



## Ronnie R. Gibson

December 13, 1946 - March 19, 2023

Ronnie R. Gibson, 76 of Huntington, passed away on Sunday afternoon, March 19, 2023, at River Terrace Estates in Bluffton, surrounded by his family.

He was born on December 13, 1946 in Harlan, Kentucky to Orville & Alice (Jones) Gibson. He attended Evarts High School. Ronnie retired from General Electric in Fort Wayne. He was a faithful member of the Bluffton Church of God, where he was very active in the Food Pantry Ministry. He loved fishing and working outdoors in his yard and enjoyed football and baseball. Ronnie was a huge Cubs and Bears fan!

On June 10, 1967, in New Haven, Ronnie and Mary A. (Leamon) were married and she preceded him in death in 2007. On March 3, 2012, Ronnie and Pamela (Hughes) were married at the Bluffton Church of God.

Survivors include his wife Pamela Gibson of Huntington and children; Elizabeth A. Cox of Fort Wayne, Rhonda (Gregg) Milner of Delaware, Ohio, Robert Gibson of Bluffton and Ashley (James) Hartley of Huntington. He was a loving Grandpa to 12 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Ronnie is survived by his siblings; Alma Marlowe of Fort Wayne, Della Fields of Kentucky, Harold (Lori) Gibson of Florida, Jim Gibson of Kentucky, and Gary Gibson of Indiana. He is preceded in death by his parents, first wife Mary, a son, Ronnie R. Gibson, Jr. and siblings; Arles "Buddy" Gibson, Edith Rains, Vernon Gibson, Shirley Forthman and Jack Gibson.

Visitation will take place from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. on Wednesday (March 22, 2023) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Funeral services will take place at the conclusion of visitation, at 1 P.M. on Wednesday (March 22, 2023) at the funeral home. A graveside service will be held at 3 P.M. on Wednesday (March 22, 2023) at Greenlawn Cemetery in Fort Wayne.

Memorials may be made in Ronnie's memory to the Bluffton Church of God Food Bank and can be directed to the funeral home.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Lemler family of Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at [www.thomarich.com](http://www.thomarich.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Greenlawn Memorial Park Cemetery

6600 Covington Road  
Fort Wayne, IN 46804

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 22. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
<http://www.thomarich.com>

## Funeral Service

MAR 22. 1:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
<http://www.thomarich.com>

## Graveside Service

MAR 22. 3:00 PM (ET)

Greenlawn Memorial Park  
6750 Covington Road  
Fort Wayne, IN 46804

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ronnie R. Gibson*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - March 22, 2023 at 10:41 AM



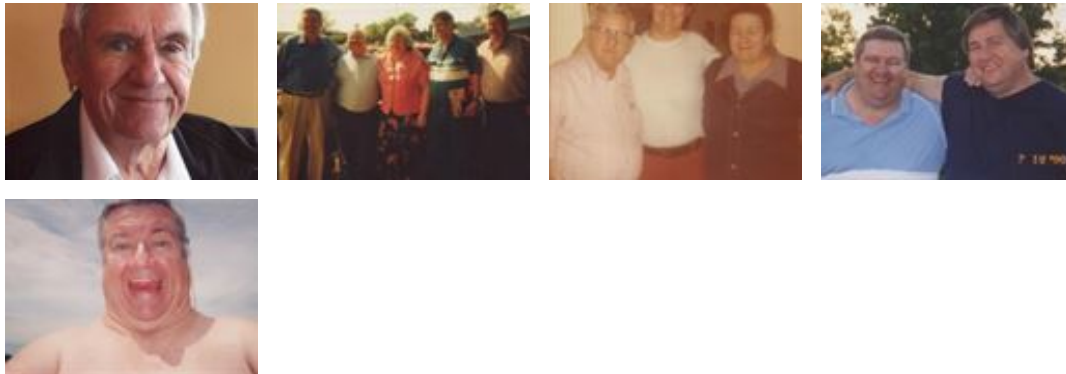
“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronnie R. Gibson.*



March 21, 2023 at 06:32 PM



“ *128 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - March 21, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Ronnie R. Gibson.*



March 20, 2023 at 08:35 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronnie R. Gibson.*



March 20, 2023 at 08:33 PM

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“ *We are very sorry to hear of Ronnie's passing and extend our condolences to all of his family.*

*Ann and Al Sims*

**Ann Sims** - March 20, 2023 at 06:02 PM

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“ *I am so sorry to hear Ron died. I lived across the street from the Gibson's growing up. He was so nice to me. Rest with Jesus, Ron. Tell my dad I love him.*

**Tonya Fett** - March 20, 2023 at 05:04 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Ronnie R. Gibson.*



March 20, 2023 at 01:12 PM

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“ *I have LOTS of fond memories of Uncle Ronnie and almost all involve him wearing white Nike Monarch tennis shoes and Bears shirts! 🤔🤔 From the day we met he accepted me as family and always made me feel welcomed and loved. We love you “Big R.”*

**Beth Marlowe** - March 20, 2023 at 11:47 AM