



## Ronald Pietig

August 1, 1941 - April 11, 2020

Ronald Pietig, age 78, of Carroll, died Saturday, April 11, 2020 at Acurra Healthcare in Carroll.

A Private Family Funeral Service will be held at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll on Wednesday, April 15, 2020. Priests of St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll will preside. Casket Bearers will be Tim Pietig, Jeff Pietig, Scott Pietig, Bob Theulen, Randy Theulen, Dan Grossman, and Bill Pietig. Burial will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Carroll.

A Live Stream Broadcast and recording of Ron's service can be found by visiting the Sharp Funeral Home Carroll, Iowa YouTube Channel at this link: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqd2eeRJK5RTdEJoEooUoAQ>. An Icon on that page will be available by 10:55 a.m. Wednesday.

Those wishing to mail their memorial may direct it to: Ronald Pietig Memorial c/o Sharp Funeral Home, 226 W. 8th Street, Carroll, IA 51401.

Funeral arrangements are under the guidance of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll, and online condolences may be left for Ron's family at [www.sharpfuneral.com](http://www.sharpfuneral.com). The family intends to have a larger memorial service and reception for additional friends to celebrate Ron's life after the state's gathering restrictions have been rescinded.

Ronald, the son of Leonard and Evelyn (Berning) Pietig was born August 1, 1941 in Carroll, Iowa. Ron grew up on a farm southwest of Carroll, and graduated from Kuemper Catholic High School. Ron then enlisted in the United States Army Reserve serving until his honorable discharge. He then returned to the Carroll area and began farming with his father in the family grain and dairy operation.

On June 3, 1967 Ron was united in marriage to Karma Theulen at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Auburn. The couple made their home southwest of Carroll where the couple continued to farm. In 2000 they moved to Carroll. Over the years Ronald also was employed with Rich Pudenz Farms, The Snare Shop, and the City of Carroll Water Department until his health forced him to retire. Ron enjoyed socializing over a cold beverage, fishing, and spending time with his family. Ron was a member of St. John Paul II Parish- St. Lawrence Church in Carroll.

Left to survive Ron's life is his children: Tim Pietig and his wife Deb of Carroll; Jeff Pietig of Carroll, and Scott (Kim) Pietig of Carroll; one granddaughter Saige Pietig; his siblings: Doreen (Jack) Grote of Carroll, Joleen Gerdes of Carroll, and Bill (Judy) Pietig of Glidden; his sisters-in-law: Kathy (Dan) Grossman of Carroll and Paula Theulen of Carroll; brothers-in-law: Bob (special friend Deb Selk) Theulen of Auburn, and Randy (Cheri) Theulen of Halbur; as well as many nieces, nephews, and other extended relatives.

Ron was preceded in death by his parents, Leonard and Evelyn Pietig; his wife, Karma in 2007; brothers-in-law: Chuck Gerdes, Rodney Theulen; parents-in-law Robert Sr. and Louise Theulen; and a niece: Jennifer Theulen.

# Tribute Wall

LW

“ *Our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Leon and Cathy Williams** - May 05, 2020 at 08:45 PM

ML

“ *So sorry to hear about Ron's passing. Ron was a character and when I have thought about he and his family overs the years I have nothing but happy memories. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Mary Lynn** - April 17, 2020 at 07:43 PM

MA

“ *So sorry for your loss  
Loras and Marlene Hoffmann*

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**Marlene** - April 15, 2020 at 09:14 PM

TS

“ Ron I'm glad I got to know you we had a lot of laughs together. We got to know each other's families I got to meet your sons and you got to meet my older brother. We both love them very much And always will. I would go out in the sun and play with my dog When I came back You would be looking out the window I had a hard time talking you into going outside I only remember you going out once. I would tell you what was going on around town. Then we have a cup of hot chocolate or a cold drink And wait for dinner while we Waited for supper He's eating and laughing with the others at the table. I'll miss you But I don't know where you are and that will Always be in my heart I love you Ron. That was 1 thing I couldn't get you to say And that was I love you I tried many at times But you would never say it back But that's okay some people have a hard time doing that Jesus Will make you say I love you. I hope to see you in heaven Amen

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**Tom Stewart** - April 15, 2020 at 04:01 PM

SS

“ So sorry to read about Ron passing. When we were doing Communion at the nursing home we always sat down & talked to Ron. He always made us laugh. When our Uncle Wink was in there he took him under his wing & helped him with everything. He was such a great guy & will miss seeing him when we go visit Gary's Aunt that lives there. Will keep him in our prayers!  
Deacon Gary & Sheri Schon

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**Sheri Schon.** - April 15, 2020 at 02:06 PM

MO

“ Ronnie was one of the first in the family to welcome me in. We shared many things about the family at the kitchen table in his home. He was a joy to be around and always had a good laugh about everything in life that deserved it. I will miss him and my heart goes out to the Pietig family! RIP Ronnie

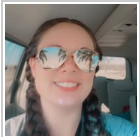


Merlen E Olesen - April 15, 2020 at 11:31 AM

RL

“ My sincere condolences to Ron’s family. My mother lived at Accura for several years. When Ron learned her name was Evelyn, he began saying “Hi Mom” whenever he saw her at mealtimes-as Evelyn was also his mother’s name. When I told him I had a brother named Ron, he said “Hi Sis” whenever he saw me. Ron was a great guy and I really enjoyed visiting with him. May he Rest In Peace.

RaeJean Lepird - April 14, 2020 at 07:55 PM



“ We're so sorry for your loss. We will miss Ron dearly. He loved to visit with people and had a great sense of humor. I will miss all of his jokes and sharing new ones with him.

Jenniffer Lesher  
Accura Healthcare of Carroll

Jenniffer Lesher - April 14, 2020 at 02:02 PM

JE

“ We are so sorry for your loss. You have our deepest sympathy. Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers.

Jean & Jim Eischeid

Jean Eischeid - April 13, 2020 at 09:35 PM

DE

“ Ron was very good to our dad, Bill Schon. He ate meals with our dad for over 3 years and when our dad's memory got worse, Ron would come to our dad's room and tell him it was time to eat. Dad would follow Ron, both in their wheelchairs, to the lunch room. Ron even helped dad with selecting a menu. Ron knew what dad liked for food. We all thought very highly of Ron. He helped our dad immensely! Bill & Dorothy Schon family

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Darlene Eich - April 13, 2020 at 02:43 PM

JR

“ Ron was a great guy good neighbor. my dad Norbert Rupiper love dairy springing heifers n he always said. Ron Pietig takes the best care of his Holsteins !! So we know that Ron always worked hard n kept the farm in great shape  
Nothing more to be said when a man leaves his Land in better shape then when he started.  
My sympathy to you all. God bless Ron

Jerry

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jerry rupiper - April 13, 2020 at 02:02 PM

RP

“ Sorry for your loss.I have known Ron for many years. He was thoughtful,considerate and fun to visit with. He will be missed Randy & Karen Pietig.

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Randy Pietig - April 13, 2020 at 01:58 PM

MG

“ Randy enjoyed working with Ron while he was at the Waste Water Treatment Plant. Always vibrant and full of fun - and a good worker. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time.

Take Care,  
Randy & Mary Grossman

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**Mary Grossman** - April 12, 2020 at 05:28 PM

BP

“ Scott, Kim and Saige along with entire Pietig family. So sorry to hear of your loss. Know our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time.

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**Bill and Kathi Peters** - April 12, 2020 at 05:28 PM

PS

“ So sorry for your loss. May God be with you.

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**Pat Sanders** - April 12, 2020 at 04:31 PM

JD

“ Ron was my father's table mate (Mark Knobbe) at Accura. Our family always enjoyed his lively conversation and jokes. He always could make my father laugh. Condolences to your family. Jean DeLong.

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**JEAN DELONG** - April 12, 2020 at 02:34 PM

MD

“ *Tim, Deb & family,  
Sorry to hear about the loss of your dad. When my dad was at Acurra, he sure enjoyed talking to him and always had a smile & wave for Jim & I. Our deepest sympathy to you and your family during this difficult times.*

*Jim and Mary Lou Dopheide*

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**Mary Lou Dopheide** - April 12, 2020 at 01:32 PM

TR

*As a first cousin, growing up I always enjoyed any time I spent with Ron at family gatherings and other occasions. I remember him as always being cheerful with a big smile, very friendly, and fun to be with. That same feeling carried through whenever I saw him in later years. My sympathy to his children Tim, Jeff, and Scott and their spouses, to his granddaughter, and to Doreen, Joleen, and Bill. May Ron rest in the peace of Christ.*

*Tom Renze*

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**Tom Renze** - April 15, 2020 at 12:49 PM