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## Kathryn Maegli Davis Receives Philanthropy Award from Mount Mary College

MILWAUKEE (November 20, 2012) – Kathryn Maegli Davis received Mount Mary College's "Partner in Philanthropy" Award in conjunction with the Greater Milwaukee Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals' annual National Philanthropy Day on November 13<sup>th</sup>. The "Partner in Philanthropy" honor recognizes the essential role philanthropists play in ensuring that educational and civic organizations continue to thrive.

Maegli Davis is a 1971 alumna of Mount Mary who has generously supported the College for many years. In 2007 she established the Kathryn Maegli Davis Endowed Scholarship at Mount Mary to be awarded to a returning student or single mother of junior or senior status. She also gives generously of her time serving as a member of the College's Board of Trustees and the Alumnae Association's Scholarship Review Committee. In addition to her service to Mount Mary College, she is active in the community. She volunteers at the Ronald McDonald House and is a previous board member of the Friends of the Medical College of Wisconsin.

With an undergraduate degree in Home Economics and Sociology, Maegli Davis worked for fifteen years in the fashion industry including two years with a fashion magazine in Paris. She also taught fashion design and home economics classes at Germantown High School for fifteen years.

Born in Juda, Wisconsin, Maegli Davis resides in Menomonee Falls, WI with her husband, Dr. Starkey Davis.

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Mount Mary College, founded in 1913 by the School Sisters of Notre Dame, was Wisconsin's first four-year, degree-granting Catholic college for women. Located on an 80-acre campus in Milwaukee, the College offers more than 30 undergraduate majors for women, and seven graduate and one doctorate program for women and men. Mount Mary also emphasizes study abroad, service learning, and social justice initiatives. Its more than 1600 students enjoy small class sizes (average 14) and over 90 percent of full-time students receive financial aid or scholarships. Through classroom instruction and community service, Mount Mary develops women to be leaders in their professions and their communities, serving as role models to inspire achievement in others. Visit Mount Mary at <a href="https://www.mtmary.edu">www.mtmary.edu</a>.