



## Roger Ruggieri

April 23, 1953 - January 29, 2013

A Celebration Service of the life of Mr. Roger Alan Ruggieri age 59 of Milledgeville who passed away Tuesday, Jan 29, 2013 will be held Saturday, Feb. 2, 2013 at 10 am in Williams Funeral Home Chapel.

Mr. Ruggieri was a native of Norwalk CT the son of the late Arthur D. and Winifred McNeal Ruggieri. He lived in West Haven CT prior to moving to Milledgeville 1987. A veteran of the United States Marine Corps serving from 1971 to 1975. He was the owner of ACR Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Company and worked at Triumph Aerospace Company. He was an avid motorcycle rider, going on many charity rides, especially those benefiting children. He held the annual Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Charity Ride for over 7 years raising in excess of \$20,000. He was a member of the VFW and the Morris Little Post of the American Legion.

He is survived by his loving wife of thirty eight years Cassandra "Sandie" Ruggieri, his daughter Jalene (Karl) Peaspanen of Ashville, AL ; son Christopher (Pam) Ruggieri of Milledgeville; grandchildren Katie and Joey Peaspanen; sisters Nancy (Gene) Suttenger, Virginia (Lou) Guimond; brothers Michael (Virginia) Ruggieri and Arthur Ruggieri all of CT and various nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life Service for Mr. Roger Ruggieri will be conducted Saturday morning at 10 am in Williams Funeral Home Chapel with Military Honors.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy can be sent to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation in honour of Katie Peaspanen and in memory of Roger Ruggieri for his tireless work in raising money and awareness to find a cure for Type 1 Diabetes for his granddaughter and so many like her

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Saturday immediately following the service.

# Tribute Wall

TF

“ Sorry to here about your lost may God remember Roger in the ressurection.

the Knox Family - February 05, 2013 at 05:55 AM

LE

“ Lisa Etheridge lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri



lisa etheridge - February 04, 2013 at 11:18 AM

TH

“ Tina Harrison lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri



Tina Harrison - February 04, 2013 at 09:17 AM



“ Chris, Pam and family, so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers have and will be with you all at this difficult time.  
Pat Brown



Patricia Brown - February 02, 2013 at 06:56 AM

AN

“ *I thought very highly of Roger and I am better for having known him.*  
*Neckbone*

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**Allen Nobles** - February 01, 2013 at 08:10 PM

JO

“ *Judith M. O'Connor lit a candle in memory of*  
*Roger Ruggieri*



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**Judith M. O'Connor** - February 01, 2013 at 11:45 AM

LS

“ *Lynne Shelley lit a candle in memory of Roger*  
*Ruggieri*



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**Lynne Shelley** - February 01, 2013 at 10:32 AM

LS

*Sandie, Chris and the rest of the family. I was so saddened to learn of Roger's passing. He was a great guy and an awesome friend. I always enjoyed seeing him and knew I would get a greta big ole bear hug from him! He will truly be missed, as I know you know that. God be with you in this most difficult time!*

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**Lynne Shelley** - February 01, 2013 at 10:34 AM

RB

“ Robin Backer lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri



Robin Backer - February 01, 2013 at 10:21 AM

SM

“ Semper Fidelis !!! Rest In Peace Brother !!! Welcome Home !!!  
Jesus Loves You and So Do I !!!



Shorty Smith Reconciled Bikers M/M - February 01, 2013 at 02:46 AM

CS

“ I met Roger shortly after he moved to Milledgeville. He was one of our regular customers at Newton's Plumbing & Electric Supply on Roberson Mill Rd. It was always a pleasure to deal with Roger and his ' Outgoing Personality'. He was a really good and cool guy who will be missed my many. R.I.P and Ride On Roger..... Doyle Smith

Chester Doyle Smith - January 31, 2013 at 09:07 PM

TL

“ So sorry for your loss> Roger was an awesome guy. I always enjoyed sharing laughs with him. Tracy Letterman

Tracy Letterman - January 31, 2013 at 08:33 PM

KB

“ So very sorry for your loss. I talked to him a few times at work, he was a great guy. He will be missed by all his friends.



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**Kathy & Arthur Blizzard** - January 31, 2013 at 08:24 PM

JC

“ John S, Chiappetta lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri



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**John S, Chiappetta** - January 31, 2013 at 07:33 PM

BC

“ You may not remember me, but I was fortunate enough to work for Roger and still use some of the things he taught me. Roger was a great guy and learned many life lessons Like do it right the first time it is usually cheaper. Sorry for your loss.  
*Brian Chiappetta*

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**Brian Chiappetta** - January 31, 2013 at 07:24 PM

TP

“ Sorry to hear about Roger. Being around him gave me a great sense of been a family man.

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**Tommy Pittard** - January 31, 2013 at 03:57 PM

LM

“ Sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
*Luther & Berta and friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.*



LUTHER MINOR - January 31, 2013 at 03:56 PM

MT

“ Marvin P. Thigpen lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri



Marvin P. Thigpen - January 31, 2013 at 12:59 PM

BT

“ May God wrap you in his loving arms during this difficult time. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Bennie & Kristin Turner - January 30, 2013 at 05:05 PM

KM

*Sad to hear of Rogers passing.He was a great guy always laughing and just a jolly guy. He will be missed. Kenny and Waylogene Meyer*

kenneth w meyer - January 30, 2013 at 05:40 PM

DB

“ Darlene Brantley lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri



Darlene Brantley - January 30, 2013 at 04:43 PM

DB

*Sandie, Chris and Family.... So sorry for your loss.... Roger will always be in our hearts. Everytime I've seen him he had a smile on his face and was not shy about sharing it... God has his loving arms around him now... R.I.P. Roger... You will be missed*

**Darlene Brantley** - January 30, 2013 at 04:45 PM

JO

“ *Joe And Charlotte Owens lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri*



**Joe and Charlotte Owens** - January 30, 2013 at 03:52 PM

RF

“ *Robby Deason And Family lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri*



**Robby Deason and Family** - January 30, 2013 at 03:50 PM

CG

“ *Cassandra...I want to offer my deepest felt condolences to you and your family. I truly was shocked to hear of his passing...life is fleeting and fragile. I was always very fond of Roger and knew that if I ever needed it, Roger would give me the "shirt off his back"....a good man and he will be missed. I'm sure the voices of heaven just got a little bit louder! God Bless...*

*Marsha and Charles Grimes*

**Charles Grimes** - January 30, 2013 at 03:25 PM

DJ

“ We are so saddened to hear of Roger's passing. We always enjoyed seeing Roger pull in at Buddy's. He will be greatly missed.

*Ronny and Denise Johnson*

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**Denise Johnson** - January 30, 2013 at 01:49 PM

VI

“ *Viviankaybarker lit a candle in memory of Roger Ruggieri*



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**viviankaybarker** - January 30, 2013 at 11:16 AM