



Ronald A. Breeding

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Ronald "Ronnie" Breeding of Seaford, DE, passed away on Wednesday, January 19, 2022 at his home. He was 73.

He was born on August 9, 1948 in Milford, DE, the son of the late Alton Breeding and Ethel Elizabeth "Betty" Walls Breeding.

Growing up in Greenwood, Ronnie graduated from Greenwood High School with the class of 1966. He later did his Undergraduate studies at Shepherd College in West Virginia and graduated in 1970. In June of 1971 he married Susan Papola.

He then went on to receive a Master's degree from James Madison College in Virginia. In 1975, Ron and Sue made their home in Seaford, DE.

Ron worked for the Department of Parks and Recreation for Seaford. Later he served as the Assistant City Manager for Seaford. He loved to volunteer himself and his family to serve his community and others. His service work included hosting bike-a-thons for St. Jude Children's Hospital for 20 years, serving as a 4-H leader for more than 20 years, assisted with Seaford Christmas Parade for 30 years. Ron was a member of Seaford Kiwanis and was instrumental in starting an annual Golf Tournament which raised over \$200,000 for scholarships for Seaford student to attend college. These are 4 year awards. He was appointed to the State Parks Commission for 20 years, Sussex County Soil Conservation Board, Director of the Delaware State Fair, and numerous others and a member of the Wesley Church.

He is survived by his wife, Susan Breeding of Seaford; and two sons: Christopher Breeding and his wife Karen; two grandchildren: Quinn and Wyatt of Greenwood

and Steven Breeding of Seaford.



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Funeral services will be private.

There will be a Celebration of Ron's life in the spring.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Delaware State Parks - Splash Park at Trap Pond by mail: Delaware Community Foundation, PO Box 1636, Wilmington, DE 19899 or visit online: <https://delcf.org/donations/breeding> or St. Jude Research Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or online: www.stjude.org/give/memorials or to Wesley United Methodist Church
22025 Atlanta Road, Seaford, Delaware 19973.

Services entrusted to the Framptom Funeral Home-Fleischauer Chapel in Greenwood. Share memories with the family at www.framptom.com




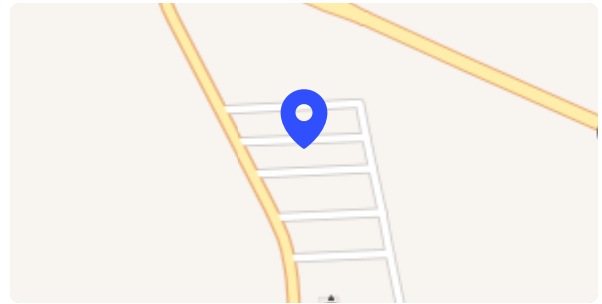
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Cemetery Details

 **St. Johnstown Cemetery of Greenwood**
13471 St. Johnstown Road, Greenwood DE
19950





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Carol Lynch posted:

Sue, Chris and family, Steven, Our hearts break with yours. Our deepest sympathy, much love and many prayers. What an amazing life well lived in love and service to others. A beautiful legacy. He will be dearly missed. In Christ's love, Carol & Jack Lynch

February 9 at 12:42 PM

MH

Maria Heyssel posted:

In addition to the many, many other contributions that Ron made to the whole Seaford area, when I met Ron, he was working with the Seaford Historical Society. I did not get to know him well, but he did put on one of the best ever concerts for the SHS. He filled the school auditorium with great music and a great audience! He also worked with the SHS in many other capacities, and I have great admiration and appreciation for him as a wonderful person with great talents and capacity for sharing. My condolences to Ron's wife Susan and all of the family. He will certainly be missed. Maria Heyssel, volunteer for the Seaford Historical Society

January 27 at 5:47 AM

JD

Janice Durham lit a candle in honor of Ronald.

We were so sad to hear that we loss our dear friend and colleague, Ron. I had the pleasure of working with Ron when I worked at Natural Resources, Division of Parks and Recreation and then again after I retired and was appointed to our State Parks Council where Ron was our Co-Chair for many years and then became our Chair. It was such a pleasure to work with Ron. He became such a good friend to me and my husband and we always enjoyed his company. And my husband and I always looked forward to visiting Ron and his family each year over many years in the barn where his cows were stalled at the Delaware State Fair. Our Condolences go out to Ron's Family. We loved him and will miss him. We'll be with him again someday. He served his community well. Love, Jan and Tony Durham



January 25 at 12:27 PM

RA

Rick & Faith Argo lit a candle in honor of Ronald.

January 25 at 5:47 AM





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Dottie Perdue Williamson lit a candle in honor of Ronald.



January 25 at 4:47 AM



Lorraine Knepper posted:

Our sincere condolences from Dusty (parks and rec ...retired) and Lorraine Knepper

January 24 at 9:05 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ronald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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