



Michael William Cichowicz, Sr.

April 2, 1963 - August 12, 2020

Michael William Cichowicz Sr., 57, of Baltimore, Md., passed away on August 12, 2020, after a lengthy battle with cancer. Mr. Cichowicz was born April 2, 1963 in Baltimore and lived on Foster Avenue. He graduated from Archbishop Curley High School in 1981 and entered the Baltimore Police Department in 1984, where he served more than 21 years, rising to the rank of Detective and retiring in 2006. He also served as a Detective in the Maryland Capitol Police for more than nine years, retiring in 2018. His colleagues knew him as an honorable police officer who was dubbed a “legend” by multiple colleagues and a “hero” by others. In 1992, he and another undercover officer, who were in the vicinity, ran into a burning home in Brooklyn to save five people (a mother and four children). Mr. Cichowicz was passionate about being a good police officer and patrolling Baltimore City. He was also passionate about sports and the children of Baltimore. He was heavily involved in volunteering at the Solo Gibbs Recreation Center in Baltimore, where he worked closely with children alongside his wife. He was a dedicated family man who put his family above all else. He lived by the saying: “Loyalty above all else except honor.” Mr. Cichowicz is survived by his wife Ashley Onda Cichowicz; son Michael W. Cichowicz Jr.; son’s wife Jennifer Cichowicz; daughter Taylor Cichowicz; brother Gary Cichowicz; brother’s wife Nancy Cichowicz; grandson Liam Cichowicz; and many relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall

RG

“ *Renay G. lit a candle in memory of Michael William Cichowicz, Sr.*



Renay G. - April 24 at 09:32 PM

RG

“ *Michael William Cichowicz, Sr.*

Renay G. - April 15, 2023 at 08:19 PM

AR

“ *My heartfelt condolences go out to you and your family. I am truly sorry for your loss. Mike was one of my very first childhood friends growing up together in Highlandtown. I recall those times with great fondness and happiness. Even though we did not keep in touch, if we were in the neighbor or with mutual friends - we would ask about how the other was doing. Mike will be missed and he will never be forgotten, may his soul rest in peace.*

Adrian Rad - October 03, 2020 at 02:00 PM

EH

“ *Haven't spent time with you in a long time, but I have nothing but fond memories of you when we did spend time. RIP Mike. You'll truly be missed.*

Erica Herget - August 20, 2020 at 05:50 PM

WN

“ Mike, we had some good talks through the years, you were a straight shooter, always concerned about others. You were truly one of the best . I'll never stop thinking about you and I'm very happy you are at peace with no pain. Will miss you buddy.

Walt Novak - August 20, 2020 at 11:26 AM

DR

“ Chick, like a tree, your strength and resilience is a testament to the life you lived. Like us, it reaches toward the heavens to be closer to you. xo

Debbie & Robbie - August 20, 2020 at 09:50 AM

BB

“ Uncle Mike, you were my favorite uncle! I remember you coming over when I was younger and acting out, scared the crap out of me. By putting you're handcuffs on me and putting me in the back of you're cop car! I have so many memories with you. I love you very much

Brittney Bell - August 20, 2020 at 09:48 AM

DR

“ The world changes from year to year,\nOur lives from day to day,\nBut the love and memory of you with family\nShall never pass away.\n\nChick,\nWow, what a life. We shared so many great times. I still remember that Mach II we use to ride out to the park to meet the girls in. We thought we were so cool. LOL\n\nDebbie and I enjoyed all the years after that and as time went on and our lives changed, our love for you never did.\n\nWe'll see each other again and have some laughs and hugs. We love you!\nDebbie & Robbie

Debbie & Robbie - August 20, 2020 at 09:32 AM

DC

“ I am heartbroken. I will miss saying to my children, “Did you ask Dad, or what did Dad say?” Mike was a fighter and he fought to the end. He was a strong but kind man and he will be missed a great deal. Rest In Peace Mike and May you fly high.

Donna Creed - August 20, 2020 at 09:27 AM

SR

“ I worked with Chick in the early 2000s. Taught me a lot. I still carry on what he taught me to this day. He was a great cop and great man. RIP Brother.

Seth Roussey - August 19, 2020 at 07:17 PM

KH

“ Our warmest condolences, Kathy and Mike Hubbe

Kathy and Mike Hubbe - August 19, 2020 at 02:42 PM

TF

“ Loved my time working side by side with you, Chick...miss ya big guy ~Tony F

Tony Florio - August 15, 2020 at 09:31 AM

RB

“ Worked with mike at central and southern. A great guy 🙌

Richard boblitz - August 14, 2020 at 06:26 PM

DS

“ Mike, the time that I was fortunate enough to spend with you is so special. God bless you brother. I love you. Your buddy. Danny

Danny Sicca - August 14, 2020 at 05:36 PM