



# Virginia "Ginnie" Mattingly

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Virginia M. "Ginnie" Mattingly, 89, of Zanesville, Ohio died Friday afternoon, April 22, 2016 at Genesis Morrison House in Zanesville.

Born November 3, 1926 in Zanesville she was a daughter of the late Ernest and Margaret (Deitrick) Thomas and was a 1944 graduate of Lash High School. She was also a graduate of Merideth Business College of Zanesville. Ginnie was a member of St. Thomas Catholic Church; the Zanesville Women's Club and several different area Bridge Clubs. She worked at Line Material/McGraw-Edison Company prior to moving to Toledo, Ohio with her husband, Richard C. "Dick" Mattingly. In Toledo she worked in the office of St. Francis DeSales High School for 39 years.

Surviving are two sisters, Martha Stemm of Zanesville and Shirley Smith of Lake Wylie's, South Carolina; a sister in-law, Charlotte Thomas of St. Clairsville, Ohio and eighteen nieces and nephews and many great nieces and great nephews.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her husband, Richard C. Mattingly whom she married June 3, 1950 and who died March 4, 2008; two brothers, William Thomas and Larry Thomas; her brothers in-law, Rolland Stemm and Thomas Smith; a sister in-law, Lucille Thomas and a brother in-law and sister in-law, Richard "Dick" and Mary Ann Mahaffey.

Calling hours will be 6pm to 8pm Monday, April 25, 2016 at the Dresden Chapel of Vensil & Chute Funeral Home, 714 Main Street.

Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30am Tuesday, April 26, 2016 at St. Mary's Catholic Church at the Mattingly Settlement, St. Mary's Road, Nashport, Ohio, with Father Ronald Olszewski and Father Donald Franks as celebrants. Burial will be in Mattingly Settlement Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Rosecrans High School, 1040 East Main Street, Zanesville, Ohio 43701 or to the Animal Shelter Society, 1430 Newark Road, Zanesville.



## Tribute Wall

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NR

**Nicholas Russo** posted:

I came to SFS in 78, was there til 2015. Ginnie was a kind, helpful, intelligent part of the school. She and her husband were icons. I hope those who follow her are just as good

April 30 at 7:22 AM

NR

**Nick Russo** posted:

Dear Friends and relatives, I taught at St. Francis for 37 yrs. Ginnie was one of the first persons I met when we moved from Pa. She helped me find our house. She and Dick were kind, Christian people who helped SFS prosper. They now have their heavenly reward and watch over us, and we are united to them in the mystical body of Christ.

April 30 at 5:59 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

RIP to a wonderful person and friend of so many students. Kevin Kelleher 71' Gallatin Gateway/Big Sky, MT

April 26 at 7:40 PM

DS

**Dennis Shonebarger. Sfs. 69** posted:

Very sorry to hear of the passing of Ginnie Mattingly. She was a wonderful woman who did a great job in her working time at SFS!! She took fantastic care of her husband 'Ratch' who worshipped the ground she walked on. They were a wonderful couple who devoted their lives to SFS !!!

April 26 at 4:52 PM

FE

**Fred Eberly** posted:

What a remarkable lady. Mrs. Mattingly's ever present smile and helpful attitude are what I remember most of her. She taught typing to many of us, or at least tried. In her class, we tried to take advantage of her easy going disposition but somehow she commanded respect just by being the kind and gracious person that she was. She and Coach gave themselves so unselfishly to the goals and mission of SFS. Her passing is a sad day for all who knew her. May she enjoy the bounty of her heavenly reward. Regards, Fred Eberly '65'

April 26 at 3:23 PM



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MM

**Mike Mccarthy** posted:

Ginny was always very kind to me when I played on Dick's varsity basketball team. We went very far in the state tournament in 1959 as underdogs. Dick could successfully coach any sport. Ginny later made sure I could get tickets to the State Championship Game which SFS won in 1983 or so under Val Glinka. It was the first State basketball championship ever by a Toledo school up to that time. I suggest Ginny and Dick's many fans contribute to the Mattingly Scholarship Fund she and Coach set up at St Francis, to which they devoted their lives.

April 26 at 1:54 PM

T1

**Tim Iorio 1971** posted:

When I saw Mrs. Mattingly (or Coach Mattingly for that matter) in the halls of St. Francis, they commanded such dignity and respect. It was indeed a privilege to know them. Their impact on St. Francis was tremendous!!!

April 26 at 1:38 PM

JG

**Joseph Gormley** posted:

RIP, Ms Mattingly (I could never feel comfortable calling my teacher Ginny or Virginia). She taught me the typing skills that are ever so important to survive in today's computerized world. She and "Coach" were two of the main building blocks that St. Francis was built upon. Joie Gormley '64

April 26 at 11:56 AM

NH

**Norman (Porky) Harris** posted:

It is with memories of my adopted caretakers during my High School years at St. Francis that come to my mind's eye. I loved both Ginnie and Dick for their unconditional love they showed me personally and many others along the way. Some people touch others deeply during their time together. Ginnie was a prime example of this kind of Angel. Rest in peace in the full view of our Savior and Lord.

April 26 at 8:34 AM

DW

**Dave Webb** posted:

As fine of a lady who ever graced the hallways of St. Francis de Sales. She and Dick were St. Francis. RIP

April 26 at 6:22 AM



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**Paul Ramirez 1969** posted:

Mrs. Mattingly helped me get started at SFS when I only knew one other person in the school. For that I will be ever grateful. I go out of my way to help persons who are not in the main stream because of her. RIP

April 26 at 6:03 AM

TG

**Tim Gerken** posted:

Many great memories of Dick and Ginny, and their many years at St. Francis de Sales High School. God Bless the both of them and all their family and friends.

April 26 at 5:53 AM

DB

**Dick Burnett** posted:

So sorry to hear of Ginnie's passing. She was an inspiration and good friend to our mom (Ruth Burnett Drake). Our sympathy to all of her family and friends.

April 26 at 5:32 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

Bless her heart! She was the power behind the coach! SO many "young" Knights (and their families) have wonderful memories of the love (and support) she provided. May the angels sing!

April 26 at 5:29 AM

Jl

**James Intagliata** posted:

i was Ginnie's favorite referee. Coach Mattingly forgot to hire reffs for a CentralSt. Francis game. He called me at home and asked me to get some of my ref friends and get over to DeVilbus H S.. Ginnie told him to hire me to get ref's for all what was called (non-League games)..Ginnie would give me all the dates for the following year and i would hire officials form then on until he no longer was AD at ST. Francis. she was one of my favorite people and still have great memories of her. God Bless Her.

April 25 at 1:41 PM



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SW

**Susan Pugh-Wade** posted:

I HAVE FOND MEMORIES OF GINNY AND DICK AS I WAS GROWING UP-TALKING WITH THEM AT SOCIAL EVENTS WITH MY PARENTS -----VERNON AND GERRY PUGH-----SUSAN PUGH WADE

April 25 at 6:37 AM

RE

**Rev. Thomas Extejt '65** posted:

Mrs. Mattingly was ever the professional in the office, and unfailingly kind to students. Be in God's peace.

April 24 at 3:30 PM

LB

**Leo Banasiak** posted:

GINNIE WAS MY TYPING TEACHER. SHE SAW ME ONCE LOOKING AT THE KEYS, SO SHE TAPED THEM WITH WHITE TAPE. I STILL LOOKED AT THEM AND KNEW THE DIRT SPOTS. COACH RICHARD WAS MY LINE COACH ON THE VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM AND MY GYM TEACHER AS A FRESHMAN. TOO MANY MEMORIES WITH HIM TO LIST. THEY BOTH WERE THE HEART AND SOUL OF SFS WHEN THE SCHOOL OPENED UP IN 1955 AND I GRADUATED IN 1959. THEY WILL ALWAYS BE MISSED FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS TO SFS AND WHAT IT REPRESENTS TODAY. PROUD TO HAVE KNOWN THEM BOTH PERSONALLY AND APPRECIATE HOW THEY DEVELOPED ME AS A PERSON TODAY. MANY GOOD MEMORIES. GOD BLESS THEM BOTH! RIP.

April 24 at 10:53 AM

KC

**Kathy Conley** posted:

Ginnie and Dick were such a part of my life growing up in Toledo. My Mom (Ruth Burnett Drake) was the school nurse at St. Francis and she became close friends of the Mattinglys. I have such fond memories of Sunday drives we would take with them. Ginnie and Mom enjoyed playing cards together. We were blessed to have them in our lives.

April 24 at 10:00 AM

JG

**Joyce Gibbs** posted:

I have been blessed by having Ginnie in my life. I loved playing cards with her.

April 24 at 6:29 AM



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**Paul Klein " 59 "** posted:

Ginnie made the days at St. Francis even more enjoyable!!!

April 24 at 6:00 AM

MG

**Mike Goulding** posted:

Eternal rest, Ginnie - you are a SFS legend.

April 24 at 3:57 AM



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