

# Ginger Girvin

## Becomer's Mystery Person of the week - June 24, 2012

I was born in Hartford, Conn. to Swedish mom and German dad and older brother and sister. I lived in Connecticut till age 13 then went to Catholic boarding school in Michigan till age 17. I moved to California with dad for senior year and college.

I met Geoff in math class in High School. I went Cal State Fullerton and Cal Poly and received an Elementary Teaching Credential. I married Geoff and taught Elem. School in Virginia while Geoff was in the Air Force.

We moved back to California and I taught school and raised 2 boys and 1 girl while living in Placentia.

We moved to Half Moon Bay for 15 years. I had my own private tutoring company, teaching reading. We built a private elementary school, K-8, called Sea Crest School which presently has 271 students. When kids went off to college, we moved back to Orange County to be close to relatives.

### Interesting Facts

Was a pirate (wore patch over right eye for lazy eye)

Have been to heaven (4 chair lifts up Chomonix Mt in Switzerland, up very high)

Broke window in gym playing basketball at Catholic school

Was a Brownie and Girl Scout, and a Girl Scout Counselor and Cub Scout leader

Can play the organ, piano and bass fiddle

Have traveled all over US, Europe and sailed in the Caribbean

Love anything that has to do with being by the water.

Geoff proposed to me in a boat on a little lake

Love to cook and create fun food

We attended the Crystal Cathedral for 30 years. Robert Schuller baptized all 3 kids. My name is Virginia Lee - named after General Lee. Dad loved him. Brother was Robert

Love red licorice, chocolate chip ice cream and spaghetti

Favorite number is 3, favorite color is blue and favorite wine is Chardonnay

First car was a white Ford Falcon with a stick shift

Have been married 43 years and adore my husband