



## Cristina Ann Grossu

January 10, 1990 - December 18, 2025

Cristina Ann Grossu Biffle, 35, and Ryder Jack Biffle, 5, of Mooresville, North Carolina passed away on December 18, 2025. Cristina was born in London, England on January 10, 1990 to Cathy and John Grossu. Ryder was born in Huntersville, NC on September 9, 2020 to the late Greg Biffle and Cristina.

Cristina and Ryder are preceded in death by Greg Biffle, Ryder's half sister Emma Elizabeth Biffle, Ryder's grandfather Jack Biffle, and Cristina's grandparents Ann and John Banas and Lucia and Mircea Grossu. They are survived by Cristina's parents and Ryder's devoted grandparents, Cathy "Nene" and John "Baba" Grossu, and Sally Biffle whose lives were profoundly shaped by the love they shared with Cristina and Ryder and who will miss them beyond measure. Cristina and Ryder leave behind a large and loving extended family, including Cristina's half-sisters, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins who adored them and will carry their memories forward.

Cristina graduated from the University of Southern California in 2012 and received her MBA from Purdue University in 2023. Cristina touched the lives of so many people with her profound sense of humor, warmth, creativity, curiosity, drive and gregarious outgoing nature. She was a generous friend and possessed an uncanny ability to connect with just about anyone. She had a way of making people around her feel just as strong and beautiful about

themselves as she was herself.

Cristina was a realtor based in Mooresville who recently opened her own company Leisurely Real Estate and was licensed in multiple states. She was a graduate in 2019 of the William C. Bass Leadership Academy and named to the REALTOR Magazine's "30 Under 30 List" of distinguished national realtors. She was a talented marketer, entrepreneur, author, event planner, multiple business owner and mentor whose influence reached far beyond her own business. She was working on her second children's book in her "Learn To Earn Series" after "Learning to Earn with Romanza Madge" dedicated to her beloved Aunt Romanza.

Following Hurricane Helene, Cristina and Greg gave generously of their time and resources to support Western North Carolina communities, reflecting their heart for service and helping others. For her efforts, Canopy Housing Foundation recognized Cristina by awarding her the 2024 Humanitarian Award.

Cristina had a smile that was infectious, but her smile was never bigger than when she was with her beloved Greg and their son, Ryder. Ryder was a joyful, mischievous 5 year old and loved any and everything with wheels. Even at the age of four he was driving his mini motorcycle up the dirt road to Nene and Baba's house to spend an afternoon. He loved taking things apart, but hadn't quite figured out how to put things back together. He started out saying he wanted to be a NASCAR driver, but this Christmas he said he wanted Formula 1 cars. Ouch! He will be missed and will forever remain in our hearts.

A celebration of life is being planned. Details will be shared when available. Thank you for your continued support of our privacy during this difficult time.

<https://www.redcross.org/lp/tributes/honor-greg.html/?cid=honorgregfy26&sub>

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# Tribute Wall

KC

“ *Kevin Collins lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



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**Kevin Collins** - March 01 at 01:38 AM

LK

“ *Liuba Kazakevič lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



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**Liuba Kazakevič** - January 18 at 02:07 PM

DE

“ *Deb lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



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**Deb** - January 13 at 12:56 PM

CR

“ Cristina you were a beautiful woman, mother and wife. You had a wonderful career and many friendships. Through your work you’ve inspired others to follow you by example. You were such a great mother to Ryder and Emma. The children were brought up by you and Greg with love and respect for each other’s heart. Ryder and Emma were such good children, I know their friends and families will miss them dearly. You are lovingly missed today and blessed always. May you rest in peace in the arms of our loving father.

Christine Minetta Romandetti - January 10 at 09:02 PM

AA

“ Amyjo Ayers lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Amyjo Ayers - January 09 at 03:15 AM

DD

CHRISTINA 🥺💔🙏 IM  
BROKEN HEARTED & THE LOSS OF YOU ❤️  
& YOUR BEAUTIFUL FAMILY HAS SHAKEN THE WORLD 🎯👁️🌀  
HAPPY HEAVENLY BIRTHDAY TODAY 🎂🎉🎁🎊 LIFE IS SO  
UNFAIR 🙏 I WILL LIGHT A CANDLE TODAY 🥺 FOR YOU ❤️  
GREG 🙏 EMMA, RYDER💙 & THREE OTHER MEN 🙏🙏🙏  
🙏  
RIP TO 7 BEAUTIFUL SOULS 🥺

Dionne Durnil - January 10 at 01:57 PM

PD

“ Pat Dyer lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Pat Dyer - January 08 at 10:16 PM

UN

“ Our thoughts and prayers with all of. May Our Lord embrace and walk with you on this journey. Blessings to all of you.



Mark & Kim  
Middletown PA

Unknown - January 07 at 03:19 PM

GC

“ Garth Clark lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Garth Clark - January 07 at 12:13 AM



“ Benjamin Davis lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Benjamin Davis - January 06 at 12:19 PM

MF

“ *May God be with you all during this time may he grant you comfort and peace deepest sympathy to everyone such a tragedy that has happened we will remember you all in our prayers*

Mccune family - January 06 at 08:06 AM

MF

“ *Mccune Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



Mccune family - January 06 at 08:04 AM

MF

“ *Mccune Family lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



Mccune family - January 06 at 08:04 AM



“ *Rest in Paradise*



Victoria Taylor - January 03 at 11:28 PM

PB

“ Sending love and prayers for Cristina, Ryder, and Greg's families. So very sorry for the lives lost



Pamela Basey - January 03 at 07:51 PM

PW

“ Sorry for your loss. I did not personally know Cristina, Ryder, Greg, or Emma. But, it was easy to see how incredible each of them were through the online videos and tributes. Keep them with you in your hearts, because nobody is ever TRULY gone as long as they are remembered. Wishing you peace. Cordially, Paul Wagner

Paul Wagner - January 03 at 12:19 AM



“ Christina Rathke lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Christina Rathke - January 02 at 09:36 PM

KR

“ Kiernan Ramsden lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Kiernan Ramsden - January 01 at 07:10 PM

CH

“ *Cathy Hodges lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



**Cathy Hodges** - December 31, 2025 at 09:45 PM

SA

“ *I'm so sorry for your family's loss. This story makes me cry and ask why. I will keep you all in my prayers and thoughts.*



**Sylvia Alevras** - December 31, 2025 at 11:46 AM

CB

“ *Christina Brown lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



**Christina Brown** - December 31, 2025 at 07:45 AM

CD

“ *Charlotte Couzzo Davis lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



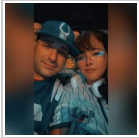
**Charlotte Couzzo Davis** - December 30, 2025 at 06:20 PM

BG

“ *Becky Gaydosh lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*

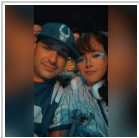


Becky Gaydosh - December 30, 2025 at 05:07 PM



“ *Christina and Ryder will be missed only 5 years old :( breaks my heart*

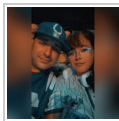
Tabitha Wisniewski - December 30, 2025 at 04:19 PM



“ *Tabitha Wisniewski lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



Tabitha Wisniewski - December 30, 2025 at 04:18 PM



*Christina and Ryder will be missed*

Tabitha Wisniewski - December 30, 2025 at 04:18 PM

BD

“ *BeLinda DeCair lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



BeLinda DeCair - December 30, 2025 at 03:50 PM

BR

“ *BETTY W RHODES lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



**BETTY W RHODES** - December 30, 2025 at 02:29 PM



“ *Carolyn Reece lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



**Carolyn Reece** - December 30, 2025 at 01:09 PM

ST

“ *Shawn Tate lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



**Shawn Tate** - December 30, 2025 at 08:04 AM

JE

“ *James Edwards lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



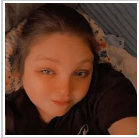
**James Edwards** - December 30, 2025 at 07:18 AM

KR

“ Kyle Robbins lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



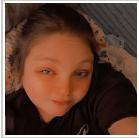
kyle robbins - December 29, 2025 at 07:02 PM



“ Ema Doran sent a virtual gift in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Ema Doran - December 29, 2025 at 06:42 PM



“ Ema Doran lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Ema Doran - December 29, 2025 at 06:42 PM

MR

“ Michelle A Ruggieri lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Michelle A Ruggieri - December 29, 2025 at 04:55 PM

JL

“ Condolences on your loss. Such a tragedy. Such a beautiful family. Bless you. Prayers to you

Jeannine Lukesic - December 29, 2025 at 03:59 PM

TC

“ My heart goes out you and your family. May God be with you in this darkest of times.

Tommy Campbell - December 29, 2025 at 08:02 AM



“ You and Ryder will forever live in my heart. I loved watching your videos and the way Ryder had his own way of saying things. Y'all will be dearly missed and remembered for so many things. May God continue to wrap his arms around the family and comfort, guide, give strength and peace in the days to come. 🙏🌹🚗🕊️🕊️🕊️



Angela Marion - December 29, 2025 at 05:47 AM

CE

“ May you rest peacefully

Cecilia - December 28, 2025 at 06:08 PM

CP

“ C&M Pettay lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



C&M Pettay - December 28, 2025 at 04:07 PM

CK

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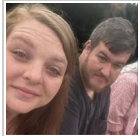


Caroline klein - December 28, 2025 at 01:02 PM

CK

Condolences to the families

Caroline klein - December 28, 2025 at 06:03 PM



“ Bryant Day lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Bryant Day - December 28, 2025 at 12:03 PM

DA

“ Dawn lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Dawn - December 28, 2025 at 11:09 AM

LN

“ My heart is broken 💔 this beautiful precious family so young so much more to do, and yet God called them home together 😞, Heaven has the best, R.I.P Christina, Greg, Ryder and Emma Biffle.

Lorie Nichols - December 28, 2025 at 06:11 AM

JN

“ John & Donna Naples lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



John & Donna Naples - December 28, 2025 at 02:50 AM

TJ

“ Tjld lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



tjld - December 27, 2025 at 10:42 PM

DP

“ Sending prayers 🙏🙏 during this difficult time



Deborah Penniman - December 27, 2025 at 08:59 PM

JO

“ *praying for you all* ”



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**john** - December 27, 2025 at 07:01 PM

CV

“ *Sending love and prayers the family.* ”



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**Carol Vannoy** - December 27, 2025 at 05:00 PM

CM

“ *Crystal McNear lit a candle in memory of  
Cristina Ann Grossu* ”



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**Crystal McNear** - December 27, 2025 at 04:33 PM

PB

“ My deepest sympathy to the Biffle and Grossu families. I met Cristina shortly after she graduated from college on the west coast and joined her parents in Mooresville. My husband and I often saw them at Davidson Day functions where our grandchildren attend and watched Greg and Cristina and even little Ryder cheer on Emma. A beautiful family . A tragic loss. May their spirits live on forever. Paula Boykin



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**Paula Boykin** - December 27, 2025 at 03:42 PM

MI

“ Michelle lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



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**Michelle** - December 27, 2025 at 03:42 PM

DM

“ Prayers and condolences to the family and friends of Cristina and Ryder. May God wrap his loving arms around both of them during this difficult time. They will be missed by so many for years to come. Godspeed Cristina and Ryder.



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**Debbie Meade** - December 27, 2025 at 03:21 PM

WK

“ *Wendy King lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



Wendy King - December 27, 2025 at 02:59 PM

JB

“ *Jeff Bolen lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



jeff bolen - December 27, 2025 at 02:58 PM



“ *D lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu*



D - December 27, 2025 at 02:54 PM

PB

“ *Just praying for you all*

Paula Barker - December 27, 2025 at 02:30 PM

SB

“ Grossu Family,

*My thoughts, prayers, and condolences are with you during this tough time. Cristina and Ryder will never be forgotten 🕊️*

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**Steven Brown** - December 27, 2025 at 02:12 PM

AS

“ Andrew Sagraves lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



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**Andrew Sagraves** - December 27, 2025 at 12:59 PM

CW

“ Cristina was our family’s realtor and helped my sister’s family and mine buy and sell houses over the last four years. Her mom and Ryder would join in house hunts every now and then. I’ve read so many things about Greg and Cristina in general but one thing I want to point out about Cristina specifically was that she was an excellent realtor! She made the buying and selling process so easy and I wondered when she ever took a break. She was always available to answer questions and would run to a house we were interested in so we could see it when the market was busy. She was a wonderful person who always made us feel thought of and listened to our wants and needs. Even after buying our latest house, she gave us a house warming basket that included an ornament that was personalized and still hangs on our tree every Christmas. We send our deepest condolences and sympathy to her family and friends.

*- The Williams Family*

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**Christina Williams** - December 27, 2025 at 10:55 AM

TE

“ Tina Eschenbach lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



Tina Eschenbach - December 27, 2025 at 10:22 AM

WM

“ William Mcgurk lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



William Mcgurk - December 27, 2025 at 07:50 AM

AN

*My heart goes out to Cristina's parents . I am deeply sorry for your loss. Cristina and my daughter were on the cheerleading squad at Mid Pacific Institute in Honolulu where they graduated from in 2008. Cristina will be missed. My deepest condolences.*

antoINETTE m nip - December 27, 2025 at 03:01 PM

LS

“ Sending my Deepest Condolences to all of you. My son Zach who is a reporter for NASCAR had the good fortune of sitting next to Cristina and Greg at an event last February and had such praise for how fabulous they were. I watched their videos all the time and it was beautiful seeing the love and zest they had for family and life , sharing all of their experiences together. The children were so beautiful as well. We will never comprehend why the best people are taken much too soon but what an inspiration they were aspiring us to be more like them. Earth's Angels have now earned their wings in Heaven. May they all Rest In Eternal Peace. 🙏🙏🙏

Lisa Sturniolo - December 27, 2025 at 06:14 AM

DR

“ Drew lit a candle in memory of Cristina Ann Grossu



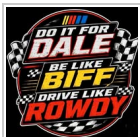
Drew - December 26, 2025 at 11:18 PM

ST

“ I want to express my deepest of sympathies to Cristina's friends, loved ones, and to the Grossu and Biffle families. My heart breaks especially over the loss of Ryder and his sister.

*Wishing you all peace, comfort, and healing through faith, mercy, and the love of Our Lord in Heaven.*

Steven Taranto - December 26, 2025 at 09:49 PM



“ I met Cristina in person for the first time in 2023..at Tri-Cities raceway when Greg came for the ARCA race. I had chatted with her many times before but I will never forget how welcoming she was and so sweet!! She hugged me like she'd known me forever. There are no words to comfort the pain being felt by her friends and family. Keeping all in my thoughts and prayers as grief is navigated.

Dodie Yarger - December 26, 2025 at 07:48 PM

BS

“ Thoughts and Prayers are with you and your family.

Barry Schachter - December 26, 2025 at 12:32 PM

KS

“ Cristina you and Greg made a difference in this world you will never be forgotten. Gone way to soon but you made North Carolina strong. May you Greg, Emma & Ryder live in eternal peace. Rest in peace God got you now he'll take it from here.

Kenneth Shirley - December 26, 2025 at 04:17 AM

Leila  
Hobbs

“ Leila Hobbs lit a candle in memory of Cristina  
Ann Grossu



Leila Hobbs - December 25, 2025 at 01:42 PM

NJ

*RIP*

Nancy Jones - December 26, 2025 at 02:16 PM

NJ

*Prayers*

Nancy Jones - December 26, 2025 at 02:16 PM

KR

“ I am so sorry for your family's loss. You and Greg were truly very special.

Kenny Rimmer - December 25, 2025 at 09:30 AM

VJ

“ Prayers with family you brought alot of happiness and joy in this world...



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**Vicki James** - December 24, 2025 at 08:50 PM