



Mark Konrad Rogers

June 29, 1964 - June 22, 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Mark Konrad Rogers

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – CAPE GIRARDEAU

829 North West End Boulevard, Cape Girardeau, Missouri

Mark was born to Martin L. and Ruth (née Wolf) Rogers on June 29, 1964 in Barberton, OH. He was baptized and confirmed at Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church (LC-MS) in Akron, OH.

After graduating from Norton High School in 1982 he attended Kent State University in Kent, OH and graduated with a Bachelor of Music in Music Education degree in 1986. In 1988 he enrolled at Concordia Theological Seminary in Fort Wayne, IN. he served his vicarage (internship) at Trinity Lutheran and Norwalk Lutheran in Onkama, MI (1990-1991). He graduated in 1992 with his Master of Divinity.

Mark was ordained into the pastoral ministry on August 9, 1992. He served Trinity Lutheran Church (LC-MS) in Bend, OR from 1992-1998. He joined the Evangelical Lutheran Synod in 1998 and served Pinehurst Lutheran Church in

Eau Claire, WI from 1998-2007. He worked for three years at Wal-Mart in Wadsworth, OH from 2007-2010. In 2010 he was called to serve Scriptural Evangelical Lutheran Church in Cape Girardeau, MO and served there faithfully until his passing. Mark also served part-time at Culvers Restaurant in Cape Girardeau.

Mark was preceded in death by his parents; his niece, Debra L. Bender; both his brothers-in-law Jerry Parker and Jerry Hood; his sister-in-law Sidney Rogers and his nephew Philip Rogers. he is survived by his sisters Sharyn of Barberton, OH and Dyana of Doylestown, OH, his brother Ray (Linda) of Delmar, MD and his niece Ruth Robbins (Chris) of Fredericksburg, VA.

A memorial service will be held at Scriptural Lutheran Church (3587 County Road 635, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701) on July 13, 2025 at 10 am. An additional service will be held in Ohio on August 5, 2025. Friends and family are invited to gather at 9 am with a service at 10 am at Our Savior Lutheran Church (14343 Sprague Rd. Strongsville, OH 44136). Burial will be at Rose Hill Cemetery in Akron, OH.

Crain Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Cape Girardeau is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Rose Hill Cemetery

Akron, OH

Previous Events

Family Held Memorial Service

JUL 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (cst)

Scriptural Lutheran Church
3587 County Road 635
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Tribute Wall



“ I'm sad to hear that Mark died. I grew up knowing Mark when he was young, and I even attended Concordia Theological Seminary at the same time. His brother, Ray, is the one who took me to church when I was in high school. Mark came from a wonderful family. His father, Martin, mother, Ruth, sisters Sharon and Diane, and his niece Debbie, were always very welcoming to me and showed me what true Christian character is like. Mark and his brother used to go target shooting together with me. I last saw Mark a year ago at the Norton High School Alumni dinner. He was looking very frail from his cancer then. I look forward to seeing him again in heaven through the mercies of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Bruce Lucas - August 07, 2025 at 02:35 PM

JF

“ Pastor Rogers was a friend and a great pastor, and friend to my Mother, while she was living, which was greatly appreciated by my Mom and me . I'm confident there's a great reunion now.

Jim Frick - July 08, 2025 at 10:40 AM

LD

“ Pastor Mark was a joy to work with when he was the pastor at Pinehurst Lutheran in Eau Claire WI and I was their Monday night organist. He was kind, considerate, funny, compassionate and an all around genuine person. Mark - you will be missed here on earth but you are with Him and I know you are well cared for where you are.

Linda Downey - June 30, 2025 at 03:36 PM

PF

“ *Pastor Mark Rogers was truly a blessing to Scriptural Evangelical Lutheran Church in Cape Girardeau. He was one of the kindest and most compassionate men I have ever met. I never heard him speak a bad word about anyone. I know he was suffering very much with his illness these past few years but he would never complain about it. He was always spending his time visiting others who were sick and in nursing homes. Truly a Saint on earth! We will miss him very much! Today would of been is 61st birthday. I pray he’s celebrating it today in Heaven!!! Happy Birthday Pastor Rogers!!! May he Rest In Peace and let eternal light shine upon him.*

Patricia Fornkohl - June 29, 2025 at 07:21 AM

NS

I graduated high school with Mark and I just found out we shared a birthday. I remember him as a real quality human being. Very sad to hear of his passing.

Nick Stavarz - July 09, 2025 at 12:16 AM