to The Crossings at BCC Building Fund, P.O. Box 953, Bixby, Oklahoma, 74008. Arrangements and services were entrusted to Mowery Funeral Service of Owasso. [www.moweryfs.com](http://www.moweryfs.com)

# Tribute Wall

SH

“ ‘Sorry to hear about the lost of Donna. We had some great times at the family reunions, My thoughts and prayers are with the family. May God keep you in his arms during this trying time.’

Sandra Hodges - February 24, 2018 at 02:32 AM

GB

“ ‘I was so sorry to hear of the passing of my cousin Donna Jean. May the Lord bless you and keep you in his special place.’

Gerald R. (Butch) Baurichter - February 22, 2018 at 09:50 PM

MN

“ ‘Rick...I will always cherish the times Donna came with you to Dover, DE, on business trips and had dinner together. What a beautiful person, inside and out. Toni and I were very saddened to hear of Donna"s passing and will keep you and the rest of the family in our prayers. I would like to hear from you one of these days after your grieving period. Please call 850) 637-0000. A lot to talk about from life after Dover. God Bless you and your family with his loving arms around you to help support all of ya"ll.’

Mark Newell - February 22, 2018 at 09:42 PM

GS

“ ‘Charlene and I send our thoughts and prayers at Donna |&#243;Γ&#233;&#188;Γ&#228;&#243;s death. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. ’

Gary and Charlene Schell - February 22, 2018 at 07:25 PM

RE

“ *We were saddened to hear of Donna's passing. My friendship with Donna began prior to the marriage of my daughter Jessica, to her son, Mike. We shared the arrival of grandsons and celebrated their birthdays. She was a special lady with a lot of love for her husband and family. She will be missed by many. Our thoughts and prayers to Rick and families.* ’

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**Robert & Debbi Estes** - February 22, 2018 at 04:07 PM

JK

“ *Jeremy Meadors and I are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and your family.* ’

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**Jeanne King** - February 22, 2018 at 01:00 AM

RB

“ *I have such special memories of Donna, Judy, and Larry. Donna was the youngest of the grand-children. She will be missed. Our love and prayers are with you.* ’

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**Rita Rachel Brown** - February 21, 2018 at 08:32 PM

CS

“ *Wonderful memories from time Donna was the organist at First Christian Church in Owasso. Enjoyed the kind smiles and kind words. We were blessed and condolences to Rick and the family.* ’

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**Cecil Snider** - February 21, 2018 at 08:29 PM

DD

“ *'Donna was the funniest woman with the prettiest smile in the world! We shared many laughs and shenanigans while working together at Bixby Public Schools. I will always treasure our memories. My prayer for the family is that you find the comfort and peace that you seek, especially during this difficult time.'*

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**Debra Dorris** - February 21, 2018 at 05:49 PM

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“ *'I am always at a loss for words when someone passes far too young. I am thankful she knew the Lord and will spend eternity in Heaven. She was always a friend to me in school (1968) and we shared many good laughs. I pray for peace for you and your family during this heartbreaking time.'*

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**Neva Stubblefield Farley** - February 21, 2018 at 04:23 PM