



Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III

October 18, 1943 - June 4, 2017

Irving (Butch) W. Rogers III, age 73, of Hartfield, VA, passed away Sunday, June 4, 2017. Born in Norfolk, he was the son of the late Irving W. Rogers II and Doris Craig Rogers. Butch is survived by his devoted wife of 52 years, Louise Rainey Rogers; children, Erin Rogers Goodlin, Bryan Rogers and Matthew Rogers; grandchildren, Reese Goodlin and Avery Goodlin; sister, Brenda R Steinberg and her spouse, Gary Steinberg; many loving nieces and nephews.

He was fearless, always looking for new adventures and sharing them with unsuspecting family and friends. Butch was an avid motorcyclist, boater, equestrian and animal lover. Butch was a resident of Gloucester County for over 20 years. He served on and chaired the Gloucester County Board of Supervisors and Gloucester Community Foundation. He established the "Gloucester 350" Strategic Planning Committee and served on various civic committees. Known in his professional life as Irv, he spent a lifetime in innovation of new technology as a systems engineer primarily with General Dynamics but most recently KBRwyle.

Memorial services will be held at Hogg Funeral Home, Gloucester Point at 4 p.m. Saturday, June 10, 2017. The family invites friends to their home following the service. In memory of Butch the family desires donations may be made to Hartfield Volunteer Fire Department, 3307 Twiggs Ferry Road, Hartfield, VA 23071 or Gloucester Community Foundation, P. O. Box 2303, Gloucester, VA 23061.

Please visit <http://www.hoggfh.com> to share condolences and memories with the family.

Events

JUN Memorial Service

04:00PM

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Hogg Funeral Home & Crematory

3098 George Washington Memorial Hwy P.O. Box 990, Gloucester Point, VA

23062, Hayes, VA, US, 23072

Comments



“ Giedre and I offer our deepest sympathy to Louise and Irving's (Butch) entire family. Butch was also a vibrant part of the Regent Point Marina family, where we have known them both for more than 20 years. Their sail boat " Freedoms Chance " was always either out sailing or ready to go. At one time Butch had the distinction of owning one boat for sailing and also one which was a work in progress so he could one day sail under the bridge on the Piankatank river. He will be greatly missed. As Tennyson wrote about a sailor's passing
"Sunset and evening star,
and one clear call for me !
And may there be no moaning of the bar
When I put out to sea"

Lee and Giedre McCandless

Lee McCandless - June 13, 2017 at 11:45 AM



“ I am so sorry to about Irv's passing. Irv and I were colleagues and friends at Unisys Corporation for several years. We also shared a love of sailing and ownership of our first pony "doc". Irv was a wonderful systems analyst, friend, and one of the most dedicated, friendly and ethical people I have had the pleasure to know. My heart goes out to Louise and family. Irv will remain in my heart forever.

nancy hinman - June 10, 2017 at 07:28 PM



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Gene Seiter - June 10, 2017 at 01:22 PM



“ Butch's family is in our heavy hearts. Deepest condolences to you all. Sending our love to the east coast today & we are with you all in spirit.
Mike & Suzi Tebbetts

Suzi Tebbetts - June 10, 2017 at 01:00 PM



“ Love, Ammie, Randy, Alex and Sydney Barbee purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



Love, Ammie, Randy, Alex and Sydney Barbee - June 10, 2017 at 09:28 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



June 10, 2017 at 08:21 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



June 10, 2017 at 07:56 AM



“ Wiatt Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



Wiatt Family - June 10, 2017 at 07:39 AM



“ The Boyer Family (John, Marie, Charlie and Teddy) purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



The Boyer Family (John, Marie, Charlie and Teddy) - June 09, 2017 at 10:43 PM



“ Dear Louise, Bryan, Matt and Erin - We are so sorry for the loss of Butch. Please know that our hearts and prayers are with you in this time. Love, Marie Martin & John Boyer

Marie Martin - June 09, 2017 at 09:38 PM



“ We were so sad when we heard that Butch had passed away, and are keeping Louise & family in prayer. We are Erin's Mother-in-law & Father-in-law, and have known him for 20 years. We always enjoyed our visits with Butch (& Louise). He was a very intelligent & interesting person to talk to. He will be sadly missed. God Bless, Jim & Cathy Goodlin

Jim & Cathy Goodlin - June 09, 2017 at 07:51 PM



“ Julie, Randall and The IS Business Unit at KBRwyle purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



Julie, Randall and The IS Business Unit at KBRwyle - June 09, 2017 at 03:48 PM



“ Chris & Jamie purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



Chris & Jamie - June 09, 2017 at 02:03 PM



“ Dear Louise and family. I remember fondly the nearly 13 years I worked with Irv in the late 80s and 90s. He loved to share stories about his family and his adventures; each story punctuated with his wonderful laugh. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Donna Jewell - June 09, 2017 at 01:04 PM



“ Louise and family, we are so very saddened to hear about Irv passing. So many good memories of working with Irv, listening to horse stories, chatting about working on cars and riding motorcycles. Talking about all the celebrations and struggles that come with raising kids. All those stories came with a smile and a laugh. Our hearts are with you.

Scott and Marla Gray - June 09, 2017 at 10:31 AM



“ Ed and I are sorry to hear of Butch's passing. He was the first person to welcome us to the neighborhood and graciously lent us his tractor numerous times. He always had a smile on his face. Prayers for the family.

Ed & Della Boscana - June 09, 2017 at 07:39 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



June 08, 2017 at 10:51 PM



“ Louise and family, We are saddened to hear of Butch's passing and we wanted to let you and the family know that we thinking of your family as you go through these difficult days.

Brian And Sandra Garrett

Brian Garrett - June 08, 2017 at 11:56 AM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



June 08, 2017 at 09:04 AM



“ I'm so, so lucky to have called Irv my friend. He knew me well, but liked me anyway.

Carol Scotece Armstrong - June 08, 2017 at 09:01 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



June 08, 2017 at 08:50 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



June 08, 2017 at 07:25 AM



“ Mrs. Fields Nibblers Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Irving W. "Butch" Rogers III.



June 08, 2017 at 07:21 AM



“ Louise and family,
I am so sorry to hear of Irv's passing. He was such a wonderful person. He always has a nice word, a joyful smile, and encouraged all that crossed his dek. His laugh was contagious. He will be truly missed. I will keep you and the family in my prayers.

Rose Frederick - June 08, 2017 at 05:54 AM



“ I am so sad to hear of Butch Rogers' passing. I will never forget the many, many laughs I shared with Butch, usually while on horseback or at a 4H function. He was one of a few adults when I was a teenager who appreciated my unconventional sense of humor. He was a wonderful man with an equally wonderful family. I wish I could pay my respects in person.

I send much love and many prayers to the Rogers family as they say goodbye to a truly special person in their lives. Both Butch and Louise and their kids made a huge, positive difference in my life at a time when it really mattered.

God bless.

Jenny (Tolley) Crossen

Jenny Crossen - June 08, 2017 at 04:07 AM



“ Irv was always a welcome sight when I arrived at work each morning. His smile and laugh were contagious. He was free with his compliments and encouragement, and he was a true inspiration to so many who have worked by his side.

I always enjoyed hearing Irv tell stories about his life and I noticed how his eyes lit up when he spoke of Louise. He often took time to ask me about my family, our puppies, and how our dog training was advancing; he was genuinely interested. I feel ever so grateful that I've been allowed the privilege of knowing Irv Rogers. I will miss him.

Sincerely, LeeAnn Fillebrown

LeeAnn - June 07, 2017 at 05:32 PM



“ My sincerest condolences to all of his family. Irv was the technician who first showed me how to work a computer mouse. One click sometimes, two clicks at other times. I know he will be sorely missed. Very sincerely, Leon Leonidoff.

leon leonidoff - June 07, 2017 at 03:43 PM



“ We'll always be grateful for the many, many good times we've had with Butch,
and we'll always cherish his friendship.
With loving memories,
Larry & Maria Latona

Larry & Maria Latona - June 07, 2017 at 02:56 PM