

***In Loving Memory
of
George Henry Bogues***

***Sunrise
June 27, 1953***

***Sunset
March 22, 2021***



Thursday, April 29, 2021

Family Hour: 10:00 a.m.

Service: 11:00 a.m.

From the Heart Church Ministries®

Annex at 5055 Allentown Road

Suitland, Maryland 20746

Bishop John A. Cherry, II - Pastor

Obituary

Peacefully on Monday, March 22, 2021, George Henry Bogues went home to be with the Lord. He was born on June 27, 1953, in Elizabeth City, North Carolina, to the late Bennie F. Bogues, Sr., and Willie Lee (Goo) Bogues. He was the fourth of six children, and was lovingly raised by his uncle and aunt, Willie, and Hazel Johnson.

George graduated from J.P. Knapp High School. He subsequently earned a Bachelor of Science in sociology at Elizabeth City State University. After college, he relocated to Washington, D.C., obtaining employment with the D.C. Government Community Youth Services Program. It was there that he met his future wife, Kay Demby Barber. The couple married sometime afterward.

George had a tenacious work ethic resulting from his many summers working on the farm in North Carolina. He always said when he graduated from college, he never planned to pick up anything heavier than a pencil.

Realizing that the opportunities for advancement were in the computer industry, George left the D.C. government and ventured into private industry working as a consultant. In 1991, he landed a job as a computer operator at Fannie Mae in the District. Moreover, he obtained the latest technology applications training, earned numerous certificates, and received a top secret security clearance. With these credentials, George became a specialist in business continuity/disaster recovery and was promoted to senior information technology analyst in 2004. Shortly after retiring from Fannie Mae, he joined the team of Booz Allen Hamilton in 2008, a global strategy and technology consulting firm that provides services to major international corporations and government clients around the world.

George, a devoted family man, loved listening to jazz, gardening, and going to the beach. Additionally, he took great pride in sharing the family's history and accomplishments. In fact, there was never a time when he could not be heard talking about Granddaddy George, the Bogues beach, and the family farms.

Whenever George went home to North Carolina, he always found his way to the Outer Banks and would take any child, niece, or nephew willing to go with him. Having worked in Nags Head during his summers from college, he often shared stories of the beach flooding during storms, and how he cautioned everyone to evacuate if there were storms in the forecast.

In 1991, George accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior and joined From the Heart Church Ministries. He was actively involved in the Parking and Grounds Ministry—and enjoyed the fellowship. On September 10, 2005, as a commitment to their marriage, he and Kay rededicated their vows at the church.

George will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife of 36 years, Kay Bogues; two daughters, LaTonia Winston and Anita Saunders; a stepson, Jeffrey Barber; eight grandchildren: Ashlee Barber, Chelsea Barber, Tiana Saunders, Kennedy Winston, Madison Winston, Ebone Sykes, Kyras Harris and Aramis Harris; two brothers, Ronald (Shirley) Bogues and Bennie (LaWanda) Bogues; two sisters, Cordia (Edgardo) Cedeno and Myra Turner; and a host of nieces; nephews; cousins and friends.

George was preceded in death by his brother, Myron "Joe" Bogues.

Order of Service

Invocation

Scripture Reading

Old Testament: Psalm 37:3-9

New Testament: John 14:1-6

Prayer of Comfort

Selection FTH Psalmist

Acknowledgements

Remarks

*Mrs. Cordia Cedeno, Sister
Mr. Hallet Chatman, Friend and Former Classmate
Mr. Teddy Gregory, Cousin*

Obituary (Read Silently)

Song of Preparation FTH Psalmist

Message of Hope Minister Robert Dickerson

Call to Christ

Benediction

Recessional

*Interment
Bogues Cemetery
Camden, North Carolina*



A Family Is Like A Circle

By Nicole M. O'Neil

*A family is like a circle.
The connection never ends,
and even if at times it breaks,
in time it always mends.*

*A family is like the stars.
Somehow they're always there.
Families are those who help,
who support and always care.*

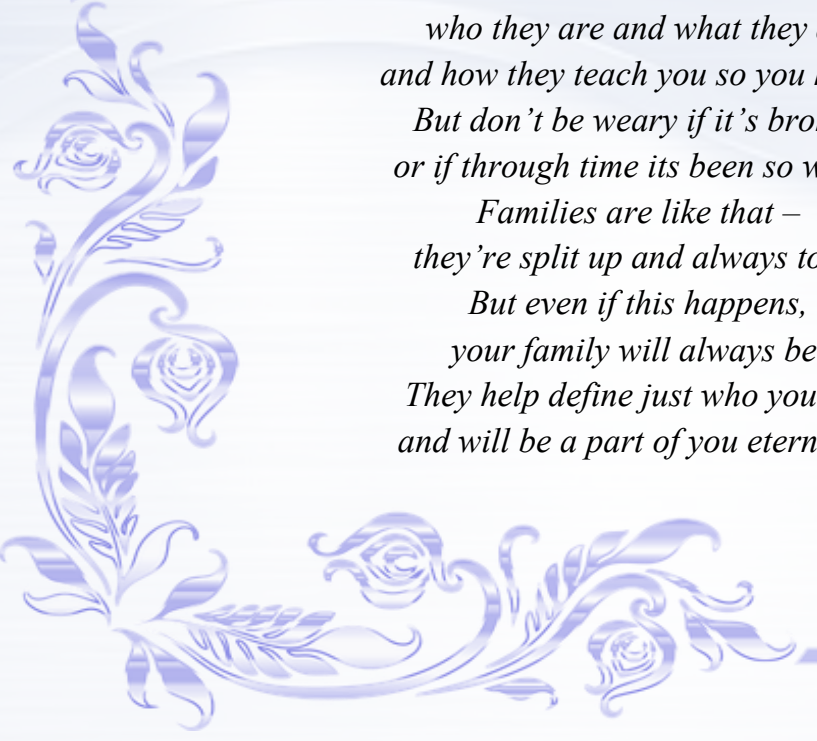
*A family is like a book.
The ending's never clear,
but through the pages of the book,
their love is always near.*

*A family is many things.
With endless words that show
who they are and what they do
and how they teach you so you know.*

*But don't be weary if it's broken
or if through time its been so worn.*

*Families are like that –
they're split up and always torn.*

*But even if this happens,
your family will always be.
They help define just who you are
and will be a part of you eternally.*



Tribute to My Husband

*Thirty-six years of memories will forever
remain in my heart.*

*The vows we made to God meant that
we would never part.*

*He sealed our commitment through faith
and bonded our love with His amazing grace.*

*I will miss your strong presence in my life,
a presence that can never be replaced.*

*But most of all, George,
I will miss being your wife.*

Love, Kay



To My Daddy

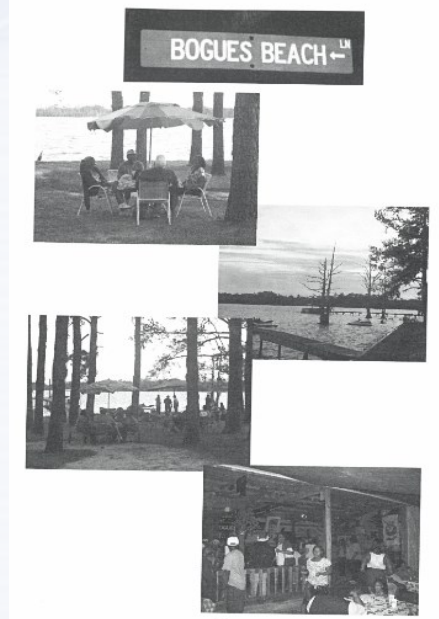
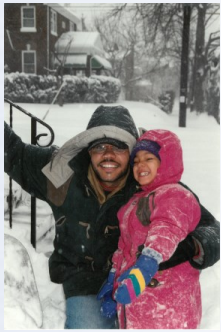
Dear Daddy,

*We still cannot believe you have left us. We will always remember and love you. Thank you for all of the hugs, kisses, great memories, and advice you gave us over the years. There are days since you have been gone we just need some fatherly advice, but we do not have anyone to turn to because the one man WE NEED is gone forever. We will never be able to thank you for all of the things you have done for us over our lifetime. We Miss and Love you Daddy.. ***Love, LaTonia****



To My Granddaddy George

*Granddaddy George, I have so many thank yous to give you. Thank you for all the hugs, kisses, and love. Thank you for teaching me how to be strong and to never give up on my goals. Thank you for supporting me through every important step I took in my life, from my first step to graduating from grad school. Thank you for being a father figure, always there in my corner. Thank you for the impromptu ice cream trips, delicious meals, and drives. Thank you for loving me and being an amazing man. You have truly made an impact in all of our lives. We were blessed to have you in our lives as a father, granddad, uncle, brother, and friend. ***Love, Tiana****







Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgement

The Bogues family sincerely appreciates every act of kindness and expression of sympathy shown to us including your prayers, comfort, love, and support during our time of bereavement. We especially want to thank our From the Heart family for unselfishly ministering to us. May the Lord Jesus Christ bless and keep you in perfect peace!

In lieu of flowers, the family request memorial contributions be made to the Joseph H. Cherry Scholarship Fund, From the Heart Church Ministries, Attn: Finance Department, 4949 Allentown Road, Suitland, Maryland 20746. Or you may visit – www.fthcm.org/give.

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