



Daniel L. Ogden

January 23, 1942 - September 17, 2018

Rev. Dr. Daniel Lawrence Ogden, age 76, husband of Sharon Ogden, of Phoenixville, PA, entered eternal life on Monday, September 17, 2018 in Paoli Hospital. Born on January 23, 1942 in Dumont, NJ, he was a son of the late Daniel and Eva (Lawrence) Ogden.

The Rev. Dr. Daniel Ogden graduated in 1960 from Dumont High School, Dumont, New Jersey. He was President of the Student Council, had the lead in the Operetta, Oklahoma and was a member of track team.

Rev. Dr. Ogden was a Minister of the Reformed Church of America and the United Church of Christ, and recently had been a helpful servant to St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Phoenixville. He obtained his BA from Hope College in Holland, MI, and had received a Master's of Divinity degree from New Brunswick Theological Seminary in New Brunswick, NJ, as well as a second Master's of Divinity degree and his Doctorate of Ministry degree from the New York Theological Seminary in New York City.

The Rev. Dr. Daniel Ogden loved to sing and had a beautiful, strong voice. He ended many of his sermons with a hymn or spiritual song. He also loved the Long Beach Island.

Rev. Dr. Ogden is survived by two children, Deborah M., wife of Jonathan

Ditmars of Lansdale, PA and Daniel P. Ogden of Haskell, NJ; and three grandchildren, Dana Ogden, Nicholas Ogden, and Haley Kempf.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his memorial service at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 121 Church Street, Phoenixville, PA on Saturday, October 13, 2018 at 11:00 am. Officiating will be Rev. Dr. Koshy Mathews and Rev. Charles Cloughen, Jr. Burial will be held privately. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his name to the Gift of Life Donor Program, "In Memory of Daniel Ogden", 401 N. 3rd Street, Philadelphia, PA 19123, or by calling 215-557-8090, or by visiting donors1.org. Condolences may be made by visiting www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, Pennsylvania.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **13**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter's Episcopal Church
121 Church Street
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Tribute Wall

DB

“ I'm so very sorry to hear of Reverend Ogden's passing. He was my minister during my teen and confirmation years and he made those special occasions so memorable. I'm 62 years old now and look back fondly on those years at Massapequa Reformed Church on Long Island. Watching mass on TV this Easter morning, my best memory of the holidays are when he would dress as a character from the Bible and do a monologue as that character....a Roman soldier at the resurrection, a shepherd at the birth of Jesus... and in full costume! And the music!!! Always lots of music! I've compared all ministers to Rev Ogden since I moved from NY in 1979 and they all come up short. My condolences to his family and church family...
Deborah Washington Blatz

Deborah Blatz - April 17, 2022 at 11:07 AM



“ My husband Scott and I were married in the Massapequa Reformed church in 1983.
How I wish I had searched for "Rev" before he passed, to let him know that almost 36 years later, we are still together. We are both active in our church as Sunday School teachers, and have 2 children and 3- soon to be 4- grandchildren! Rev was my pastor for my confirmation back in 1976, I still remember the "Last Supper" way we were set up on the podium around the table. Or love and blessings to you all.

JoAnn Abbott - June 01, 2019 at 08:22 AM

SO

“ Memories for Dan and me are personified by the word "travel". On our Sunday afternoon trips around our homes Oradell, NJ, Lavalette, NJ , Darien, GA and Bluffton, SC ,we were constantly discovering new places and people.

After a fantastic honeymoon in Key West, we shared a cruise down Holland's waterways seeing acres of incredible tulips and windmills. We were also blessed to cruise down the Seine sharing magical Paris and the Normandy region of France. Dan especially loved the UNESCO site! What fantastic times we shared!

We had planned to find an apartment in Phoenixville this fall to continue our life there. I would find them on line and Dan went to see them. But this awesome, brave and loving man had a fall that ended his life. After all he had been through, it doesn't seem right. I was so incredibly lucky to love and be loved by Dan. And finally, I know that Dan is in God's arms, at peace.

Lovingly submitted by Sherry, his wife of 12 years.

Sherry Ogden - October 18, 2018 at 02:24 PM

WN

“ I went to grammar school & Dumont High School with Dan. I remember him being the best dressed guy in the class. I still remember him in the operetta Oklahoma and all the S. O. nights with Mrs De Nazario.

My condolences to his family.

William Nicolosi DHS '60

William Nicolosi - October 14, 2018 at 11:14 PM

SB

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Dan’s children and his wife Sherri at this sad time.

My husband and I met Dan when he and his wife moved to Sun City in South Carolina and we were blessed to have them as our wonderful neighbors. Dan inspired me with his gentle ways and positive outlook and I thank God that I was blessed to know him.

Sandra Brown - October 12, 2018 at 05:14 PM

SC

“ To the Ogden Family-

I am saddened to learn of Dan's passing. It was a sincere pleasure to work with him while I was acting President of the Consistory at United Reformed Church, Somerville, NJ during his interim ministry at United.

My heart and prayers go out to his entire family during this time of bereavement. He was a wonderful man, who loved the Lord he served, his family and those he knew and served throughout his ministry. It was an honor to know him as pastor and friend.

*With loving remembrances and prayers,
Stu Cameron, Fredericksburg, VA*

Stu CAMERON - October 01, 2018 at 03:30 AM

SK

“ So sorry to learn about Danny. We attended Dumont high together and were very active in the Dutch Reformed Church young peoples' program. Danny taught me how to do the "cha cha". I have fond memories of him and know he will be missed from this earth.

Shirley Reno Kosciusko

Shirley Kosciusko - September 25, 2018 at 06:13 PM

RW

Is this the Dan Ogden who was pastor at Allwood Church in New Jersey in 1985? We were on an assignment from the UK. He made us feel very welcome

Robert Warburton - December 28, 2019 at 04:50 PM