



## Donnie Lee Lucas

April 17, 1986 - April 3, 2017

Donnie Lee Lucas, 30, of Old Brooklyn formerly of Willowick and Euclid, passed away on April 3, 2017. He was born on April 17, 1986 to his parents Laurabeth (Steve) Gresham (nee Maurus) and Doug Lucas.

Donnie's charm and sense of humor left lasting impressions on all the lives he touched. He was passionate about his profession as an Electrician. He grew up surrounded by the love of Alcoholics Anonymous. He was a father, son, grandson, cousin and friend who will be dearly missed.

Donnie was taken too early from us, on April 3rd, we lost our son to a Heroin Overdose. He will be missed dearly everyday his passing is heartbreaking which is why we want people to be aware that the Heroin Epidemic has consumed so many like our beloved son, Donnie. With this obituary we hope to raise awareness on Addiction. May you rest in peace, Donnie.

"May your soul Rest In Peace, Donnie. You didn't see that smile too often. The worst pain as a parent has to be losing a child. His father found him early yesterday lifeless after he took his last dose of heroin. There are no words for the pain that his parents are going through right now. His struggle was real: it was deep and it was very long lasting. His parents got him the help he needed many times, but the heroin was just too powerful for him. As hard as it is to see his passing, I do find some comfort knowing now he found the happiness and peace he's been longing for. May he rest peacefully in Heaven. May he find himself smiling more often. May he be free from pain. May his death help others from this deadly addiction. This is everywhere, and it's so

heartbreaking and out of control. Yesterday morning I got the phone call and it hit close to home. It broke my heart to hear this awful news. He's gone way too soon. There are no words for how very sorry I am." written by his cousin. Donnie is survived by his daughter, Addison, his grandmother Clara Maurus, his uncle, Mark Maurus, his aunt, Anne Grenon, and his cousins Stacey, Eric, Kristin and Autumn. He was preceded in death by his grandparents Don Maurus, Emma and Lee Lucas.

Visitation will be on Friday, April 7, 2017 from 4 to 7pm at at the Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake. A funeral service will follow the visitation at 7pm.

Family and friends are invited to a remembrance luncheon on Saturday, April 8, 2017, 2 pm at the Nite & Day Club, 35403 Euclid Ave., Willoughby  
Donations may be made to Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake, to help the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 7. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations  
35400 Curtis Blvd.  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

GM

“ Always made me smile or laugh somehow.. Loved the kids

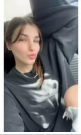
Gala masters - April 28, 2017 at 07:36 PM

CS

“ Carl Trommetter & Bev Sack purchased the Garden of Serenity Bouquet for the family of Donnie Lee Lucas.



Carl Trommetter & Bev Sack - April 07, 2017 at 09:34 AM



“ Babyboy , first I just wanted to say how much i love and miss you. You always have piece of my heart. We have a beautiful lil girl together i know your in a better place but its just hard to let you go .. Please watch over us PS iits destinee

Summer Marett - April 06, 2017 at 06:27 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donnie Lee Lucas.



April 06, 2017 at 04:35 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donnie Lee Lucas.*



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April 06, 2017 at 02:29 PM



“ *Dear Laurabeth & Steve,  
We are so deeply sorry for your loss. We pray that you hold tight to each other, your higher power, and the good memories of Donny.  
Love and our sincere condolences, Brian & Leslie K.*



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**Leslie Kursh** - April 06, 2017 at 10:53 AM



“ *Didn't know him ... but so, so , sorry for your loss. This is happening way to often. It must be completely heartbreaking. I have kids right around that age and I love them with everything in my heart. I can't imagine what you are going through. God bless.*

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**Steve Katila** - April 05, 2017 at 07:14 PM



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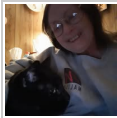


**Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations** - April 05, 2017 at 04:21 PM

BF

*A great tribute to a great guy!*

**Bob Francis** - April 05, 2017 at 07:00 PM



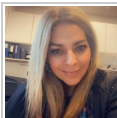
*Beautiful tribute.*

**Laura Ramsey** - April 05, 2017 at 08:20 PM



*In Sympathy and Love to Laurabeth and all of Donnies' family.*

**Karen Bagshaw** - April 05, 2017 at 09:18 PM



*That was such an awesome tribute to a wonderful guy..❤️*

**Kara Moon** - April 05, 2017 at 09:25 PM

KS

*Such a sad loss,,,So very sorry. Beautiful video*

**Kathy Sawyer** - April 06, 2017 at 05:28 AM



*So very sorry for your loss Laurabeth, God Bless you during this difficult time... Veronica*

**Veronica Holland Smith** - April 06, 2017 at 06:17 AM

RM

*Beautiful. Laurabeth you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

**Ruth Maruschak** - April 06, 2017 at 09:58 AM

AL

*I am so very sorry LB,, my heart just aches for you and your family.  
May God surround you and carry you through this most difficult time..  
Love you*

**Anita LoDuca** - April 06, 2017 at 11:58 AM

 Joe Guthrie

*Thank you to whom ever made this tribute video of my friend Donnie Lucas. Laurabeth & Steve I'm so sorry for your loss...he was a great kid, he had his problems, but was a great kid nonetheless and he will be missed by many.  
R.I.P. my friend*

**Joe Guthrie** - April 06, 2017 at 08:43 PM

 Gary Ciomek

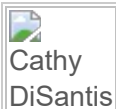
*R.I.P. DONNIE LUCAS R.I.P.*

**Gary Ciomek** - April 07, 2017 at 06:03 PM

MC

*Beautiful tribute. Laurabeth & Steve, so very sad for your loss. You're in my prayers.*

**Misha Clarkin** - April 07, 2017 at 10:31 PM

 Cathy DiSantis

*Dear Laurabeth, Steve, and Doug, I'm so deeply sorry for the loss of your beautiful Donnie. I pray you find peace and comfort in the days ahead.*

**Cathy DiSantis** - April 08, 2017 at 10:17 AM

YC

“ *Your Friends at Malachi Center purchased the Basket of Joy for the family of Donnie Lee Lucas.*



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**Your Friends at Malachi Center** - April 05, 2017 at 01:16 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donnie Lee Lucas.*



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April 05, 2017 at 12:40 PM

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“ *The Paul Dillon family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Donnie Lee Lucas.*



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**The Paul Dillon family** - April 05, 2017 at 10:37 AM

SH

“ *Doug,*

*I'm so sorry to hear about your son. We are all thinking of you here.*

*-Shannon*

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**Shannon** - April 05, 2017 at 09:37 AM



“ I have had too many good memories with Donnie and I'll never forget him. My prayers go to his family and friends. I considered my family. 💔😭

Janie Lynn - April 05, 2017 at 01:03 AM



“ Doug, Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss... our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.  
Priscilla Franklin & Family

Priscilla Franklin - April 04, 2017 at 09:40 PM



“ Lauriebeth  
I am ssddddd vwry sotry for your loss.... Words cannot express my heart  
Broke. Even though I didn't know him but.....

melissa - April 04, 2017 at 09:22 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donnie Lee Lucas.



April 04, 2017 at 08:38 PM



“ Laurabeth and family. We are so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Chris & Jennifer Walsh

Chris Walsh - April 04, 2017 at 07:20 PM