



Dr. Martha Elaine Rogers

March 7, 1946 - July 30, 2021

Martha Elaine Rogers, 75, passed away July 30, 2021.

A native of Spartanburg County, daughter of the late Rodeheaver Homer and Pauline Cook Rogers, Martha earned her undergraduate and master's degrees from Furman University and her PHd from the University of South Carolina. Her career in university administration took her to Virginia Wesleyan University in Virginia Beach, Virginia and Brenau University in Gainesville, Georgia. She began her university career and retired from Converse College (now University).

Surviving are her sister-in-law Dianne Rogers and nephew Robert Daniel "Danny" Rogers. She also leaves behind a host of cousins, friends, colleagues and former students who are forever grateful for her love and guidance.

Dr. Rogers was predeceased by one brother, Ronald Rogers.

A funeral service will be held 11:00 AM Saturday, August 7, 2021, at The Wood Mortuary Chapel conducted by Rev. Keith Kelly. Burial will follow in Poplar Springs Baptist Church Cemetery.

The family will be at their respective homes.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Adult Learning Center, 145 North Church Street, #82, Spartanburg, SC 29306.

Online condolences may be made to www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Poplar Springs Baptist Church Cemetery

790 Highway 417
Moore, SC 29369

Previous Events

Service

AUG 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

THE WOOD MORTUARY CHAPEL
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Tribute Wall

LA

“ I fondly recall Dr. Rogers’ smile and kindness. She directly recruited Camille and I from Puerto Rico to be part of Converse’s class of 1992. We will never forget her!

liza ann acosta - August 14, 2021 at 11:42 AM

JH

“ Martha was my first cousin, my sister always told us younger ones, they all were playing, but Martha was up in a tree, reading a book. All my memories of Martha were that she was so kind never heard a harsh word. Judy Hudson

Judy Hudson - August 06, 2021 at 01:16 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. I met Martha when she enrolled in the Education for Ministry group at St. Matthew’s Episcopal Church. Martha was one of the smartest people I know. Her knowledge of scripture was legendary. To this day, we recall her expertise to others in EFM. It was a privilege to know her.

Sending deepest sympathies,
Susan Pretulak

Susan Pretulak - August 04, 2021 at 12:19 PM