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league manager, left the Twins with a 54-71 record, mired in fourth place in the American League West and 26½ games off the pace of first-place Kansas City.

In four full seasons and a partial fifth as manager at Minnesota, Mauch's Twins finished 85-77 for third place in 1976, 84-77 for fourth place in 1977, 73-89 for fourth place in 1978 and 82-80 for fourth place in 1979. His over-all record with the Twins is 378-394.

Griffith paid tribute to Mauch, thanking him for doing an outstanding job and saying he would miss his wisdom and theory on baseball. Griffith said he would accompany the Twins on this week's seven-game trip through Cleveland and Toronto, where he could discuss the future of the club with Goryl.