Sergeant Douglas R. Nichols (1935-2017)

Doug was born April 6, 1935 in Perry County, Kentucky to Hargis and Edna (Summers) Nichols.



During the mid-1960s, Doug joined the Middletown Police Department as a Patrolman and was promoted to Detective and later to Sergeant. He retired during 1988 with 25 years of service.

Sergeant Nichols was a member of FOP # 336 and Eagles Lodge # 528.

He passed away Thursday, March 9, 2017 at Genesis New Lebanon Care Center at the age of 81.

He was predeceased by his wife, Winona Y. Nichols (2014); brothers, John Nichols and Paul Nichols; and sisters, Betty Nance and Jackie Collins. Sergeant Nichols is survived by his children, Michael D. Nichols, George W. (Sharon) Nichols, and Lori (Alfred) Mothershed; grandchildren, Micheal (Andrew) Burns, Nathan (Melissa) Cole, Winona Clay Nichols, and Dixie Mae Nichols; great-grandchildren, Evan Burns and Evelyn Cole; and sisters, Alma (Don) Murphy, Jenny (Sam) Rodriquez, and Brenda (Jim) Short.

Visitation will be held 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Wednesday, March 15, 2017 at Woodside Chapel. A Celebration of Life Service will held at Noon with Pastor Lamar Ferrell officiating. Police Honors will be will be performed by the Middletown Police Honor Guard. Interment will be at Woodside Cemetery.

Memorials contributions may be made to Middletown Police Dept. Honor Guard.