



Virginia "Ginny" Anderson

December 8, 1932 - May 12, 2017

Virginia Lee "Ginny" Anderson, 84, of St. Anne passed away Friday, May 12, 2017 at her home. She was born December 8, 1932 in Elyria, Ohio to Lee and Gertrude (Laird) Lyman. Virginia married Richard Anderson April 4, 1959 in Elyria, Ohio.

She received her Bachelor's Degree from Bowling Green State University, Ohio and her Master's degree from Governors State University. "Ginny" was a member of the Chi Omega Chapter at Bowling Green, Ohio. She taught elementary education 3 years in Lorain, OH, 9 years in Parma, Ohio and 24 years in Kankakee for Dist #111. "Ginny" was an avid reader and enjoyed cooking, baking and sewing. She was a member of Immanuel Baptist Church where she taught vacation bible school, attended women's circles, sang in the choir, and served on the Christian Education Board, the Finance Committee, and several other committees.

"Ginny" is survived by her husband, Richard of St. Anne, a son and daughter-in-law; Scott (Janet) Anderson of Melbourne, Australia, and a daughter: Lori (Tina) Ghezzi of Sydney, Australia. Also surviving are 2 grandchildren; Holly and Phoebe Anderson of Melbourne, Australia.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

There will be a memorial visitation Thursday, May 18, 2017 at Immanuel Baptist Church from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m., Friday, May 19, 2017 at Immanuel Baptist Church. Rev. Philip Gardner will officiate. Burial will be at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood, IL at a later date. Memorials may be made to Kankakee Valley Hospice, American Cancer Society or Immanuel Baptist Church.

Please sign her online guestbook at www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Road
Elwood, IL 60421
(815) 423-9958
<http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/abrahamlincoln.asp>

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

MAY 18. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Immanuel Baptist Church
1300 W. Hawkins
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 933-6619

Memorial Service

MAY 19. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia "Ginny" Anderson*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *I am so sorry to have just learned from Ginny's husband, Dick, that Ginny passed away this past May. We lived next to the Anderson's before moving to Tucson in 1978. They were great neighbors and we enjoyed Scott and Lori when they were just little ones. My son, Jeff, who is a few years younger than Scott loved being on the Anderson's swing set. The Andersons were truly wonderful neighbors and it saddens me to hear of Ginny's death. May she rest in peace and God bless Dick and Scott and Lori and their families. Sincerely, Penny Hall*

Penny Diane Hall - December 22, 2017 at 05:55 PM



“ *Please accept our heartfelt sympathy in the passing of Ginny. Our prayers are with you Dick and with your family. Sincerely, David and Judy Prairie*

Judy Prairie - May 18, 2017 at 09:40 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss, Dick. We are praying that the Lord will comfort you and the rest of the family and draw you nearer to Him in the months ahead. We will miss Ginny and her infectious smile, her laughter, and her friendship. We wanted to be there, but we're not able to manage it at this time. Love in Christ, Sam & Linda Long*

Linda Long - May 18, 2017 at 12:18 PM



“ *We are so sorry, Scott and Lori, for the loss of your mother. Prayers for your family. Ray & Debbie Sthay*

Deborah Sthay - May 17, 2017 at 02:51 PM



“ *We are so sorry to learn of this loss. Ginny was always such a sweet and cheerful person. We loved seeing her at the concerts at Olivet.*

Elaine and Joe Wischnowsky - May 16, 2017 at 05:35 PM

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“ We enjoyed knowing Ginny. She always had a smile and a kind word to say .
You will be in our thoughts and prayers. Mark and Peg Rieke

Peggy Rieke - May 16, 2017 at 04:49 PM