

An American Gentleman

Daniel Sexton Gurney, one of the greatest motorsport heroes of my youth, passed away
January 14, 2018.

From 1962, I followed him with my camera, captured his great victory at Le Mans 1967.
There he was the first racing driver, who used the champagne for spraying on the podium.
A week later he won the GP of Belgium in his own construction, the AAR-Eagle-Weslake.

With his wife Evi and the sons, he ran a very successful company, Eagle Racing Cars USA
(All American Racers, Inc.) in Anaheim, Ca., where I had the great pleasure to join an
unforgettable day with him in summer 2016. The 'Eagle's Nest' and the world lost a
wonderful human and an exceptional sportsman.

Rainer Schlegelmilch





