Gary L. Rogers 17 March 1936–6 Dec 2021

Gary was a computer equipment specialist at FTD; he managed what was then NIOC, which was the computer room on the second floor, west end of Building 856. He started at ATIC in 1958; my 1960 phone book has Gary in TD-F4 (ATIC'S Supplemental Research Division), and he retired in 1991.

Gary was born and lived near Jamestown, OH until 1998, when he moved to NC. He graduated from Silvercreek school in 1954. He enlisted in the USAF after high school and was assigned to USAF Security Service as Communication Center Specialist and Crypto Operator. He married his wife Claudia in August 1963; they had two children, (Robert) Dean and (Rebecca) Jean, who both live in the Raleigh, NC area. Gary was stationed in Alaska, Aleutian Islands Wilderness (Shemya), NSA, Arlington, VA, and Foreign Technology Division, WPAFB. He was at FTD while in the AF from 1958 until 1962. He was a reservist and was called back to active duty during the Cuban Crisis in 1962. He continued at FTD as a civilian until 1991 when he retired as a computer equipment specialist. He often remarked that he had never worked in a building with windows! He enjoyed motorcycle travel and rode accident free for 60 years but quit in 2008.He had traveled coast to coast and border to border. He still enjoyed travel, fast cars, the coast and mountains, a glass of wine occasionally, and time with his family.