



Ronald E. Horacek

December 2, 1938 - July 20, 2024

Ronald E. Horacek, 85, of Mentor, passed away July 20, 2024 at home. He was born on December 2, 1938 in Cleveland, to the late James and Evelyn Horacek.

Ron, the youngest of 13 children grew up in Cleveland. In 1959 he married Patricia O'Brien and they eventually moved to Willoughby Hills, where he lived for 35 years. He moved to Florida in 1999 after Patricia passed away. After several years in Florida, he moved back to Ohio to be closer to family.

Ron was very active at his advanced age despite doctor's orders. He enjoyed riding his motorcycle and taking boat rides on Lake Erie. He was very proud of the fact that he was still riding his Harley-Davidson into his eighties.

Survivors include his children, Laura (John) Graff, Ron Horacek and Lisa (Tim) Costello; grandchildren, Julie (John) Pasternak, Amy (Steve) Pettrey, John Graff, Kyle Todd, Russell Horacek, Caroline Costello, Tim Costello and Chloe Costello; great-grandchildren, Nolan and Evelyn Pettrey and Reagan Todd; brother-in-law, John O'Brien; sisters-in-law, Theresa O'Brien, Judy O'Brien and Carol O'Brien and many nieces, nephews and other loving family members and friends.

Preceding Ronald in death are his wife, Patricia Horacek (nee: O'Brien) and

his 12 siblings, Russell, Robert, William, Marie, Grace, Dorothy, Richard, Walter, James, Arlene, Wilma and Charlotte.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Thursday, August 1, 2024 at the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, Ohio 44060. A memorial mass will be held at 11:30 a.m., on Friday, August 2, 2024 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, 37932 Euclid Ave., Willoughby, OH 44094. Please meet at the church. Burial to follow in All Souls Cemetery, Chardon.

Send flowers and offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

All Souls Cemetery

10366 Chardon Rd.
Chardon, OH 44024
(800) 582-6850

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 1. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center
8466 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3401
ajs@brunners.com
<https://www.brunners.com/>

Memorial Mass

AUG 2. 11:30 AM (ET)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
37932 Euclid Ave
Willoughby, OH 44094

Tribute Wall



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Horacek.*



August 01, 2024 at 02:57 PM



“ *Klenjoski family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald E. Horacek.*

Klenjoski family - August 01, 2024 at 02:57 PM



“ *Theresa Gregory purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Ronald E. Horacek.*



Theresa Gregory - July 31, 2024 at 03:05 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your family's loss. Michele and I's hearts and prayers go out to you and your family.*

Kelly and Michele Merritt - July 31, 2024 at 09:05 AM

MG

“ Mark Goebel purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Ronald E. Horacek.



Mark Goebel - July 30, 2024 at 06:21 AM

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Mark Goebel - July 30, 2024 at 06:21 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Ronald E. Horacek.



July 29, 2024 at 10:40 AM

TK

“ We are going to Miss you so very Deeply Uncle Ron! You were a very Special Uncle to Us All! Sitting here and remembering all the good times our Family's had together either Camping, hanging out at the house in your pool or You and My Dad singing in your basement! What memories I have to hold on to! We will keep you and the Family in Our Thoughts and Prayers! LOVE & MISS You and Aunt Pat! Love Always Tracy, Bill, Aunt Judy



Tracy Krumroy - July 27, 2024 at 03:19 AM

PH

“ My sincere condolences to all the family and friends of Ronald. The handful of times I saw him he was always full of life and it was clear that he lived on his own terms, something we could all learn from. He will be truly missed.

Phil - July 26, 2024 at 10:06 AM