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**H**arold Grant Garber, 81, of Nashport, Ohio died Friday morning, September 23, 2011 in the emergency room of Genesis Good Samaritan Hospital, Zanesville, Ohio.

Born January 28, 1930 in Canton, Ohio he was the son of the late Harold Hayes and Mary Margaret (Smith) Garber. He was a veteran of the Korean War having served in the U. S. Air Force. Mr. Garber graduated in 1958 from Muskingum College with a BA in education and he later received his Masters Degree from Xavier University. He was a retired school teacher with 31 years of services, with 22 years at Tri-Valley High School where he taught English and History. As a member of the Muskingum Presbyterian Church he served on Session, sang in the choir and taught Sunday school. He was a Lay Pastor for several years serving various Presbyterian churches in the area. Mr. Garber was also a member of Frazeyburg Lodge, #490, F. & A. M. Surviving is his wife of 61 years, Annalee (English) Garber whom he married August 29, 1950; a daughter, Cherilyn Capistran of Zanesville; two sons, Harold Malcolm (Susan) Garber of Newark, Ohio and John Garber of Nashport; three grandsons, Christopher, Connor and Trevor Garber and a great grandson, Christopher Garber. There will be no calling hours.

Private family funeral services will be held 11:00 Tuesday, September 27, 2011 at the Frazeyburg Chapel of Vensil & Chute Funeral Home. Burial will be in Muskingum Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Muskingum Presbyterian Church, Care of: Lisa Anders, 6280 Rollins Drive, Nashport, Ohio 43830.



KC

**Karen Carletti** posted:

So sad to hear of the passing of Mr. Garber. He was by far the best teacher at Tri-Valley! I enjoyed being in his class so much...he always had a way of making us laugh. Thoughts and prayers to the family...May he rest in peace.

November 4 at 4:10 PM

SB

**Steve Bible** posted:

I was very sad to hear of Mr. Garber's passing. He was a great teacher and a wonderful person. He will be truly missed, T.V. class of 1971.

September 30 at 4:42 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Mr. Garber was a kind man. I had the pleasure of him being my teacher at Tri-Valley High School. He had a good sense of humor and encouraging words for all the students. My heart goes out to the whole family. God bless, Dennis Hitchcock, class of 1979

September 30 at 6:15 AM

BA

**Bob & Karen Arnold** posted:

Very sad to hear of Mr. Garber's passing! He was a great teacher we both enjoyed having him in high school. Sorry to the family and thinking of you all!! Sorry John!!

September 29 at 3:38 PM

JS

**Jenny Myers Snode** posted:

Mr. Garber was a wonderful teacher, and such a kind and patient man. I am very sorry for your loss. TV class of '89 member

September 28 at 3:43 AM



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EF

**Eleanor Fujita** posted:

Mrs. Garber and your whole family, you have the McKee family sympathy. Thank you so much for sharing your husband with the Frazeysburg Presbyterian Church. My father, Roy McKee, appreciated him so much, especially when he helped with mother's funeral service. He was a blessing to us and the community. Eleanor (McKee) Fujita

September 27 at 3:38 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Malcolm; so sorry that your father Harold passed away. Without a doubt, he was one of the best teachers at Tri-Valley High School that we ever had. My condolences. Tim Kanavel Florence, AZ

September 27 at 12:27 PM

JC

**Jeff Craig** posted:

I'm very sorry to hear of your loss. Harold was one of a few that made learning what it should be exciting. His class was always one to look forward to.

September 27 at 9:37 AM

KB

**Kelly Barcus** posted:

My deepest sympathy to your family. Mr. Garber was loved by everyone, and will be deeply missed. I will keep your family in my prayers at this difficult time.

September 27 at 3:19 AM

SH

**Stephanie House** posted:

To the Garber Family, My daughters and I will sadly miss "Mr. Garber". He was a great teacher and a wonderful spiritual leader. Stephanie House and family.

September 26 at 4:39 PM



MW

**Mark West** posted:

Malcolm, Sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. I know it's been a lot of years, but I always remember good things about him. (From our teenage years hanging out at your house, playing hockey and such). You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

September 26 at 3:00 PM

MM

**Marilyn Mannarino** posted:

I'm so sorry to hear of Harold's passing. He was one of my favorite teachers at Tri-Valley. He made you learn but have fun doing it. A great sense of humor. He touched many lives. Marilyn (Mozena) Mannarino

September 26 at 2:59 PM

CM

**Chad Mitchell** posted:

Sorry for your loss. Harold definitely made life on earth a better place for many of us. I can remember many of nights during church choir practice being popped in the head or in the hallways at Tri-Valley. It was truly a pleasure to have not only the relationship from a great teacher but also in church as a great mentor and friend. May you find comfort in knowing the impact he had on many people.

September 26 at 12:54 PM

MK

**Melissa King** posted:

Mr. Garber was one of my favorite teachers in high school. He was a wonderful man with many wonderful humorous stories that we will never forget. He will be truly missed! Love and Prayers to the Garber family. Melissa (Lucas) King and family

September 26 at 10:59 AM

JS

**Jerry Simeral** posted:

I had a great time learning history from Mr. Garber. He was a great teacher. I will always remember his stories of when he was young, like the story about listening to the boxing match on the radio between Max Schmelling and Joe Louis. Great stories and the kids today just don't know what they are missing. Rest in Peace Mr. Garber.

September 26 at 9:32 AM



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SH

**Steve Hall** posted:

Without a doubt, Harold was my favorite teacher at Tri-Valley. He will be missed by everyone who knew him.

September 26 at 9:09 AM

SM

**Sally Miller** posted:

Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Tom and Sally Mattingly Miller

September 26 at 8:16 AM

JF

**Jan Johnson (Farmer)** posted:

Mrs. Garber & Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. I remember Harold always taking time to talk with my girls at church and they loved it when he was Santa. He was always enjoyable to be around and will certainly be missed.

September 26 at 8:02 AM

LC

**Leslie & Tim Corp** posted:

So sorry to hear about Harold, he was such a great man. I remember Harold from days at church as a child. Prayers and thoughts to all.

September 26 at 7:27 AM

SW

**Shaila Smith Worley** posted:

Mr. Garber was one of my favorite teachers at Tri-Valley (1983-84), He truly cared about the students. It was a pleasure to live down the street from him for 34+ years. He will be greatly missed.

September 26 at 6:24 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

Susan, Harold & Garber family, So sorry for your loss, my prayers & thoughts are with you for the loss of such a sweet man.....Beckie McInerney(Roscoe Village)

September 26 at 5:59 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

Mrs. Harold Garber and Family, I always enjoyed working with Harold at T.V. High School. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Gene Nangle

September 26 at 5:20 AM



**Cynthia Balderson (Mattingly)** posted:

Mrs. Garber, Malcolm, and John; Harold was the best teacher at Tri-Valley for several reasons, his love of his subject matter, his students, teaching as a profession, and the respect he showed to everyone. His enthusiasm really made us want to learn. Whether the subject was English, History, Speech or Drama, he was excellent and I've never wavered in saying he was my favorite teacher in high school. God Bless all of you, and may He be with you in your grieving. God Bless Harold.

September 25 at 9:42 PM



**John Newell** posted:

Mr. Garber was a great teacher and a great person to talk to. Sorry for your loss, He will be greatly missed.

September 25 at 7:34 PM



**Todd Felumlee** posted:

Not only a teacher to many fortunate individuals, but a mentor as well. He loved life, his family, his job, his students; and countless thousands are better off for having known him. He will forever be in our hearts.

September 25 at 6:37 PM



**Donnie Stotts** posted:

Mr. Garber was my history teacher 1981/82. A great man in education.

September 25 at 4:50 PM



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September 25 at 4:49 PM



JL

**John And Brenda Lepi** posted:

Dear Mrs. Garber, Malcolm and John, We are so saddened to learn of Mr. Garber's passing! He will remain in our hearts for ever! He was one of the greatest teachers Tri-Valley ever had. I always loved bumping into him in the grocery store or about town...he always had a big smile and a hug for me! He will truly be missed!

September 25 at 2:16 PM

MW

**Merry Anne Easley Whitfield** posted:

Mr. Garber was my favorite teacher, I am sad to hear of his passing. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

September 25 at 12:04 PM

JC

**Jeff Crabtree** posted:

Sorry to hear about Harold, I sat in several meetings with him and enjoyed talking with him. He was always willing to lend a helping hand he will be missed at Frazeyburg 490

September 25 at 7:39 AM

RL

**Ron Lanning** posted:

I am sorry to hear the news. Mr. Garber was one of my favorite teachers in high school. He always put a smile on my face and in my heart. I will always cherish the memories of him.

September 25 at 6:54 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

A great history teacher. He will be missed. Condolences to John and the rest of his family. Klayton Hooper, Ottoville, Ohio

September 25 at 5:27 AM

LK

**Linda (Mozena) Kight** posted:

So sorry to hear of your loss. Mr. Garber was a great teacher and wonderful person and will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

September 25 at 4:36 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

As one of Mr.Garber's students he always made learning fun. He was one of the best. May memories give you comfort at this difficult time.Mona Hatfield-West

September 25 at 4:12 AM



**Joann (Hofstatter) King** posted:

So very sorry to hear of your father's passing. My condolences are with you

September 25 at 4:05 AM



**Dan Riley** posted:

I am so sorry to hear the news. Mr. Garber was a great teacher, quiz team advisor, and most of all a friend to all. I often think of all the fun we had with the team, and they all start with Mr. G. He will live on in my heart.

September 25 at 3:35 AM



**Heather And Charles Rice** posted:

Harold will be missed by many. He was a wonderful preacher...my husband enjoyed his Sermons so much at the Muskingum church.

September 24 at 5:39 PM



**Rex Cullins** posted:

Mr Garber was one of the better teachers at Tri Valley He will be missed

September 24 at 3:32 PM



**Dean And Tacy Sarbaugh** posted:

Harold Garber Family:Very sad to read of Harold's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this most difficult time.Dean and Tacy Sarbaugh

September 24 at 2:45 PM



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JS

**Jenny Everett Schultz** posted:

I loved having Mr. Garber as a teacher and loved listening to him sing Christmas Eve carols.

September 24 at 9:26 AM

MW

**Mike Wright** posted:

So sad to hear this news. Harold was a great teacher that I enjoyed very much in High School. I also loved his sermons. His passions came out with both professions. You will be missed Harold. It was a privilege knowing you.

September 24 at 8:41 AM

KC

**Karen Reed-Crawford** posted:

So very sorry for your loss. I dearly loved him as my teacher throughout high school. His laughter was contagious. He will be missed by many.

September 24 at 7:39 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Harold by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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