

Rogers Cemetery (Sometimes called Fee Lane Cemetery).
Bloomington Township Monroe County Indiana

Often overlooked, almost taken for granted, is the small cemetery located on the Indiana University Bloomington campus in front of Foster Quad. Latitude: 39.17501, Longitude: -86.51884 Thousands of students, IU employees, and Hoosier sports fans drive or walk by it daily yet probably few stop to observe its quiet serene beauty. Maintained by the university, it is surrounded by a stone wall fence.

The tall pedestal tombstone for Elizabeth Rogers (Died Feb. 6, 1865) stands out but there are some fine carving on several of the tablet stones as well, like John W. son of A. W. and Nancy A. Rogers.

For a complete story, read the blog article by Carrie Schwier, an archivist at the IU Archives entitled: "A Spot Called "God's Acre" and the Remains of Three Revolutionary War Heroines" October 30, 2012. <https://blogs.libraries.iub.edu/iubarchives/2012/10/30/gods-acre/>

Of course the Rogers name is well known in Monroe County, especially for its involvement in the stone industry. The Monroe County History Center's Research Library includes information in its Family Files: http://www.monroehistory.org/sg_userfiles/familyfilesindex.pdf including an paper by Ron Rogers read in 1986. Numerous books within the library also have histories of the Rogers Family including From the Ground Up. Search our catalog: <http://monroehistory.pastperfect-online.com/30572cgi/mweb.exe?request=ks>
Find a grave.org lists 39 interments .