



Ronald G. Wolfe

May 18, 1952 - June 30, 2024

Ronald Wolfe, 72, was welcomed into the arms of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ on Sunday, June 30, 2024, from his home in Bellegrove following a lengthy illness. He was the husband of Brenda (Hostetter) Wolfe to whom he was married 48 years.

Born at the Lebanon Sanatorium on May 18, 1952, Ron was the son of the late Earl A. Wolfe, Sr. and Mary Ann (Gensler) Wolfe. One of seven children, he inherited an excellent work ethic from his parents, and as a young teenager delivered newspapers in Annville for John McClure and later worked at Kreider's Grocery store on West Main St. In 1970, just before graduating from ACHS, he was hired by Kraft in Palmyra, where he later met Brenda, worked in cheese packaging, and excelled in line maintenance.

In 1972, while working at Kraft, Ron was among the last group of young men drafted into military service during the Vietnam War. For 2 years he was stationed with the U.S. Army in Schwabach, Germany, C BATTERY 2nd BATTALION 59th ADA (Air Defense Artillery). He obtained the rank of Spec4 while being the senior gunner on the surface-to-air weapons system known as Chapparel, which is no longer in production. Ron received the National Defense Service medal for Expert M16 marksmanship and Expert Grenade.

Ron returned to Kraft in late 1974 and was employed a total of 22 years, until

the plant closed in 1992. From there, it was to Hershey Chocolate 19 East and to West Hershey, retiring in 2019 after 27 years of employment and having made many many friends.

After marriage he became a faithful member of St. John's E.C. Church, Steelstown where he started a tape ministry to shut-ins and at one time was chairman of the Stewards, was Lay Delegate for a year or two, and did many odds and ends of woodworking and repair projects around the church, the parsonage, and the grove.

Ron was the general contractor for the building of his house in the early '80s and was always involved in some type of fix-it up or improvement project not only at his residence but at the homes of numerous friends, neighbors, and relatives. Of greatest importance to him were his faith in Christ, the welfare of his family, and the relationships with friends.

In addition to his parents, Ron was predeceased by older brother, Earl A. "Skeet" Wolfe, Jr. (1973) and brother-in-law, Robert Long (2023). Surviving including wife, Brenda, are sons, Adam (Jennifer Weaver) and Joel (Kimberly George), grandson, Levi Wolfe, 2 sisters, Suanne (widow of Robert) Long and Cynthia (Donald) Shiner, and 3 brothers, Michael (Susan), Dean, Jerry (Terri) Wolfe.

The family wishes to thank Dawn, Lisa, Sandra, Alex, Lindsey, and Bonnie of WellSpan Hospice for their excellent care the last three weeks of Ron's life.

There will be a public viewing from 6-8 PM Thursday, July 4th, 2024, at Kreamer's Funeral Home in Annville and on Friday, July 5th, 2024, from 9:30-10:30 AM, at St. John's E.C. Church, Steelstown, 683 Steelstown Road, Annville, followed by the funeral service at 10:30 AM at the church. After the service a fellowship meal will be enjoyed at the Bellegrove Fire Company

Social Hall, 1725 Blacks Bridge Road, Annville. Burial at Fort Indiantown Gap, at 2:30 PM. Procession to cemetery will leave social hall promptly at 1:45 PM.

Will be livestreamed at www.ilovestjohns.org.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUL 4. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc
618 E. Main Street
Annville, PA 17003
(717) 867-4811

Public Viewing

JUL 5. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

St. John's E.C. Church
683 Steelstown Road
Annville, PA 17003

Funeral Service

JUL 5. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. John's E.C. Church
683 Steelstown Road
Annville, PA 17003

Burial

JUL 5. 2:30 PM (ET)

Indiantown Gap National Cemetery
Indiantown Gap Road
Annville, PA 17003

Tribute Wall

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“ Sending deepest condolences to Ron's family on behalf of the A-C Alumni Association. My hi memory live on in your hearts.

Rachel R Noll - July 09, 2024 at 05:38 PM

JL

“ Jeanette L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald G. Wolfe.

Jeanette L. - July 06, 2024 at 12:52 PM

SL

“ Brenda and Family - Ron was the best Brother and Uncle. He leaves us with so many memories especially his great smile and laugh. He'll always be in our hearts. Suanne and Bobby

Suanne Long - July 04, 2024 at 01:22 PM

DS

“ Brenda, Adam and Joel you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Ron was the standard bearer in our family. I will forever cherish the momentous he passed onto me from his time in the military. I will forever remember the words of welcome to the family when Cindy and I married. Ron you'll be missed by all of us in the family. Heaven has gained the perfect angel.

donald Shiner - July 03, 2024 at 10:45 PM

CS

“ Ron was a wonderful brother. Took me for my first motorcycle ride as a kid. When we saw each other I would say hi big brother and he would smile and say hi little sister. I will miss him a lot. Cindy

cynthia Shiner - July 03, 2024 at 10:31 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Ronald G. Wolfe.*



July 03, 2024 at 11:57 AM



“ *My condolences go out to the family and freinds of Ron. Worked with him for years. He always had a smile. What a special man.....*

Ed Shiffer - July 03, 2024 at 09:48 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronald G. Wolfe.*



July 02, 2024 at 04:46 PM



“ *Love, TJ, Ryan, and Lily Samuel purchased the S erene Retreat for the family of Ronald G. Wolfe.*



Love, TJ, Ryan, and Lily Samuel - July 02, 2024 at 03:29 PM