



## Ronald Bonafilia

August 2, 1957 - December 26, 2019

Ronald Bonafilia, 62, passed away peacefully on Thursday, December 26, 2019 at Baystate Medical Center, with his loving family at his side. Born August 2, 1957, son of the late Charles and Barbara (Hennemann) Bonafilia, he was raised in Holyoke and has resided in Chicopee for most of his life. A graduate of Holyoke High School, Ron was a communicant of the Basilica of St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr, and a US Army veteran. He owned and operated Fairview Deli and Babci's Pierogi in Chicopee for many years before his retirement. He was an avid Patriots fan, a constant joker and loving family man. Ron is survived by his beloved wife of thirty-one years, Pamella (Mendrala) Bonafilia; loving daughters, Katherine A. Borges and husband Luis, and Amie Bonafilia and husband John Balentine; cherished grandsons, Lukas and Kaden; caring siblings, John Bonafilia and wife Emily, James Bonafilia, and Susan Bonafilia; and best friend, Bob Leduc. Funeral services for Ron will be held Friday at 9AM from Kozikowski Funeral Home, 565 Front St., Chicopee, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 10AM in St. Stanislaus Basilica. Burial will be at the convenience of the family. Calling hours are Thursday from 4-7PM. Memorial contributions may be made to Shriners Hospital for Children, 516 Carew St., Springfield, MA 01104.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Kozikowski Funeral Home  
565 Front Street  
Chicopee, MA 01013  
(413) 592-9256  
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## Service

JAN 3. 9:00 AM (ET)

Kozikowski Funeral Home  
565 Front Street  
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## Mass

JAN 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Stanislaus Basilica\_  
566 Front St.  
Chicopee, MA