

Sister Maria Rogéria Prieto
February 13, 1941 – April 11, 2009



Secular Name: Aparecida Prieto
Entered: July 15, 1961

Place of Birth: Aqua Limpa, São Paulo, Brasil
Parents: Domingos Prieto and
Antonia Cabeças

Siblings: nine

Ministry:

Sister M. Rogéria was born on February 13, 1941 in Aqua Limpa, São Paulo. Her parents had ten children, Aparecida being the eighth among them.

Sister Rogéria joined the congregation in 1960 and on January 25, 1961 began her novitiate. Her first profession was on January 26, 1962. In the first years of profession Sister Rogéria continued her studies and dedicated herself to education in our schools. Her perpetual profession occurred on January 26, 1967. She was a teacher, assistant in classes, assistant principal, director of maintenance and principal.

However, from 1987 to 1990 she dedicated herself to pastoral services in IV Centenário, Paraná and in São Mateus, São Paulo. But in 1991 she was assigned once again to St. Pius XII School where she served as principal and then as curriculum coordinator and director of maintenance where she enthralled everyone with her horticultural skills and care for the schools farm animals.

In August, 2008, with the discovery of advanced cancer, she was transferred to Recanto Paz e Bem for health treatment. Sister Rogéria died on April 11, 2009. Her blood sister, Sister Reinalda, had died six years earlier.



***“All praise be yours, my Lord,
through all you have made.”***

(Francis of Assisi: Canticle of the Creatures)