

Ronald A. Gill, Jr. Scholarship

Ronald A. Gill, Jr. was a true hero. He was a very loving, compassionate and a respectful man and, to me, these are the most important qualities in a person. This is what separates the poor from the rich. One may be rich with money while others are poor, but the better person always comes out on top. Ronnie was one of those amazing people who came out above all the rest and, for that, I respect him.

After reading about Ronnie's life and how great he was, I thought about my life and my loved ones. What would it be like if one day one of them disappeared? I would be devastated to lose any one of them. Ronnie was a great man, very loving and very hard working. It is sad to lose someone with such great qualities. It is truly a loss to all, even those who never had the pleasure of knowing him. Ronnie's death has impacted me. It has made me think about how fragile life is. Life really should be lived to the fullest because it is impossible to tell when it will be over. No one thought they would lose this great man.

Ronnie, even though he is not with us today, continues to teach people a lesson about life. Bad things can happen to some of the best people. It is an unfortunate reality, but life still goes on. It is important to make the best of the worst situation. Ron's death was nothing but devastating to his loved ones, but, a positive is that his story continues to affect people. Reading about him has definitely helped me to realize that life really is short and needs to be lived to the fullest.