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Quick Facts

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Anne Moss Biggs

ROCK HILL, S.C. - An additional gift from the estate of **Anne Moss Biggs**, class of 1935, will establish the **Anne Moss Biggs Award** at Winthrop University. The award, designated for freshman students, will be funded with a \$25,000 gift from the Biggs estate, bringing total gifts from the estate to more than \$625,000.

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Biggs, of Lumberton, N.C., who passed away in 2010, cited a positive Winthrop experience as her reason for naming the university in her estate. She and her three sisters, all natives of York, S.C., are graduates of Winthrop: **Lucetta Moss Arntz**, class of 1927; **Helen Moss McCausland**, class of 1932; and **Jean Moss Mattox**, class of 1938.

Biggs earned her bachelor of arts degree from Winthrop and taught for several years before marrying **John Irvin Biggs**, who predeceased her in 1987. She volunteered for more than 20 years at **Southeastern Regional Hospital** and at the **Red Cross Blood Bank**.

For more information on making a gift to Winthrop, contact the Office of Development at 803/323-2150.

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