



## Ronja Alexandra Holle

October 12, 1971 - December 2, 2014

Ronja Leopold Holle of Chagrin Falls, Ohio, ascended to the Lord on the morning of December 2, 2014 at Case Medical Center while surrounded by her miracle boys, her steadfastly loving husband, her talented brother, her loving parents and friends.

Ronja did not live her life for herself. She battled cancer as a youth valiantly beating it to a pulp. In round two, a different cancer used a sucker punch, but not before she gave her all. Through the nasty green drink to the numerous pills that she took daily, Ronja remembered the important things in life. She raised her two sons safely towards adulthood, instilling her words of wisdom along the way. "Girls are evil" she would tell Will and John, encouraging them to keep their focus on school and family. She would tell them "badminton is a great sport!" Football might hurt her precious sons. To her husband, who she lovingly called "my bean," she would say, "here hunny" while handing him her "leash" or "Kevin Joseph Holle, get over here and kiss me!"

Her men were her life. But so were her parents and her brother. Alex, always there - right with her. Her bilingual talks to Alex and her parents were unintelligible to those of us cursed with only monolingual skills in English. Her love for her parents and brother was totally transparent and extensive. She often said, "Ich liebe meine Kinder, Mann, Eltern, Geschwister und Freunde."

For those who were blessed to have Ronja as a friend, there are not enough words to describe her. . . Runs Drunk Barefoot in the Snow might be her Native American name, or Drives on Ice in Circles. Her real essence, however, was private, honest, steadfast, tough, with a little bit of biting sarcasm, wickedly funny, selfishly loving and protective of her close friends.

She did not go softly into this good night; she hung on by her nails and did not live her life as a journey to her grave with the intention of arriving in a pristine well preserved body, she skidded in sideways, clinging to the persons she loved most while holding chocolate in one hand, a frozen margarita with nugget ice in the other, her body thoroughly used up, totally worn out and screaming "what a ride boys – live, love deeply, and know that I love you bigger than the universe with no beginning and no end!"

A Funeral Mass will be held on Saturday Dec. 6, 2014 at 11 am at St. Joan of Arc Church, Chagrin Falls

Visitation will be on Friday from 2 to 8 pm at the St. John Funeral Home, 16381 Chillicothe, Chagrin Falls, Ohio

Services arranged by Jane Monreal, Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake.

# Tribute Wall

CW

“ Dear Kevin, We are heartbroken by the sad news of the passing of my godchild Ronja, which has reached us as of today. We hereby want to express our deepest sympathy to you. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you, your children and the entire family to comfort you and to help you attain the courage and strength to bear this unfathomable loss. “A voice so familiar has turned silent. A person that has always been there is now gone forever. What stays with us are her everlasting love and cherished memories.” Source: Unknown  
With heartfelt sympathy, Christa, Werner and family  
Lieber Kevin, tief ersch&#195;&#188;ttert sind wir von der Nachricht &#195;&#188;ber den Tod meines Patenkindes Ronja, die uns heute erreicht hat. Wir wollen hiermit unser tiefstes Beileid aussprechen und w&#195;&#188;nschen Dir, Deinen Kindern und der gesamten Familie viel Kraft, um diesen Verlust besser ertragen zu k&#195;&#182;nnen. "Eine Stimme die vertraut war schweigt Ein Mensch der immer da war, ist nicht mehr Was bleibt sind Liebe und Erinnerung f&#195;&#188;r immer" Quelle: Unbekannt  
In tiefster Verbundenheit Christa, Werner und Familie

Christa and Werner Wittmann - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ To all of Ronja's family and friends: May you feel the love and be comforted by our good God and the many people who care so deeply for you. Love, Julie and Dave

Julie Foran - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PE

“ Dear Leopold and Holle Family, knowing that you need help in your morning as you and we all lost our wonderful Ronja we hope deeply that the Lord's saying will help: Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted. Matthew 5,4 Selig sind, die Trauernden; denn sie sollen getröstet werden. Matth 5,4  
Heartiest greetings Eveline, Christine, Yvonne, Katja, Veronika, Peter, Florian, Valentin, Sebastian, Carsten, Lauryn, Maya, Johanna, Marlene and Tilda.

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**Peter** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ All our love at this difficult time. We are very sorry for your loss. She is with the angels and all those she loved that went before her. God Bless, The DeWalt Family

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**Jackie DeWalt** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ Kevin and family, We are so very sorry. I know there are no words to say. She will be missed. With love and sympathy, The Carney's

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**Andrea Carney** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ To the family of Ronja my deepest sympathy. I knew Ronja through her father Edmund here at GED. She was a lovely young woman. Linda Byers

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**Linda Byers** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ To Kevin & Family, May you rely on the strength you built for years to get you through the next few days. After that, I'm sure you will remember the best of times more than the tough times. All my sympathy, Mark Decaroli

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**Mark Decaroli** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Kevin, John and Will, With deepest Sympathy... many Prayers to you and your surrounding family. I am thankful that our boys were able to connect us and to this, the Blessing of getting to know Ronja. One of many fondest memories is everytime a new kid movie came out.. that I could count on her to get our boys together and go to opening day! I loved sharing this with her!!! and the boys and gathering as many school friends as we could over the years! With heavy heart and much felt love to all of you.. Sincerely, The Jones Family-- Rick, Carol and Richard

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**Jones Family** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ John: On behalf of the entire Chagrin Football Family, we extend our thoughts and prayers to you and your family. Please know that you have the entire team as a support for you when you return. Sincerely, Coach Iammarino and The Chagrin Falls Football Team

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**Mark Iammarino** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DU

“ To the Holle family, Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Ronja was one of a kind and has a special place in our hearts. The Durdella family Angie, Terry and Cole

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**Durdella** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

NO

“ Kevin, Will, & John: I feel privileged to have been your mom's friend. She was wonderful and loved you all deeply. She gave her all. My heart is saddened. My sincere sympathies. Love you all. -Nola

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**Nola** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ Dear Kevin and Family Our hearts go out to your family. Wishing you much sympathy and many blessings. Our prayers are with you. Bill, Megan, Gianna and the entire Velotta family

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**megan** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM