



Richard Rogers Jr.

November 21, 1953 - April 7, 2026

Richard Rogers Jr., 72, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on April 7, 2026. He was born on November 21, 1953, in South Hill, Virginia.

Richard, also known as Dad, Bubby, Pop Pop and Richie, was an avid golfer who loved to tend to his garden and was a hobby photographer. He was known for the brightness he would bring to all his neighbors with his genuine smile and gift of gab. His smile was his superpower.

Richard was a painter at General Dynamics Electric Boat for 48 years. He was an usher at Shiloh Baptist Church in New London, CT. In 2021, he moved to Ocala, Florida where in May 2023 he was elected and installed as a Deacon at College Road Baptist Church.

Richard is lovingly remembered by his siblings Ruby Rogers Thompson, Ronald Rogers, Briant Rogers, and Loretta Rogers; his sons Richard Rogers III, Jeremy Rogers, and Jordan Rogers (Brynn); his daughter Erica Camby; his grandchildren Taneeka Ballinger, Shawn Ballinger, Shanel Ballinger, and Jael Rogers; and his great grandchildren Tremaine Ballinger, Shawn Ballinger Jr., and Kalanee Ballinger. He is also survived by his former wife Helene Lamchick.

Richard was predeceased by his father Richard Rogers, his mother Willy

Hester Rogers, and his sister Delores Rogers Crockett.

Richard's memory will be cherished by all who knew him. A viewing will be held on April 11, 2026, at 4:00 PM at College Road Baptist Church with a funeral service to follow at 5:00 PM. A burial will be held on April 13, 2026, at 10:00 AM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. For those attending the burial, the family requests that you wear bright colors.

Previous Events

Viewing

APR 11. 4:00 PM (ET)

College Road Baptist Church
5010 SW College Rd
Ocala, FL 34474
(352) 237-5741

Funeral Service

APR 11. 5:00 PM (ET)

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5010 SW College Rd
Ocala, FL 34474
(352) 237-5741

Burial

APR 13. 10:00 AM (ET)

Good Shepherd Mauselum Chapel
5050 SW 20th Street
Ocala, FL 34482

Tribute Wall

GS

“ I was in step class with Richard at OTOW. He was such a great joy to see and talk to. He would come out with the funniest sweet comments at times. He will always be remembered. Ginger Stam

Ginger Stam - April 17 at 04:36 PM

OF

“ Richard will live in my memory hitting range balls in his bucket hitting and dispensing humor and joy to anyone that passed by. He is missed.

Omer Fannin - April 12 at 12:33 PM

MR

“ Michael R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Rogers Jr..

Michael R. - April 11 at 12:58 PM

CR

“ Visiting with Rich in Orlando Florida. Rest easy good brother. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.



Chandler Ray - April 11 at 11:42 AM

SS

“ Shiloh New London Ministerial Staff purchased the Fall Fantasia for the family of Richard Rogers Jr..



Shiloh New London Ministerial Staff - April 11 at 11:41 AM

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JM

“ My condolences to all who loved Bro. Richard. He was one of the best Usher at Shiloh and will be remembered for his big smile and warm hugs. He would always bring goodies from his garden to share like garlic and tomatoes. He had a kind soul that touched many. Well done...now take your rest Deacon Richard. Blessings, Deaconess JoAnn Miller, Shiloh Baptist Church, New London

JoAnn P Miller - April 11 at 10:59 AM

SP

Richard will always be remembered for his warm smile, kind heart, special friend helping me through tough times, and my Deacon at College Road Baptist Church. To his family, you are special and provided a wonderful Memorial Service for us all - Special friend Sue Pollard

Sue Pollard - April 19 at 02:25 PM