



## Mr. Randall A. Ortlieb

February 3, 1963 - February 1, 2022

Randall A. Ortlieb, 58, of Cortland passed away on February 1, 2022 after fighting for many years with multiple illnesses, Randy is now able to breathe free in the presence of his loving Lord. Born February 3, 1963 in Syracuse, the son of Augustus and Marsha Ortlieb of Tully, who survive him. Randy was a graduate of Tully High School and S.U.N.Y. Morrisville. He was employed for many years by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation as a Conservation Operations Supervisor.

Randy was a loving and devoted, Husband, Father, Brother and Son. A loyal and caring friend and the best mechanic you would ever meet. He is survived by his wife; Beth Ortlieb, two daughters; Marybeth (17) and Sara (15) and a son; Daniel (14) all at home., three brothers; Jeffrey of Tully, Richard of LaFayette and David of Tennessee and a sister; Diane Ortlieb.

Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday at 11:30 a.m. from Harvest Binghamton 1807 Hawleyton Rd., Binghamton, N.Y. 13903. The family will receive friends on Saturday from 10-11:30 a.m. in the church prior to the start of services.

Arrangements are under the direction of Riccardi Funeral Home 69 N. Main St., Cortland, N.Y. 13045. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting [www.riccardifuneralhome.com](http://www.riccardifuneralhome.com)



# Tribute Wall

AM

“ I remember the first time I met Randy, me and a bunch of friends were hanging out at the club for country night and introductions were being made from friends of friends and as he was told my name, he misunderstood the pronunciation. I could never understand how he got Margaret from Anne Marie??? But it was a long standing joke between he and I for 20 years. He never called me by my real name it was always Margaret! And I will cherish that forever. He was a great friend and will surely be missed. My deepest condolences to his family, you will be in my thoughts and prayers.



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**Anne Marie** - February 17, 2022 at 11:18 AM

DM

“ I remember Randy back in the late 70's when his grandparents lived on Sunrise Drive in Syracuse' Valley section and Randy would be visiting them. Us neighborhood kids became friends with the Ortleib kids. Randy always had a sweet disposition and infectious smile. Rest In Peace Randy.

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**Donia Mrozek** - February 08, 2022 at 06:39 AM

RY

“ Although it has been years since I have seen Randy, I still consider him my brother and his passing is heartbreaking news. Randy was quick with a smile, did not tolerate fools, was kind and hard-working. He loved his family so very much and was loved in return. I recall he once came down the stairs with a can of 'dog food', eating it with a spoon with a big smile on his face. We were horrified when he said it was "not too bad!" He had me convinced that the hash in the can was dog food - because it was the kind of crazy thing he might do. My heart goes out to the Ortlieb family; I know his loss will be profoundly felt, but I pray that the memories of his love, and his smile will ease your pain. My deepest condolences.



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**Rebekah Young** - February 07, 2022 at 10:21 AM

KS

“ The Ortlieb family is full of good hearted fun loving people. Randy was no exception. He lived a good life as a loving husband and father. My heart breaks that you didn't get more time with him. Glad we can see him again in heaven<3

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**kaitlyn sullivan** - February 05, 2022 at 07:19 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Randall A. Ortlieb.



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February 04, 2022 at 11:25 AM



“ *Ghirardelli Galore Gift Tin was purchased for the family of Mr. Randall A. Ortlieb.*



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February 04, 2022 at 10:45 AM



“ *Randy will be remembered by me as one of the nicest guys I knew in high school. He always had something kind to say and offered a helping hand. My condolences to his family.*



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**Susan Thomas** - February 03, 2022 at 05:15 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Randall A. Ortlieb.*



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February 03, 2022 at 03:36 PM

CR

“ *The world is definitely a much better place because we had Randy for 58 years. Just reading all the comments on this memory board provides a lot of comfort to me because it points to a common theme about Randy. He really did have a heart of pure gold and that certainly made an impression on everyone who knew him. I knew Randy as a young kid and teenager while growing up on Tully Lake. Looking back I feel blessed to have known him as a friend because when it comes to someone like Randy, THERE ARE NONE BETTER! Kudos to Marsha and Gus for bringing such a wonderful person into the world.*

*Charles Race  
Williamsburg, Virginia*

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**Charles Race** - February 03, 2022 at 12:54 PM

DM

“ *Randy was a great guy always will to help anybody. He will be missed by many!! Prays to all his family!*

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**Dan McNerney** - February 03, 2022 at 11:59 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mr. Randall A. Ortlieb.*



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February 03, 2022 at 11:30 AM

TS

“ I worked with Randy for many years, and I will especially miss his kindness and sense of humor. He was a hard worker, and he took great pride in his many accomplishments. I send my heartfelt condolences to his family.

*Tom Swerdan*

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**Tom Swerdan** - February 03, 2022 at 09:08 AM

RO

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



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**Robert Off** - February 03, 2022 at 08:26 AM



“ Meat & Cheese Wooden Gift Crate was purchased for the family of Mr. Randall A. Ortlieb.



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February 03, 2022 at 08:21 AM

JS

“ Worked with Randy on a large variety of projects at NYS DEC for the past 10 years or so. Always willing to help, Always upbeat and amazing determination to keep going forward He will be missed dearly. Great guy all around.

*His Family will be in our prayers*

*Justin Sievers*

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**justin sievers** - February 03, 2022 at 08:21 AM

RF

“ I grew up with Randy as his neighbor and friend on Tully Lake. Even as a boy he had a pleasant personality and would easily break into a smile and laugh at the little things. He was always moving, always busy, always energetic, in whatever he happened to be doing at that moment... a rare trait in a child. Our lives separated as we grew into adults and moved along our separate paths, but seeing his photo here, a smile barely contained below the surface, tells me Randy never changed. Still smiling, still caring. Rest in Peace Randy and give my brother Andy a hug when he greets you.

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**Rob Race - Tampa, Florida** - February 03, 2022 at 08:05 AM

AG

“ Randy will always be remembered for his contributions to NYS DEC. He was a dedicated, motivated, & enthusiastic member of our group. He remained optimistic, even through his challenges. We will all miss him. Our thoughts & prayers are with his family.

Andy Goeller

NYS DEC - Sherburne

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**Andrew Goeller** - February 03, 2022 at 08:03 AM

NW

“ I worked with Randy at the Department of Environmental Conservation. He was the nicest guy and always smiling. He would always say "hang in there" while I was a seasonal employee "it will be worth it". No matter how bad he felt and how much discomfort he was in he would always say "what a beautiful day" with a smile on his face. Rest in Peace. May your family find in peace in knowing you are not suffering anymore and know you are always smiling down saying "what a beautiful day".

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**nick wilcox** - February 03, 2022 at 07:37 AM

SM

“ I worked with Randy at Jack McNerneys. A few months ago I ran into Randy. He was still smiling an very upbeat. RIP Randy. Our thoughts an prayers are with your family.

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**Sheila McDougall** - February 03, 2022 at 07:03 AM

EB

“ Randy and I worked together at McNerney's, always a smile to share. He loved challenge too. Always had a project, rebuilding a plow truck or demo car. Truly a good man.

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**Ed Berkeley-Hitt** - February 02, 2022 at 10:35 PM

CD

“ Beth, Marybeth, Sara, and Daniel my thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time. May the best of your memories sustain you and the fact that he is with the Lord now comfort you. He was a great man who loved you all so very much. Always willing to help anyone and always pitching in. We will all certainly miss him!  
Much love,  
Cheryl + Eddy Diaz

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**Cheryl Diaz** - February 02, 2022 at 09:18 PM

JH

“ Prayers and hugs... Beth.....He was a special and kind hearted with all whom he connected with. And over the years to see him with the kids at fair just warmed your heart and those special memories will be with your family forever. Thinking of you all...Jackie Hartnett

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**Jackie Hartnett** - February 02, 2022 at 08:56 PM

SS

“Randy was a great guy! I got to know Randy while working with him at Rogers Center in Sherburne. My thoughts and best wishes go out to Randy's children, wife, family and friends. Randy would always shine bright when speaking about his kids and their accomplishments. I will miss Randy, he really was a stand up guy.

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**S. Solomon** - February 02, 2022 at 08:51 PM