



## Mr. Fred Anthony Rogers

December 27, 1968 - June 26, 2018

On December 27, 1968, Fred Anthony Rogers was born to Vera J. Rogers and Fred Rogers, and to a big sister, Greta V. Rogers, who preceded him in death.

As a young man growing up in NW Washington, DC, Anthony attended Takoma Elementary School, Gonzaga College High School, and graduated from Einstein High School, in Montgomery County. After high school, Anthony attended college at Allegheny Community College in West Virginia.

Upon finishing college, Anthony gained employment as an Inspector with Digene Corporation, a molecular diagnostics company headquartered in Gaithersburg, Maryland. Later, Anthony enjoyed working for the federal government with the Federal Trade Commission. He was responsible for taking complaints from consumers against unfair business practices.

Anthony was an avid Washington Redskins fan and cheered his team on every Sunday, win or lose. In his spare time, Anthony also enjoyed cooking and especially baking. His cakes were absolutely delicious, and many people sought after them, especially his rum cake. Some of his favorite items to purchase were tennis shoes, socks, candy and cologne. Anthony loved to “smell good and look good at all times,” as he would say.

Anthony is survived by his mother, Vera J. Rogers, and his father, Fred Rogers (Jackie), brother, Fredric Rogers, grandmother, Katherine C. Gamble, an uncle, Roy Gamble Sr., godmother, Earlene Winkey, best friend, James Booker, and a host of other loving relatives and friends.

# Previous Events

## Viewing

JUL 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Johnson & Jenkins Funeral Home  
716 Kennedy Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20011  
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## Funeral service

JUL 5. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JB

“ Deeply saddened by Anthony's passing. He was a true friend with a caring and giving spirit. I will always remember the good times we had and keep them close to my heart. My deepest condolences to Ms. Vera and the Rogers family. Know that I'm here. Rest in heavenly peace my friend. Have my rum cake ready for me when I get there.

*James Booker*

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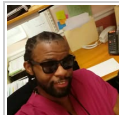
**James Booker** - July 03, 2018 at 01:09 PM

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*My deepest condolences to Ms. Vera Rogers, and the Rogers family. Anthony was a very giving and kind person. I will miss talking trash with him over the phone and texting him as we watched our favorite tv shows. He was truly a breathe of fresh air. Rest In Peace my friend. Love you much. Robert Wright*

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**Robert Wright** - July 05, 2018 at 12:02 AM



*Deepest condolences to the family anthony was a true friend and gentlemen in every aspect of the words. Always there when u needed him and beyond. Always had me cracking up from his funniness. Def will be missed.*

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**Dante Henry** - July 27, 2018 at 01:42 PM



*Today I'm just hearing of your passing. I have so many fond memories during our teen years... Remembering when we filmed a Rap Video during the late 80's played many times on MTV's "The Box" we worked really hard filming for three days yet we met new friends and had a ball. Afterwards we would stop by your dad's store and get one of those delicious sandwiches:) Many years passed us by and I stumbled upon your FB page showing off your delicious cakes... Today as I hear of your passing another part of me is gone. Anthony you were a special loving friend who loved his family. I will never forget you. Prayers of comfort to Ms. Vera and the entire Rogers Family.*

*La Shawn Bynum- Lewis*

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**Lashawn Lewis** - March 20, 2019 at 06:23 PM