



## Stephen E. Cichonski

June 17, 1951 - November 25, 2025

Stephen E. Cichonski, 74, passed away peacefully at Baystate Medical Center on Tuesday, November 25, 2025, with loved ones by his side. Born June 17, 1951, son of the late Stephen S. and Violet (Szczygiel) Cichonski, he was a 1969 graduate of Chicopee High School and was enshrined in their Hockey Hall of Fame. Stephen continued his education at S.T.C.C., earning an Associates Degree in Engineering. He retired after working many years as a lab technician for Monsanto, Solutia and Bayer, and independently as a carpenter contractor. An avid sportsman, Stephen loved all New England sports teams, especially the Boston Bruins. He had many interests, and in his spare time enjoyed golfing, woodworking, gardening, grilling, and cooking, most notably, Polish specialties. Stephen is survived by his treasured son, David Cichonski and partner Stephanie Howell; cherished companion, Alina Czachor and her family; loving siblings, brother Michael Cichonski and wife Dorothy, and sister Susan M. Mulak; beloved grandson Greyson; several nieces, nephews, and friends; and his canine companion, Tobus'. Funeral services for Stephen will be held Tuesday, December 2nd, from Kozikowski Funeral Home, 565 Front St., Chicopee, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 10AM in St. Stanislaus Basilica. Committal Service and burial will follow in St. Stanislaus Cemetery. Calling hours are Monday from 4-6PM and Tuesday from 8:30-9:45AM. Memorial contributions in Stephen's name may be made to Dakin Humane Society, 171 Union St., Springfield, MA 01105, or the charity of one's choice.



# Cemetery Details

## St. Stanislaus Cemetery

800 Montgomery St.  
Chicopee, MA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 1. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Kozikowski Funeral Home  
565 Front Street  
Chicopee, MA 01013  
(413) 592-9256  
kozikowskifh@gmail.com

## Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Stanislaus Basilica  
Chicopee, MA

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Michael, Sue, Dottie and Alina,  
You're in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.  
Steve was a great classmate and neighbor. if I were working  
outside, he'always wave or stop to talk. In the winter, when my  
slowplow would stop  
Steve would be there to help out! I'll always remember his willing to  
help me and his kindness. RIP Steve*

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**Janice Fritsch** - December 02, 2025 at 05:18 PM