



Ronald "Ronnie" Russell Adamski

May 20, 1941 - February 25, 2024

Ronald Russell (Ronnie) Adamski, proud Canadian, devoted husband, loving father and grandfather, hardworking, fun loving and goofy guy, passed away on Sunday, February 25, 2024, after a long and valiantly fought battle with COPD.

Ron was born on May 20, 1941, in London, Ontario, Canada. He attended Clarke Road High School where he was known as a superstar running back. He immigrated to Delaware in his 20s as a legal alien and was drafted into the Army- despite being a Canadian citizen. He did his duty and served 2 years in Colorado Springs during Vietnam. He returned to Delaware and attended the University of Delaware. He got a job at Pathmark as a meat cutter and retired after 40 years.

After retiring, he worked another 12 years running car titles to the DMV for Nucar, Winner and Porter dealerships.

His love of football naturally came from his time playing in high school. His career obviously had a profound impact upon his love for his favorite team, the Green Bay Packers. He even made the pilgrimage to Lambeau Field to touch the grass.

Football wasn't his only love. He was passionate about tennis and was a big

Raphael Nadal fan. He loved to cook, being the only one to ever make his famous chicken recipe because it was so involved and time consuming that no one else tried. But he made it often for the family.

He loved to read, and he was a guy who was always up for discussing anything from history to science to the world in general. He dabbled in stained glass and woodworking and proudly designed and built two decks for two separate houses.

Perhaps his biggest enjoyment in life was simply having family get together for a meal and spend time together. There was always so much laughter and fun whenever everyone was together.

Ronnie leaves behind the love of his life and devoted wife of 38 years, Holly; his daughter, Serena and her husband Al; daughter, Heather; son, Matthew, and daughter-in-law Jennifer and her daughter, Grayson. He leaves behind 5 wonderful grandchildren: Jack, Molly, RJ, Nikolas and Skyler. He loved them dearly. He is also survived by family in Canada, a brother, sister and numerous nieces and nephews, and good friends.

In honor of Ronnie's memory, family and friends are welcome to join us for a casual celebration of his life on Thursday, March 7, 2024, from 12-3pm at the Christiana Hilton. We would love if attendees who knew him well would bring along a fun story about him to share. For directions or to send an online condolence, visit www.stranofeeley.com

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR 7. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Christiana Hilton
100 Continental Drive
Newark, DE

Tribute Wall



“ Love always, Sharon, Tara and Jamie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald "Ronnie" Russell Adamski.

Love always, Sharon, Tara and Jamie - March 06, 2024 at 11:06 AM



“ Love always, Sharon, Tara and Jamie purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ronald "Ronnie" Russell Adamski.



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“ The Luckeys planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald "Ronnie" Russell Adamski.

The Luckeys - March 04, 2024 at 01:58 PM



“ The Luckeys purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Ronald "Ronnie" Russell Adamski.



The Luckeys - March 04, 2024 at 01:58 PM

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“ Hi holly Serge, enjoyed the many times I stopped in for a visit. Ron & I had great talks . Enjoyed both o you putting up with my stories (Ha Ha. Will catch up to you later.

Serge - March 03, 2024 at 04:27 PM

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“ Hey holly great to spend those times visited u guys, old stories & Ron's outlook on life. He was always one of the GOOD guys SERGE

Serge - March 03, 2024 at 04:14 PM

JR

“ Dear Holly, I'm John Resine. I worked with Ronny at Pathmark. Ronny was a first- rate meat cutter, very skilled and quick. We were real good friends and had a lot in common. Sorry after all these years about messing up your wedding photos! Boy, did I take a beating at work from the guys! I let Ron and you down but not on purpose. I'm sure he forgave me but I always felt bad about it. Ron was a stand up man and a good friend. Bless him and may he rest in peace. My wife Pat and I send our condolences to you and your family. John Resine

john resine - March 03, 2024 at 02:42 PM

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“ I met Ron about 13 years ago at the DMV in Wilmington when he was working for Porter Chevy and I was working for Matt Slap Subaru. After a few times seeing Ron at DMV and talking with him, we became the best of friends. When Ron and I stop working, we started meeting for breakfast every other week. We talked about everything: family, sports, politics etc. After getting to know him well, I knew that he loved life, doing good works at home and Holly.

I'm sure you knew Ron had sincere love for you and all the rest of the family. I like Ron because he had a great sense of humor, he was a humble person, judged a man by his character. Ron was a humble person, the kind of man who I would be ok sharing a fox hole with. Ron was a strong man. When Ron got sick he never complained, just made a joke about it and kept on enjoying life.

Holly I'm going to miss my dear friend but it was more than a pleasure to have had Ron as a friend for the length of time that I did. Holly you and your family had Ron a lot longer so you have a lot more beautiful memories. He was the best of the best, love you guys.....Butch Ingram

Butch - March 01, 2024 at 03:24 PM

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“ John, Steve and the Oppy Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald "Ronnie" Russell Adamski.

John, Steve and the Oppy Team - February 29, 2024 at 05:45 PM

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“ *John, Steve and the Oppy Team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ronald "Ronnie" Russell Adamski.*



John, Steve and the Oppy Team - February 29, 2024 at 05:45 PM