

I am writing about gun control because I have been seriously affected by an incident – the shooting at the Sandy Hook School in Newtown Connecticut.

My best friend's wife, who was the Principal also was my boss in Rogers' Park Middle School in Danbury. I was supposed to have dinner with my friend and his wife on the day of the shooting but someone who owned a gun which let off a round of bullets instead of one at a time took her life, colleagues, and innocent children as well. The next time I saw my friend's wife was in a coffin. I waited 3 hours in 47 degree temperature before getting into the viewing area. I was taken back by the fact that she had so much to give to the school as it's Principal, and it was destroyed by an individual who was able to buy a military weapon of mass destruction. Do people who sell guns ask for what reason you need a gun like this?

I still am in contact with my friend of 40 years and it still hurts to see him without his spouse who he dearly loved.

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I support the following:

HB-7218: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SAFE STORAGE OF FIREARMS IN THE HOME (AKA Ethan's Law) <https://www.cga.ct.gov/20.../TOB/h/pdf/2019HB-07218-R00-HB.PDF>

HB-7219: AN ACT CONCERNING GHOST GUNS <https://www.cga.ct.gov/20.../TOB/h/pdf/2019HB-07219-R00-HB.PDF>

HB-7223: AN ACT CONCERNING THE STORAGE OF A PISTOL OR REVOLVER IN A MOTOR VEHICLE. <https://www.cga.ct.gov/20.../TOB/h/pdf/2019HB-07223-R00-HB.PDF>

SB-60: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRESENTATION OF A CARRY PERMIT <https://www.cga.ct.gov/20.../TOB/s/pdf/2019SB-00060-R01-SB.PDF>

