



Roger Kay Ogden

February 11, 1936 - July 27, 2018

Roger Kay Ogden, 82, of Athens passed away at 6:40 PM on Friday, July 27, 2018 at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield. He was born on February 11, 1936 the only child of Maurice and Hazel (Watkins) Ogden. On September 24, 1961 in Petersburg he married Barbara Ruppel who survives.

Roger and Barbara have 3 sons: Steve (Dawn) of Springfield, Michael (Stephanie) of Normal and Brian (Kim) of Athens, 7 grandchildren: Andrew, Zane, Matthew, Mark, Daniel Lauren and Jonathan and 2 great granddaughters: Amber and Jade. He also leaves behind several cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents.

He was a 1954 graduate of Petersburg Harris High School and attended Western Illinois University. He served in the United States Army from 1957-1958 in Ulm Germany. After returning home from the service in 1959 he worked for Country Companies in Petersburg. In January of 1961 he became an independent Insurance Agent in Athens going into business with George Whitney, he later bought George out, starting Ogden Insurance Agency, now in Petersburg. While living in Athens he was elected mayor and also elected Menard County Commissioner for 7 years.

A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, July 31, 2018 at 11 am at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Petersburg, burial to follow at Oakland Cemetery in Petersburg. A visitation for Roger will be held on Monday, July 30, 2018 from 4:00 PM-7:00 PM at Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg and also from 10:00 AM until the time of service at the Church, Pastor Jeffrey

Gross Officiating. Memorial contributions can be made to Bethlehem Lutheran Church or St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. www.hurleyfh.com

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

Petersburg, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 30. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg
122 West Douglas Avenue
Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-2500
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Funeral

JUL 31. 11:00 AM (CT)

Bethlehem Lutheran Church
120 W Monroe
Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-2453

Tribute Wall



“ *Roger Kay Ogden*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Dear Barb, Boys and Family. We were so sorry to learn of Kay's passing. We had a lot of good times together and many good memoirs. Our Thoughts and prays are with you. Eldon and Linda Becker*

Eldon Becker - August 02, 2018 at 11:53 AM



“ *Roger " Kay" and I have been friends for over 70 years, starting in Sunday School, then High School, at Western I University and in the Army together. He was always helpful and loyal; his smile will be missed. May God give you strength to endure. Bob & Ruth Ann Sampson*

Bob & Ruth Ann Sampson - July 30, 2018 at 07:00 PM



“ *Barbara, We are sorry to hear that Roger has passed away and want to let you know how much we have enjoyed being with you over the years. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Ken and Dot Blakeley*

Kenneth Blakeley - July 30, 2018 at 02:40 PM



You have been a friend for a very long time. Glad we sat for a chat a few week's ago. Will miss you. Barbara stay strong. David & Donna Lee, Arizona

David E Lee - July 30, 2018 at 04:58 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Roger Kay Ogden.*



July 30, 2018 at 01:44 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roger Kay Ogden.*



July 30, 2018 at 10:18 AM



“ *Barb; We are so sorry to hear about Roger. We had insurance with him for years. We had fun having breakfast with you both at Ritchie's. May God bless you with peace and comfort.*

Steve & Sharon Allen - July 30, 2018 at 09:06 AM



“ *Mike/Joy Feely & kids and Judy Bernitt purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Roger Kay Ogden.*



Mike/Joy Feely & kids and Judy Bernitt - July 29, 2018 at 10:13 AM

JC

“ Barbara and family, I am so sorry to hear of Roger's passing. Your family has always had a special place in my heart. I will miss talking with him. You are in my thoughts and prayers at this time.

John W. Curry - July 29, 2018 at 07:09 AM

JL

“ Jo Ann Lutes lit a candle in memory of Roger Kay Ogden



jo Ann Lutes - July 28, 2018 at 09:32 PM

PW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you. Roger will be missed. God be with you during this time. John and Peggy Whitley

Peggy Whitley - July 28, 2018 at 06:08 PM

MM

Roger and I always visited every morning when I was working at the courthouse and he would be walking to the post office. Keeping you and your family in our prayers. Paul, Marilyn and Ellie Montgomery

Marilyn Montgomery - July 28, 2018 at 09:08 PM

GH

So sorry to hear of Roger's passing. It brought back memories of family times at Grandma and Grandpa Ogden's home in Oakford years ago. Our prayers are with you at your loss.

Glenda (Ogden) Hess — cousin

Glenda (Ogden) Hess - July 30, 2018 at 05:59 PM

MM

Barb and Families:

Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Roger will be missed but he is at Peace.

Bob & Mary Jo Morlee

Mary Jo Morlee - July 30, 2018 at 08:20 PM