



## Leslie Harrison Rogers

July 10, 1946 - September 4, 2018

Frankfort - Leslie Harrison Rogers, 72, of Frankfort, died September 4, 2018.

Leslie was the son of the late James Clayton and Marie Caudill Rogers, of Hazard. He was preceded in death by a brother, James Thomas Rogers, and a nephew, James Leslie Rogers.

Mr. Rogers attended Lee's Junior College, Georgetown College, Morehead State University, and later the University of Louisville. After more than 40 years, he retired as the Administrator of the Division of Home Health Services of Appalachian Regional Healthcare. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Frankfort, St. Luke's Presbyterian Church, Titusville, FL and a proud Eagle Scout.

Leslie is survived by his wife of 50 years, Audrey Combs Rogers; a son, Leslie Craig Rogers, Lexington; a son, Christopher Clayton Rogers, Frankfort; and a daughter and son-in-law, Nea and Nick Rodgers, Frankfort. Additionally, he leaves behind seven grandchildren, Garrett Keaton, Gavin Michael, Gabe Harrison and Grayson James, Lexington; Andrew Clayton, New Albany, IN; Mary Clayton and Harrison Scott, Frankfort, and two special nieces; Ginger (Eric) Loy, Jamestown and Donna Rogers, Otisco, IN. He was loved by nine brother- and sisters-in-law, and a host of nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held 1:00 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Frankfort on Monday, September 10, 2018. Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., immediately followed by the Witness to the Resurrection. Burial will be at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to the University of Kentucky Markey Cancer Center or the Markey Hematology Program.

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Gardens

3250 Versailles Road  
Versailles, KY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 10. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church  
416 W. Main Street  
Frankfort, KY 40601

## Service

SEP 10. 1:00 PM (ET)

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416 W. Main Street  
Frankfort, KY 40601

# Tribute Wall



“ *Leslie Harrison Rogers*

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October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *I can not think back to my youth without Les being in my memories, from the time he was our paperboy to the time he was my scoutmaster. Such a fine example of a man, I will truly miss his humor and kindness, truly love he and Audrey and do so appreciate them being a part of my life right up to the end. God bless your family Audrey, you know what he meant to so many of us backwoods boys. Love you*  
*Steve Bingham*

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**Stephen Bingham** - September 12, 2018 at 10:05 AM



“ *Les was a great man and a joy to play golf with regardless of how we were playing. Always with a great sense of humor. The stories about trains and his grandchildren were always in abundance. You are now dancing with our Saviour and will be deeply missed. Praying for peace and comfort for your family.*

*Michael Rodgers*

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**Michael Rodgers** - September 10, 2018 at 07:51 AM



“ *Les was a fun teenager and grew into a good man. Though I haven't seen him in many years, I know I will miss him, his posts, and that forever smile. So sorry for you loss, but know Heaven is a bit richer for having him. God bless his family.*

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**Christina DeLaigle** - September 07, 2018 at 08:03 PM

BR

“ I am sooo very sorry to hear of your loss. Les was a class act and a true gentlemen who was loved and will be missed by many who were fortunate enough to have known him. May God touch your hearts with his healing hands and comfort each of you. Love and prayers.

Sincerely,  
C. Britt Robinson

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**Britt Robinson** - September 07, 2018 at 05:33 PM

Alla  
Case

“ Audrey, Craig, Chris, Nea and everyone who loved and cherished this wonderful man,

*I met this amazing man in 1970. His wife became one of my "forever friends"! Of course, Leslie remained a faithful and true friend, also!*

*I want to mention happy trips to Beech Mountain, Land of Oz, and the Furniture Market, (NC). I also want to mention happy birthday parties at the Hazard Country Club, our front yards, our back yards (many times poolside), even a surprise baby shower when the joyful news of a 3rd baby came. As everyone knows (that knew him) Leslie was a dedicated Father and Grandfather!!!!*

*Audrey, etc.....I hope these will bring a smile.....maybe not today, but when you see the printout later????*

*Lots of Love,*

*Alla Case & Shelby*

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**Alla Case** - September 07, 2018 at 01:48 PM

LT

“ Craig, I remember you in prayer.

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**Lisa Tabor** - September 07, 2018 at 09:07 AM

AG

“ Les was a wonderful person. Being with him always was a joy, and left one feeling better. Ann and I always were happy when we spent time with Les and Audrey. Les was always full of intelligent talk, laughter and good sense. Great servant of health care, Eagle Scout and Scout leader, civic and educational leader. Devoted family man. Our community is lessened by his passing.

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**Ann & Pete Gullett** - September 07, 2018 at 08:39 AM

DV

“ I graduated with "snake" in Hazard in 1964. He always had a smile on his face and a big heart. We were in the scouts together and he was a riot on the camping trips. He later helped me with my mother when she was ill. One of the good guys who will be missed.

*Don Vaughn*

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**Don Vaughn** - September 07, 2018 at 08:25 AM

DK

“ Craig, sincere sympathy on the loss of your dad. We know you will carry on his memory by being the good father to your children as he was to you.

*Dennis & Sue Kamann*

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**Dennis & Sue Kamann** - September 07, 2018 at 08:22 AM

GS

“ When our son, Todd, had leukemia and had to have a Bone Marrow transplant at the Markey Cancer center the Rogers, Leslie, Audrey and their children, gave us their home in Lexington to live in so we could be with Todd every day and be only 5 minutes away from him. This was and always will be the nicest thing that happened for us during that horrific experience we had to go through with Todd so many years ago. Thank you all for your caring generosity. When I think of this family their sweetness, goodness and kindness always comes to mind. We send our heartfelt and sincere condolences to Audrey and the family, your loss and our loss is tremendous. Love Ronnie, Jenny and Todd.

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**Genevieve Smith** - September 07, 2018 at 07:48 AM

SJ

“ Sharon Jacobs lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers



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**Sharon Jacobs** - September 07, 2018 at 07:26 AM

CC

“ Saddened to know cancer has stolen another strong and special person. Audrey and Les shared some very “interesting” places in Titusville, Fla. with Mirta and me! We talk about it to this day! On another occasion, Les took me back to Golf Club House when my cart ran out of gas on the 8th hole!! What a day!.....I worked with Les at ARH.....many memories.....and many blessings to Audrey and family now and in the future..

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**Charlene Jones Clemons** - September 06, 2018 at 10:08 PM

CN

“ So sorry for your loss. We will miss Les and we know you will miss him tremendously.

*Michael and Cheryl Neal*

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**Cheryl Neal** - September 06, 2018 at 09:42 PM

CD

“ I am so sorry. Keeping everyone in my prayers.



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**Christy Upchurch Deaton** - September 06, 2018 at 09:27 PM

BD

“ Beverly Divine lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers



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**Beverly Divine** - September 06, 2018 at 09:04 PM

BD

*So sorry for your loss. It is one of the most difficult Times to go thru, but with God's help, you will make. My prayers are with you and the family.*

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**Beverly Divine** - September 06, 2018 at 09:07 PM



“ *Lisa Cornett lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



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**Lisa Cornett** - September 06, 2018 at 07:29 PM



*Words can't describe how special Les was. He was my dear friend and I will miss him terribly. Please know how much I loved him. And how much I love Audrey, Chris all the family. My thoughts and prayers remain with you.*

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**Lisa Cornett** - September 06, 2018 at 07:36 PM

CT

“ *So sorry for your loss!*

*Charles and Jean Thacker,  
Hindman, KY*



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**Charles & Jean Thacker** - September 06, 2018 at 07:18 PM

MF

“ *Melissa Brown Farrell lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



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**Melissa Brown Farrell** - September 06, 2018 at 06:55 PM



“ *Karen Smith lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



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**Karen Smith** - September 06, 2018 at 04:33 PM

WS

“ *Wendy Stephens lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



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**Wendy Stephens** - September 06, 2018 at 04:23 PM

KP

“ *Katy Peercy lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



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**Katy Peercy** - September 06, 2018 at 02:52 PM

PF

“ *Nea (and Nick),*

*We are saddened to hear of the loss of your father. His legacy is a blessing to you and the whole family. Praying for the Father's heavenly comfort for you all during this time.*

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**Paul Del Rio & family** - September 06, 2018 at 02:48 PM

HC

“ Audrey and family,  
Please know we are so very sorry for your loss. We have many wonderful memories of working with Les, from his passion for home services to our Christmas dinners each year at Cliff Hagan's. Just know that you all are in our hearts, thoughts and prayers. Your billing clerk girls will always miss you.

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**Home Services billing office clerks** - September 06, 2018 at 02:20 PM

JE

“ So sorry to hear about Leslie as my wife and I attended Lees with him and Audrey. Our prayers are with Audrey and the family. Jim and Gloria Eckler

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**Jim Eckler** - September 06, 2018 at 01:46 PM

JF

“ Craig,  
I am so very sorry for the loss of your dad. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

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**Julie Parrish and Family** - September 06, 2018 at 10:19 AM

US

“ Our sincere and deepest sympathies to Craig and family.

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**UKHC ~ Patient Financial Services** - September 06, 2018 at 09:24 AM

KK

“ Lifting you and your family up in prayer. So sorry for your loss.

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**Karen Kelley** - September 06, 2018 at 09:15 AM

MS

“ Craig,  
*I am so sorry for your loss. Uplifting you & your family in prayer for comfort & peace.*

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**Missie Stith** - September 06, 2018 at 08:47 AM

CA

“ Craig, sending Prayers out to You and Your Family during this time.  
*Be Blessed Carmenita Anderson*

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**Carmenita Anderson** - September 06, 2018 at 08:35 AM

SC

“ Craig, I am so very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in  
*my thoughts and prayers. Love, Sandra*

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**Sandra Cato** - September 06, 2018 at 08:15 AM

CD

“ Craig, Our thoughts and prayers are with you  
*and your family.*

*Cheryl Davidson*



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**Cheryl Davidson** - September 06, 2018 at 08:09 AM

SH

“ Sandie Hammond lit a candle in memory of  
*Leslie Harrison Rogers*



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**sandie hammond** - September 06, 2018 at 08:05 AM

SH

*Craig, I am so sorry about the loss of your father. I am sure he will be greatly missed!! Always remember the great memories you have of him and the family!! Prayers for everyone!*

**sandie hammond** - September 06, 2018 at 08:06 AM

LM

“ *LeeAnn Merrill lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



**LeeAnn Merrill** - September 06, 2018 at 08:03 AM

PO

“ *To Craig & your entire family - No words can take away the sadness you're feeling. May it comfort you to know that so many truly care. Prayers for your strength in the days ahead. Within your hearts, his memory & love will always remain. With heartfelt sympathy.*



**Pattie Owens** - September 06, 2018 at 07:32 AM

LW

“ *LaRonda Wilhoite lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



**LaRonda Wilhoite** - September 06, 2018 at 07:14 AM

LW

*So Very Sorry for your loss. Prayers for peace and comfort.*

**LaRonda Wilhoite** - September 06, 2018 at 07:15 AM

UT

“ *Our condolences to Craig and his family.*

**UKHC- Contract Compliance Team** - September 06, 2018 at 06:53 AM

VK

“ *Thoughts and prayers for his family!! Love Vickie Kessler*



**Vickie Kessler** - September 06, 2018 at 05:01 AM

RH

“ *Rosamary Hall lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



**Rosamary Hall** - September 05, 2018 at 11:03 PM

MG

“ *RIP my friend. You will be missed.*

**Martha Gail** - September 05, 2018 at 10:56 PM

PC

“ *So very sorry to hear this. Our condolences to you all. Missing our neighbor tonight.*

**Paul R. Collins** - September 05, 2018 at 10:27 PM

KJ

“ Kay Gibson and I, Sue Jones are so saddened to hear of Lesley’s passing. With us he leaves many fond memories of when we worked with him at Hazard ARH. A especially seeing and visiting with him when he and Kay were both in the hospital in December 2017. Our prayers and thoughts are with you.



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**Kay Gibson & Sue Jones** - September 05, 2018 at 10:25 PM

BR

“ I am so saddened to hear of his passing. Les cared so much about home services and what it stood for. He had a such a passion and a drive to lead and guide those of us that worked for home services. He knew that our communities needed and deserved quality care and pushed us to provide not only quality care, but care with compassion and kindness. He taught me a lot and I will miss him. My thoughts and prayers are with Audrey and family.

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**Bobbie Ramey** - September 05, 2018 at 10:02 PM

RO

I spent many hours working with Les, and many more away from work - - golfing, traveling, at ball games, even horseback riding once -- as we watched our children grow up. Arlene and I are saddened by his passing, and extend our love and heartfelt condolences to Audrey and the family for their loss.

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**Ron O'Brien** - September 06, 2018 at 06:12 AM

OB

I am so sorry, as u know ur family was my family owen

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**owen c barnett** - September 06, 2018 at 06:14 PM

ES

“ Audrey, Dean and I are so sorry for your loss. Les was such a good person to everyone he met. He made you feel like you were special. Prayers for mercy and peace.



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**Elizabeth Smiley Sinor** - September 05, 2018 at 09:56 PM

JB

“ Im sorry to hear this. Leslie and my dad worked a long time together. He tried to teach my dad golf. It didn't take. My condolences.

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**Jay Buckner** - September 05, 2018 at 09:31 PM

EU

“ I remember the night that you invited us ( Doodle and the crew ) to spend the night at your home in Hazard and fed us like kings. Les showed us the trains and layout ( unbelievable) you are good people with a lot of Love. Our Loss and Les's gain, He has fought the good fight, welcome my good and faithful servant. †

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**Ed and Patty Umbreit** - September 05, 2018 at 08:59 PM

JA

“ Les was my CEO for two decades at ARH. He deeply cared for his patients and his employees. As a leader, mentor, and friend he will be missed. My deepest condolences and prayers for his beautiful family. — Johnie Akers

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**Johnie Akers** - September 05, 2018 at 08:54 PM

PL

“ We are very sorry for your loss. We will remember you in our prayers. Pat and Gary Lindon



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**Pat Lindon** - September 05, 2018 at 08:27 PM

JC

“ Nea, I am so very sorry to hear this. I loved the time I spent with you and your family when we were young. Your mom and dad were so good to me. Love and prayers for the whole family.

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**Jamie Fraley Cornett** - September 05, 2018 at 08:07 PM

MA

“ A good man I'm gonna miss him I'm so sorry to hear this god bless the family and prayers for your broken hearts

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**minor allen** - September 05, 2018 at 08:04 PM

MC

“ In the early 70's I was a young administrator with Appalachian Regional Healthcare. I was most fortunate to meet and get to know Les early on in my tenure with ARH. Throughout the years Les was a tremendous help to me and a fine friend. Les's contributions to his family, his community and to ARH, will long be remembered and revered. Murray Clark

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**Murray Clark** - September 05, 2018 at 08:01 PM

DF

“ *Donna Combs And Family lit a candle in memory of Leslie Harrison Rogers*



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**Donna Combs And Family** - September 05, 2018 at 07:57 PM

PC

“ *So sorry to hear of Les's passing. Many prayers for all of the family.*



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**Peggy Combs** - September 05, 2018 at 06:55 PM