



William "Bill" F. Rogas

January 30, 1921 - September 22, 2009

Funeral services for Mr. William F. "Bill" Rogas, 88, of Henderson, will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, 2009, at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home with Rev. Ray Ludwig and Bro. Clyde Tucker officiating. Interment will be in Stewart Cemetery under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson. Mr. Rogas died Tuesday, Sept. 22, 2009, at his residence. He was born Jan. 30, 1921, in Pflugerville. He was a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church and a retired store clerk. The family says a special thanks to Azalea House and staff. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25, 2009, at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home. He was preceded in death by the mother of his children, Mary Dempsey Rogas on March 10, 1992. Survivors include: wife, Doralee Rogas of Henderson; children, Clay Rogas and wife Peggy of Tatum, Steve Rogas and wife Priscilla of Corinth, Texas, Lorie Kelsey and husband Bill of Henderson, Dr. Ben Johnson and wife Nelda of Little Rock, Ark. and Jan Spann and husband Roger of Dallas; brothers, Duane Rogas and wife Billie of Brenham and Clint Rogas and wife Betty of Austin; sisters, Edna Schuler of Middleton, Wis. and Elizabeth Blacklock and husband John of Austin; grandchildren, Michelle Trichel, Craig and Julie Rogas, Brett and Kerri Rogas, Jennifer Rogas, Michael Rogas, Scott and Kelly Johnson, Paul and Michaela Johnson, Chris and Annabell Johnson, Eric and Breanne Spann, Adam Spann and fiance' Laura Pacheco; 14 great-grandchildren; and a host of family and friends. Pallbearers will be Craig Rogas, Brett Rogas, Michael Rogas, Roger

Spann, Don Blair and Ben Johnson. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to Heart to Heart Hospice, 1402 Rice Rd., Suite 100, Tyler, TX 75703 and/or a charity of your choice. In memory of Mr. Rogas, there will be a memorial balloon release at 3 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 26, 2009 at the Azalea House in Henderson.

Previous Events

visitation

SEP **25.** 6:00 PM (CT)

Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home
1414 South Main Street
Henderson, TX 75654

service

SEP **26.** 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Clay, Peggy and Steve, We are so sorry to hear about your dad. May the lord be with you during this time of sorrow. Carl & Debbie

Carl & Debbie Smith - September 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ We wanted to send our deepest sympathy to the family. The Rogas family was and is very special to us. May God bless you and comfort you at this very difficult time in your lives. We love you and may God continue to bless you. I always enjoyed the good fellowship of Dora Lee and Bill when our church ministered to the Azalea house. And we treasure the friendship that Cindy and our family has with Lori and the family. Our friendship will never be forgotten. We love you Dora Lee, Lori and family. Linda and Doyle Benson

Doyle and Linda Benson - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ I have become very close to Bill and Doralee in the past few years - I consider them among my very best friends. Everyone will miss Bill but we look forward to meeting him again! Doralee, you are very much a part of our lives and are important to us.! We love you.1

Bette Parent - September 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM