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BROTHER JOSEPH N. STREIFF, S.M.  
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DAYTON, Ohio, July 18, 1985 -- Brother Joseph N. Streiff, S.M., physics laboratory supervisor at the University of Dayton and former science and mathematics teacher in several Marianist high schools throughout the United States and Africa, died on Wednesday, July 17, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Dayton. He was 67 and suffered from leukemia.

A native of Dayton, Brother Streiff entered the Society of Mary (Marianists) in 1937. Following studies at Mt. St. John in Dayton, he began a 45 year teaching career which included lengthy assignments in Marianist schools in Cleveland, Ohio; Fugar, Nigeria; and Nairobi, Kenya.

Brother Streiff taught at Cathedral Latin School, Cleveland, Ohio (1940-1943, 1947-1950, 1951-1952); St. Joseph's High School, Alameda, California (1943-1945); North Catholic High School, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (1945-1946); Chaminade High School, Mineola, New York (1946-1947); St. Joseph High School, Cleveland, Ohio (1952-1961, 1962-1965); St. John's Grammar School, Fugar, Nigeria (1965-1970); and Aquinas High School, Nairobi, Kenya (1970-1981).

In 1981, Brother Streiff retired from full-time teaching and joined the Department of Physics at the University of Dayton as laboratory supervisor.

Brother Streiff held a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from the University of Dayton and did advanced studies at the University of Michigan.

He is survived by two brothers: Brother Raymond Streiff, S.M., of the Center Marianist Community, Honolulu, Hawaii; and Charles "Chuck" Streiff of Beavercreek, Ohio.

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BROTHER JOSEPH N. STREIFF, S.M.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, July 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the Chapel of the Immaculate Conception at the University of Dayton. Mass will be preceded by visitation from 5:15 p.m. in the Chapel. Following the Mass, burial will be in Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Mt. St. John/Bergamo, Dayton.