



# Ronald Curtis Gutschall

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## **Ronald Curtis Gutschall**

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**R**onald Curtis Gutschall, age 39 of Lewes, DE, passed away on Friday, June 1, 2018, at St. Francis Hospital, in Wilmington, DE, as a result of a brain injury sustained 7 years ago. He was born Saturday, September 2, 1978 in Philadelphia, PA, son of Ronald F. and Veronica T. (Black) Gutschall.

Mr. Gutschall briefly served in the National Guard and worked as a salesman for various companies. He enjoyed music and dancing, and being a proud, born-and-raised Philadelphian, he was avid fan of the Phillies and Eagles. After leaving Philadelphia, he moved to New Jersey for a time, then most recently, to Delaware. Mr. Gutschall loved his family; none more than his beautiful daughters, for whom he lived. He was so loved by all who knew him, and he will be deeply missed.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Gutschall is survived by his daughters: Madison Leigh, age 12, and Anne Katharine, age 8, both at home; his brother, Bryan Gutschall (Stephanie Shaw) of Tabernacle, NJ; his nephew, Brayden Gutschall; and many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

All services will be private.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions in Mr. Gutschall's memory to Georgetown ADHS, Easter Seals: 61 Corporate Circle; New Castle, DE 19720, to whom they would also like to extend their heartfelt gratitude.

Please sign the online guestbook located on this site.



## Tribute Wall

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TG

**The Compassionate Friends Support Group** posted:

THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS We are so very sorry for the loss of your child. The Compassionate Friends is a nonprofit, self-help support organization offering friendship and understanding to bereaved parents, siblings, and grandparents. There are no religious affiliations, membership dues, or fees. We meet together to learn to cope with the struggles of living life without our precious children. Please feel free to join us on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Branford Lounge at Epworth Methodist Church on Holland Glade Road, Rehoboth, Delaware. For more information call 610-999-8698. We wish you peace and healing. Your Compassionate Friends

June 9 at 5:17 PM

RG

**Ronald & Veronica Gutschall** posted:

Our dearest Ronald, it is with a heavy heart and so much pain to bear the fact that you are no longer with us. We are so sorry you were a victim of gun violence and taken from us too soon. We miss you for how you loved us and us you. We have been on an incredible journey for the past 7-1/2 yrs and we learned how strong, loving, gentle and kind you were after a traumatic brain injury and for that we also miss. I know you lived for your daughters and they did and still do have love for you that will last forever. Dad and I will continue to live for them for they are you and and you them and they will keep your presence alive. You were ready for your wings for you earned them, but our hearts were not. You are finally free from the shell that held you back for so long...now its time to soar! We will love you forever and until we meet again, may you rest in peace our previous son. Love Mom & Dad.

June 7 at 6:19 AM

JG

**John Greene** posted:

Bonnie and Family: I'm so sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

June 6 at 5:55 PM

WS

**William And Maryann Sweeney** posted:

Ronald and Bonnie I am so sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with you and Ronald's children!!!

June 6 at 5:43 PM



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SN

**Sandra Spross Nefferdorf** posted:

Bonnie and Ron, so so sorry to hear about Ronald. He went through so much these last years of his life and you two were wonderful strong parents. May he Rest In Peace. Bonnie my heart goes out to you and your family. Stay strong girlfriend

June 6 at 3:28 PM

TI

**Tom & Barbara Ireland** posted:

Bonnie & Ron, so sorry to hear about Ronnie. He went through a lot & you & Ron were wonderful with him. may he rest n peace!

June 6 at 1:23 PM

JD

**Julie Doyle** posted:

Ron & Bonnie, I'm so sorry to hear. My heart goes out to you, his girls & the entire family.

June 6 at 12:09 PM

KA

**Kathleen** lit a candle in honor of Ronald.

Bonnie and Ron, His wings were ready, your hearts were not. Heaven has another angel. May you find some comfort with your Granddaughters and family. Will always remember the StingRay. Kathleen & Vince



June 6 at 10:31 AM

AF

**Arlene Fiorentino** posted:

Our thoughts our hearts and our prayers are with all of you today 🙏

June 6 at 8:15 AM



**John Kramer** posted:

Bonnie to you and your family the utmost sympathy and condolences. Full well knowing nothing I can say will ever suffice, but know this , your Son shall never ever be farther than your heart. He shall always be right with you. Prayers, thoughts , love and hugs sent to you. John Kramer

June 6 at 7:18 AM



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KN

**Karen Novak** lit a candle in honor of Ronald.



June 6 at 3:02 AM

KN

**Karen Novak** posted:

Bonnie, My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. You and your husband are amazing parents and know you have a guardian angel looking down watching overall of you. With heartfelt Sympathy, Karen Novak

June 6 at 3:01 AM

SL

**Sharon Liebno** posted:

Bonnie, My thoughts and Prayers are for you and your family. God Bless and comfort you all. Sharon Liebno

June 6 at 2:51 AM

CD

**Carol Dempsey** posted:

Bonnie, There is a special place in heaven for a parent like you in your unselfish commitment to his loving care. Now it is his turn to be Your Angel! Your friend, Carol D

June 6 at 2:34 AM

PA

**Pat Abbott** posted:

My dear, dear Bonnie and Ron, our hearts are broken too. There are no words that can express our deepest sorrow. The strength that you and Ron had to make sure Ronald was well taken care of is immeasurable. He will always be with you. I have seen this written in the past, "Maybe those are not stars in the sky, but tiny holes where are loved ones can look down upon us." I believe this. Know that God had a special place for Ronald and he is safe and sound and free of any pain. We love you with all our heart and will never forget Ronald xxooPatty, Mike and Hank

June 5 at 7:06 PM



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SF

**Sandy Fine** lit a candle in honor of Ronald.

Bonnie my heart is breaking for you and your family. He was your heart and soul and knew how much you loved him. Thinking of you and your family during this time. Love you so much Bonnie

June 5 at 4:42 PM



NM

**Nancy Mckendrick** lit a candle in honor of Ronald.

June 5 at 11:44 AM



NM

**Nancy Mckendrick** posted:

Bonnie, My heart is breaking for you right now. Please know that you guys are in my thoughts and prayers. I loved Ronald and I know his memory will go and he will never be forgotten. Love you!!  
Nancy McKendrick

June 5 at 11:40 AM

JB

**Jody Bare** posted:

Bonnie, I am so sorry for your family's loss. You are an amazing women taking care of Ron for many years. Enjoy those girls, and know my prayers are with you from today and always. Regards, Jody Bare

June 5 at 9:25 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

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