



## Ronald Gaylord Jr.

July 4, 1955 - January 20, 2023

Ronald Gaylord Jr., 67 of Elizaville passed away Friday January 20, 2023 in Albany, NY. Born July 4, 1955 in Hudson, NY, he is the son of Ronald Sr. and Marguerite (Lyons) Gaylord.

Ronnie graduated from Hudson High School, and while attending school, he worked with his father in their family business Surge Milking equipment. His career path led him to the City of Hudson Department of Public Works, where he retired as a foreman after 37 years of service. Ronnie loved the City of Hudson and all the friends he met while living here. He was very friendly and social, and loved to converse with anyone who would enjoy his company. Aside from his adoring family, weather was Ronnie's top priority. He always had a weather report on (especially from November through March) in constant preparation for the next City of Hudson snow removal task. Ronnie was especially proud of his Green John Deere tractor, and his Harley Road King, both of which he meticulously maintained and was always improving and adding to his Harley. New additions to his Harley was some sort of a friendly competition amongst other bike owners. He also enjoyed, and was proud of his renovations in the family homestead of which he and Barbara lived. Ronnie was a social member of C.H. Evans Hook and Ladder, and was a member of Hudson Elks #787. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend. Other joys of Ronnie's were hunting in his younger days, and more recently camping up and down the east coast, especially favoring Maine and Pennsylvania. Enjoying nature and watching

weather develop over the Taghkanic Mountains also gave Ronnie much comfort.

Ron will be forever loved by his wife Barbara (Young) Gaylord, his two sons and daughters in law Ronnie (Ashley Snow) Gaylord III, and William P. (Morgan Colarusso) Gaylord, grandchildren, Ainslee, Liam, Colton, and Parker, siblings Mark (Lisa) Gaylord, Brian (Kim) Gaylord, Kevin (Evelyn) Gaylord and Kim (Paul Kisselbrack) Gaylord, along with his aunt Betsy Lyons and several nieces and nephews. Ron was predeceased by his parents Ronald and Marguerite, and his uncle Wally.

Funeral services will be Tuesday January 24, 2023 at 5:00 from the Bates & Anderson-Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home. Visitation prior to funeral prayers will be from 2:00-5:00pm. Contributions in memory of Ronnie may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

# Previous Events

## Visitation Hours

JAN **24**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler  
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# Tribute Wall

KS

“ Sincere condolences to the family. From cousins:  
Kathy Shemels Schrader  
John Shemels



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**Kathy Schrader** - January 30, 2023 at 07:14 PM

DV

“ Most sincere condolences to my old friends in Hudson. I have many good memories of camping and just hanging out with Ronnie and Barbara. I was so very sorry to hear of Ron's passing. May all your great memories and God's strength get you through. You will forever be in my prayers.

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**Deb (Peck) Vanamburgh** - January 29, 2023 at 09:08 AM

KS

“ Heartfelt sympathy to our family.  
  
John Shemels  
Kathleen Shemels Schrader  
(Cousins)



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**Kathy Schrader** - January 27, 2023 at 09:07 AM

KS

“ Sincere sympathy to all of the family. You are in our prayers.  
Cousins Kathy Shemels Schrader, John Shemels.



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**Kathy Schrader** - January 26, 2023 at 10:05 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Ronald Gaylord Jr..



January 25, 2023 at 03:58 PM



“ Barbara n family , so sorry to learn of Ron’s passing . He was passionate about his work and was always there for the Youth Dept. The city was so lucky to benefit from his services . I was unable to attend the services as I am post op from recent surgery and just starting to get about . My best to you n your family and may he Rest In Peace

Richard Tracy - January 24, 2023 at 08:22 PM



“ Barbara- our deepest condolences to you and your family. May God grant you strength and comfort during this time of sorrow. George & Sharon Esposito

Sharon Esposito - January 24, 2023 at 04:00 PM



“ Paul Juanita McChesney lit a candle in memory of Ronald Gaylord



Paul and Juanita McChesney - January 24, 2023 at 12:05 PM

NG

“ We are shocked and sad to learn of Ronnies passing and he is gone to soon. Our sympathy and prayers to Barbara and all the Gaylord family. RIP  
Nancy & Art Griffith



Nancy Griffith - January 24, 2023 at 11:00 AM

TK

“ R. I. P Ronnie. You have always been a great friend to our family, especially to my sister Kathy. You always took time to talk to me and mom when you saw us. When we heard that you were gone we just couldn't believe it! Like I said to Mom the other night, Kathy now has her Ronnie to be there with her. R. I. P once again Ronnie fly high!!

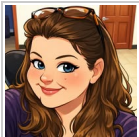
Tiffany Kastner - January 23, 2023 at 09:58 PM

PT

“ Pamela Torchia lit a candle in memory of Ronald Gaylord

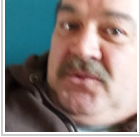


Pamela Torchia - January 23, 2023 at 09:35 PM



“ I met the Gaylor Family while my father Mudgy (Elwood Graham) worked for Milton Miesner. My heart goes out to the family for their loss. We will keep you all in our prayers.

Pamela Marks - January 23, 2023 at 08:51 PM



“ James Carver lit a candle in memory of Ronald Gaylord



James Carver - January 23, 2023 at 05:24 PM



“ Attending Hudson High School with Ronnie in the same class with other Gaylord family members was a blast, working with him in the City of Hudson was like working with close brother watching him go from Laborer to Boss. Will miss you brother see you later, so get the key for the back gate, I might need it. Just Saying. Always. John

John Thomas - January 23, 2023 at 11:00 AM



“ Patricia John Moskaluk lit a candle in memory of Ronald Gaylord



Patricia & John Moskaluk - January 23, 2023 at 08:48 AM



“ Marie Shook lit a candle in memory of Ronald Gaylord



Marie Shook - January 23, 2023 at 08:30 AM

LF

“ I first met Ronnie when my family moved into a house across from his family. He was always so nice. We played together as children and reconnected when he married my friend Barbara. The one thing I always remember is that he always had a smile for you when you ran into him in the store or a wave as he was working around Hudson. I'm saddened by his passing and send condolences to his wife, sons and siblings. LuAnn Fredereksen (Kinney)

LuAnn Fredereksen - January 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ RIP Ronnie and prayers and hugs to the family ❤️



Sandra Rogers Tuczynski - January 23, 2023 at 06:54 AM

DS

“ On my walks through Hudson it was always a pleasure when Ronnie would take time to have a nice chat. Will forever miss his laugh. May you Rest In Peace. 🙏 My condolences to his family. 🙏❤️

Donna Sweet - January 22, 2023 at 09:29 PM

JB

“ Hey Ronnie! It's been forty-five years since I've hung out with the funniest, most social guy on the planet. Apparently you're still all that and you have a great, big, wonderful, loving family. Way to go, pal! Praying for peace and comfort for you and your family. Love, John and Colleen Blackburn

John Blackburn - January 22, 2023 at 08:59 PM

LO

“ He was a great guy always enjoyed seeing you guys at Shoprite my prayers and thoughts  
Are with you 🙏🙏🙏

lori - January 22, 2023 at 08:49 PM

PW

“ Condolences to Ronnie’s family. I so enjoyed working with him when we were in high school at CMH

Patricia Westfall - January 22, 2023 at 06:56 PM

KK

“ Sincere condolences to Barbara and the Gaylord family. Ron was always helpful and a friendly guy.



KATHY KEYSER - January 22, 2023 at 06:28 PM

LB

“ Condolences to the family. Ronnie will be missed. Ronnie was a loving person ❤️🙏❤️



Leta (Dandridge) Bailey - January 22, 2023 at 05:31 PM

FO

“ RIP Ronnie  
Condolences to the entire Gaylord family. You will be missed.

Frank and Donna O’Neil - January 22, 2023 at 05:00 PM

GK

“ R.I.P RON CONDOLENCES TO THE WHOLE GAYLORD FAMILY

Gary keator - January 22, 2023 at 02:09 PM

SN

“ Suanne Nitsky lit a candle in memory of Ronald Gaylord



Suanne Nitsky - January 22, 2023 at 12:34 PM

KW

“ You will be missed and we love you.

Karen & Calvin Walch - January 22, 2023 at 12:24 PM

PW

“ My deepest sympathies to the family and other friends. I would Always try to look up Ronnie in my travels back to NY. I'm thankful that I got To see him this past June. Many memories when I think back to a lot of fun times. He had a great personality and from what I recall he was friendly to everyone. He will be greatly missed. Rest in peace my friend.

Phil Woods - January 22, 2023 at 12:18 PM

JJ

SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS YOU WELL BE MISS FOR SURE RIP

JOHN TALARICO JR - January 22, 2023 at 02:53 PM

LP

So Sorry for your loss. Thoughts & Prayers are with Barbara & family

LeeAnne Paesano - January 22, 2023 at 03:16 PM

CJ

*My condolences to Barbara and her family and the Gaylord family, my heart is broken may you rest in peace Ronnie!*

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**Carolyn Jennings** - January 22, 2023 at 06:44 PM

CB

*Ou deepest sympathy to Ronnie's family and friends. Met Ronnie many years ago... such a kind guy. He will be missed!!!!*

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**cindy Hermance Burt** - January 22, 2023 at 08:08 PM