



Arline Catherine Rogers

August 24, 1921 - February 4, 2015

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ALBANY - Arline Catherine Rogers, 93, passed away on Wednesday, February 4, 2015, at the Teresian House in Albany.

Arline was born in Albany to George and Mabel Desmond and lived in Hudson for over 70 years. A graduate of Germantown High School, she was a long term employee at Key Bank in Greenport.

Arline was a communicant of St Mary's Parish in Hudson and was a longtime member of the Catholic Daughters of America. She was an active participant with the Home Bureau of Columbia County. A wonderful homemaker, she was an accomplished baker and seamstress. During her retirement years she spent many winters in Hobe Sound, Fla., where she enjoyed line dancing, pool exercise classes, potluck dinner parties, and performing in clubhouse musical shows. and loved the time spent there with family and friends. Her greatest joy was her family, and as the oldest sibling she was the beloved matriarch of the extended Desmond Rogers family.

Arline was predeceased in 1988 by her beloved husband of 47 years, William E. Rogers. She is survived by her children, Joan Smith (Bill, predeceased) of Ballston Spa, NY, Alice Merrill (Frank) of Windsor Locks, CT., William Rogers

of Altamont, NY, and Daniel Rogers (Barbara) of Guilderland, NY; her 7 grandchildren (all of whom are her favorite), Stacy Smith Grisinger, Deborah Smith, Christopher Merrill (Fran), Michael and Cristina Rogers, and Daniel and Jaclyn Arline Rogers; her great grandchildren, Margaux Arline and William Grisinger, and Honor and Rex Merrill. She is predeceased by brother Robert Desmond (Jane, deceased)), and survived by brothers George Desmond (June), and Edward Desmond (June, deceased), and many loving nieces and nephews.

A calling hour will begin at 9:30 am Saturday at the Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home, 110 Green St., Hudson, NY, 12534. A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 11 am Saturday at St. Mary's Church, 429 East Allen St., Hudson, NY, 12534. Interment will be in Cedar Park Cemetery in Hudson.

Those who wish may make memorial contributions to Catholic Charities of Columbia County, 431 E. Allen St., Hudson, NY 12534

Tribute Wall

PF

“ I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. My mom and her enjoyed talking on the phone, and were friends for years.

Patrice Fontaine

Patrice Fontaine - February 08, 2015 at 09:31 PM

JJ

“ Uncle Billy's Irish eyes must be really smiling in Heaven, now.

Jim Russell, Jr. - February 08, 2015 at 01:44 AM

DR

“ I have many nice memories of Aunt Arline. She was a truly nice lady and a "great" great Aunt.

My dad (Jim Russell) remembers that she visited him when he lived in France and used to come out to see him play music at various restaurants in the area. Dan, Bill, Alice and Joan, my condolences. We just lost my mom (mary Anne) last year so I know how you're feeling.

Best wishes

Dan Russell

Dan Russell - February 07, 2015 at 09:24 AM

MO

“ Dan, Barb and family,
I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mom. Sounds like she lead a wonderful life.
My condolences to you.

Michele Ball-Oneill



Michele Oneill - February 06, 2015 at 12:33 PM

MP

“ *Arline and her family were the best neighbors ever. She always had a welcoming smile.* ”

Mary Ann Nixon Piester - February 05, 2015 at 08:41 PM

CM

“ *Carmen Mojica lit a candle in memory of Arline Catherine Rogers* ”



Carmen Mojica - February 05, 2015 at 06:28 PM

DD

“ *Dawn Marie Desmond lit a candle in memory of Arline Catherine Rogers* ”



Dawn Marie Desmond - February 05, 2015 at 09:30 AM

EH

“ *Erin Hare lit a candle in memory of Arline Catherine Rogers* ”



Erin Hare - February 05, 2015 at 08:34 AM

PW

“ JOANIE, ALICE, BILLY and DANNY:

So sorry to hear about your Mom. What a GREAT picture of her obviously celebrating in one of your backyards at a family party! Wish I could be with y'all to cherish all the memories and what memories we all do have.

Your Mom has just found a new place to gather with Bill, loved ones and friends. Can you just imagine the greeting party!

So I say in parting and with tears in my eyes

*My sympathy from Florida,
Paulie W.*

Paul Westfall - February 05, 2015 at 08:31 AM

JK

Arline was a kind, loving and beautiful lady. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. Since she left Swan Avenue it has not been the same.

*Our love, prayers and sympathy go out to all her lovely family.
Bernie & Judy K Hobe Sound, FL*

Judy Kingsbury - February 08, 2015 at 03:28 PM