



# Matthew "Mac" Rogers

NOV 3, 1938 - MAR 30, 2017



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**M**atthew "Mac" Francis Rogers of Centreville, MD was born November 3, 1938 and was raised in Eastport, MD. Graduated from Annapolis High School in 1957. He was a volunteer firefighter for Annapolis City Fire Department during high school and until he enlisted and served 4 years in the United States Air Force. Once he returned from his duty in the Air Force he became a paid firefighter for the Annapolis City Fire Department. He worked his way up in rank to Captain until he retired in 1999 with a proud 38 years of service.

He loved the Chesapeake Bay where he did most of his fishing, crabbing and boating. He was an avid NASCAR and Ravens fan he also enjoyed watching Fox News. Some of his favorite summer activities were gardening, growing his summer tomatoes, and watching hummingbirds on his feeders. Mac loved sitting out on his front porch soaking up the sunshine with his wife and dog, while conversing with his neighbors.

Survived by his loving and devoted wife Renee Rogers. Son, John Emrick (Carolyn), Daughter, Lauren Emrick (David Dorsey), Father, Kenneth "Buddy Rogers and step mother Ann of Chester, MD. His brother Kenny Rogers of Illinois. His beloved dog and shadow, Zoe. Preceded in death by his mother Ethel Louise Rogers.

We would be honored and would love friends, family and colleagues to share a story about Mac during the funeral service.



# Events

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## Visitation

 **Tuesday**, April 4, 2017


 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

 **Lasting Tributes Cremation & Funeral Care**  
814 Bestgate Rd, Annapolis MD 21401



## Service

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# Tribute Wall

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**Annapolis Fire Chief David L. Stokes, Sr** posted:

On behalf of the members of the Annapolis Fire Department, we wish to extend our sincere sympathy to the Roger's family. We would like to thank Captain Mac Rogers for his 36 years of dedicated service to the Annapolis Fire Department and citizens of Annapolis. We would also like to thank Mac's family for sharing him with us and supporting him through his career with the Annapolis Fire Department. Annapolis Fire Chief David L. Stokes, Sr.

April 4 at 7:09 AM



**Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:20 AM

Thank you so much. Mac was so proud to be a firefighter and to serve the city he grew up in and loved. I'm deeply touched by the presence and support I have received from his "brothers" the past several weeks. I feel Mac was looking down in all of you and smiling. I appreciate every single one of you. Much love, Renée Rogers



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Rogers family.



April 4 at 5:24 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant to the Rogers family.



April 3 at 4:26 PM



**The Zagami Family** sent a Love's Journey to the Rogers family.



April 3 at 3:03 PM



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**Michael Pavelich** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

Our deepest sympathies. Michael, Hillary & Bryson Pavelich

April 3 at 12:04 PM



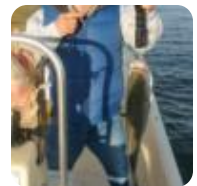
**Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:22 AM

Thank yiu!



**Allan Stevenson** shared an album called **New Album Name**.

April 3 at 11:41 AM



**Allan Stevenson** posted:

Mac was an avid fisherman who was not reluctant to chase fish even in chilly weather. One of our most memorable trips was in January of 2016 just a few days before the big snow storm that hit the area. Our fingers were a bit numb as we fumbled the slippery minnows baiting our hooks, but shivering was a small price to pay for the fun that day. The two of us caught about seventy rockfish, including one weighing over eight pounds that Mac boated. That one was the toughest to return to the water, as they all had to be. It was a pleasure and an honor to share bait with you, my friend.

April 3 at 11:39 AM



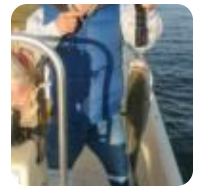
**Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:26 AM

Dear Allan. Thank you for the beautiful words and picture of Mac. He loved the time he spent with you fishing. He was looking forward to going fishing with you again. Please keep in touch. Renée



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April 3 at 11:24 AM





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**Rebecca Pruitt** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Rogers family.



April 3 at 10:13 AM



**Lori Owen** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.



April 3 at 9:10 AM

**JR Jane Rogers** August 20 at 2:41 PM

Thank you Lori! At least I get someone who recognizes and remembers that he had twin daughters, Marisa and Jane!! Who loved and loves him very dearly!!



**Rebecca Pruitt** posted:

For ten years Mac greeted us from his front porch, front or back yard across the fence, it was always nice to see him there keeping watch on our neighborhood and I will truly miss that quirky sense of humor!!!

April 3 at 9:05 AM

**RR Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:27 AM

Thank you Rebecca and Wayne ❤️



**Anonymous** sent a Pink Tribute Spray to the Rogers family.



April 3 at 8:42 AM



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**Jane Rogers** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

Rest In Paradise, Pop. Even though we've never been included, I love and miss you very much! Always have, always will. Your daughter Jane, grandchildren... Christina, James, Ryan, Daniel and great granddaughter Neva'eh. xoxoxo 😞😞



April 3 at 8:20 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Rogers family.

April 3 at 7:25 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Rogers family.

April 3 at 7:04 AM



**Carolyn Bonner** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

I meet Mac when I was 17 years old. That was 33 years ago. He worked part time at Sears like Renee. I was in my senior year of high school. Every time I saw the two of them together Renee lit up like a Christmas Tree. Renee hold on to all those beautiful memories. He was one of the good ones.

April 3 at 6:59 AM



**Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:29 AM

Thank you for your kind words Carolyn.



**C.A. Dalton** sent a Sacred Duty Spray to the Rogers family.

April 3 at 6:49 AM





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RB

**Regina Biggs** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

April 3 at 5:50 AM



BV

**Bob & Karen Vargo** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Rogers family.

April 3 at 12:41 AM



SP

**Shelly Parker** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Rest peacefully Captain Rogers.

April 3 at 12:09 AM



**RR** **Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:31 AM  
Thank you Ms. Parker. Renée Rogers

BV

**Bob & Karen Vargo** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

April 2 at 11:19 PM



BR

**Barbara Hagner Reardon** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

April 2 at 6:30 PM



LT

**Leslie Renee Tolan** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.

April 2 at 4:53 PM





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DT

**David Twigg** posted:

Captain Rogers was my first Captain at AFD. That first shift he told me to sit down at the table and go over the manual. This all stems from him asking me to name three streets that had presidents names. I could not do that so I got to read the manual. He was one of those that when a mistake was made you got called into his office to be spoke to. However he never made you feel stupid and small. He was great at what he did. One of the best memories i will have of Mac was when he took me fishing in the bay for the first time ever saltwater fishing. He smiled his but off being so proud of his boat. I caught a Rock fish for the first time and was so excited that I had caught a fish so large. Then he gave me the news, throw it back. I asked him if it was bad eating and he said " Son that is one of the best tasting fish you will ever have. Too bad we can't keep it because it is against the law. No throw it back".. I will never forget you or what you taught me. You will be missed and I will see you one day my Captain. With all my respect and love, Twigg

April 2 at 4:47 PM

RR

**Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:35 AM

David, thank you for sharing this great story. He loved all of his "brothers". I've not heard this story before. I'm glad you have such a great memory. Much love, Renée

PC

**Paul & Kay Crouch** lit a candle in honor of Matthew.



April 2 at 4:30 PM

RR

**Renee Rogers** April 13 at 5:36 AM

Thank you for your sweet words. Love you Renée

PC

**Paul And Kay Crouch** April 2 at 4:35 PM

Sending love and deepest sympathy to a dear family! "GO REST HIGH", Mac, JOB WELL DONE!!

TF

**The Quate Family** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Rogers family.



April 2 at 5:45 AM



## Media

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**Allan Stevenson** shared a photo to the **New Album Name** album.

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# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Matthew by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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