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Ed and Mary Ann Grazier are the Appalachian Region N Directors. They joined GWRRA in April of 2005, and served their Chapter, "The Heart of Tennessee Wings", Murfreesboro, Tennessee, as Member Enhancement Coordinators, Newsletter Editors, Chapter Couple of the Year, Assistant Chapter Directors and Chapter Directors. They also served as the Tennessee District Couple of the Year, Region N Couple of the Year, and were participants in the International Couple of the Year Selection Process at Wing Ding 30, in Greenville, SC. As Chapter Directors, Ed & Mary Ann's leadership was instrumental in creating the atmosphere that led to their Chapter being named Region N and International First Runner-Up, for two consecutive years in the Chapter of the Year Program. They served Region N as the Membership Enhancement Program Coordinators, just prior to their appointment as Region Directors.

The Graziers are both originally from Edwardsville, Illinois. They married in 1963, while Ed was on active duty with the United States Air Force, an adventure that lasted for 28 years, culminating in Ed's retirement as a Chief Master Sergeant. Mary Ann provided the light to keep the home fires burning, while Ed traveled during his military career, and is now Ed's partner in their advertising business. They make their home in Smyrna, Tennessee, about 20 miles South of Nashville. They have four children, six grand-children and three great grand-children, all residing within the greater Nashville area.

Ed now rides a 2012 Pearl White GL1800 with a Champion Trike Conversion Kit, while Mary Ann is content to be his co-rider and GPS (Girl in the Passenger Seat). The couple has traveled extensively by motorcycle in thirty-eight states since joining GWRRA, with their longest adventure being a trip of over 5,000 miles, lasting 21 days, as they rode through the North Eastern Seaboard states, into Canada and returned by way of Niagara Falls, the Adirondack and Catskill mountains, down into the Amish area of central Ohio.

Ed and Mary Ann are both current Master Tour Riders, who strongly support the safe riding philosophy and Riders Education Program. Ed is a Riders Education Seminar Presenter, Parking Lot Practice Facilitator and GWRRA TRC Instructor. He is also a Leadership Training Instructor and active in educating our new members on our association and the GWRRA experience.