



Chad "Ozzy" Alan Osborne

March 17, 1973 - March 10, 2022

Chad "Ozzy" Alan Osborne, the best funcle (the fun uncle) and everybody's friend, of Potterville died March 10, 2022. Chad, 48, was born March 17, 1973 in Lansing, MI to Charles and Karen (Pfister) Osborne. Chad was captain of his high school basketball and football teams at Potterville High School where he was a top 10 student, class of 1991. After high school, Chad served four years in the Navy on the USS Conolly in the engine room, and he was stationed in Norfolk, Virginia. During his time in the Navy he docked at Guantanamo Bay and also in Finland, Denmark, Djibouti and Egypt, among many other destinations. He was a journeyman plumber for Mark Woodman Plumbing. Spending time with his family and taking care of them was very important to Chad, you could often find him at the bowling alley with his nieces and nephews as it was one of his favorite things to do. He loved to play golf and relearned it after he suffered a stroke 3 years ago. Chad overcame so much in his life, having the tenacity and perseverance to overcome his stroke. He was extremely proud of that as well as his sobriety, and in January he celebrated 11 years. As an avid Spartan fan you could hear him yelling "Go Green!" and he loved March Madness.

Chad is survived by his parents, Charles and Karen (Pfister) Osborne; siblings, Erika (Ralph) Reagan and Sara (Nic) Fowler; grandfather, James Pfister and his wife, Dorothy; grandmother, Mary Jean Osborne; nieces and nephews, Audrey, Mason, Max and Nora Reagan and Melanie, Keira and

Shane Fowler; aunts and uncles, and many cousins. He was predeceased by grandfather, Richard A. Osborne; grandmother, Margaret Pfister; and aunt, Debbie Pfister.

Friends and family are encouraged to support Chad's family by sharing memories on his tribute page at www.prayfuneral.com There will be a Celebration of Life service at a later date this summer. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte, MI.

Tribute Wall



“ Chuck, Karen, Ericka and Sara,
My mom told me of Chad’s passing. I am so sorry for your loss. So many of my childhood memories involve Chad and I running off to do something. Playing football. Climbing trees. Riding our bikes up and down the street. He was one of my childhood best friends. My thoughts and prayers are with you all!!

Tonya Duerr - July 04, 2022 at 10:38 PM

KS

“ I was heartbroken to hear of Chad’s passing. I didn’t know him well, but we had bonded over his love of Peanut, his dog, and our mutual love of rock music. I always looked forward to Peanut’s grooming appointment because I knew Chad and I would compare notes on what concerts were coming to the area.

I am sending my deepest condolences to his family. He will be missed.

Kimberly Simons - March 17, 2022 at 09:01 PM

SF

Thank you for giving him something to look forward to as well! Peanut is settling in well with my crazy family. ❤️❤️

Sara Fowler - March 20, 2022 at 08:05 AM

AW

“ Andy & Rebekah Woodman lit a candle in memory of Chad "Ozzy" Alan Osborne



Andy & Rebekah Woodman - March 16, 2022 at 11:50 AM

SJ

“ ShellyMay Johns lit a candle in memory of Chad "Ozzy" Alan Osborne



ShellyMay Johns - March 16, 2022 at 10:52 AM

MW

“ Our heartfelt sympathies to Chad's family. We were all saddened to hear of Chad's passing. He was well loved and admired by his work family, and we will miss him. God Bless Chad and his family. Mark and Shari Woodman

Mark Woodman - March 16, 2022 at 10:40 AM

SS

“ Dear Karen, Chuck and girls and Chad's extended family, I'm so sorry to for your loss. You are never prepared to lose someone especially a child/sibling at such a young age. I'm thinking of all of you and sending hugs and prayers.



Sherry Sinko - March 16, 2022 at 10:38 AM

MW

“ Mark & Shari Woodman lit a candle in memory of Chad "Ozzy" Alan Osborne



Mark & Shari Woodman - March 16, 2022 at 10:34 AM

OR

“ Thinking of all of you during this difficult time. May the memories of Chad live forever in your hearts. ❤️



Olivia Reed - March 15, 2022 at 01:41 PM

DP

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I have known Chad and his family for my entire life. We were neighbors. Take care and you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Dave Preadmore - March 13, 2022 at 07:41 PM

MC

“ Marcia Casey-cole lit a candle in memory of Chad "Ozzy" Alan Osborne



Marcia Casey-cole - March 12, 2022 at 10:22 PM

MC

“ Oh Ozzy ~ I will miss your sweet infectious smile and cheerful demeanor. You will be missed by so many. You touched so many lives. May God bless and keep you in His loving arms, until we are all reunited in Glory at His feet. Fly high, sweet Angel. My sincerest condolences to Charlie & Karen, Erika & Sarah... all those beautiful children that will miss their finkle Chad. Also, to all Chads extended family. May the fond memories you have of Ozzy sustain you in the difficult days to follow. Much love to you all.

Marcia Casey-cole - March 12, 2022 at 10:21 PM

BH

“ I don't know if my tribute to Chad went thru but I am deeply sad we lost a great guy....I knew Chad since 2004 and he was always a friend and brother to me!! I'm gonna miss you dude!!keep rooting for the Spartans up in heaven

brian hagedon - March 12, 2022 at 08:44 PM

CP

“ Chad was an amazing friend and family to me!! We had lots of laughs at football and baseball games and just talking sports on the phone. Of course heckling each other about any Michigan vs MSU games. Holly was wearing the Bengal house slippers that you got her for Christmas this year when we got the news of your passing. They are her favorite house shoes. We are gonna really miss your brother. We will see each other again and continue our sports talks and heckling 🙌 . Till we see again love ya man



Chad plummer - March 12, 2022 at 10:56 AM

BW

“ I'm so incredibly sorry to hear of Chads passing. My heart goes out to the entire Osborne family. Chad had a big heart, and the love he had for his family was very evident. I'm so sorry!

Brandy (Davis) Weiner - March 12, 2022 at 12:34 AM

NF

“ Chad was like a big brother to me, right along with Wes L, Jim W, Ed H, Russ A, Todd M and my actual brother Doug Fish. We shared a lot of fun nights after the football games. y greatest memories are all of us playing "Cut throat Uno...many laughs. You will be missed dearly Oz.. #FLY HIGH AND #GOD SPEED.. he also gave me a nickname only he was allowed to call me.. "Twinkle Toes"...

Nikki Fish - March 11, 2022 at 10:20 PM

RL

“ I enjoyed all the memories we shared on the ship. We reconnected over the past few yrs we never got to play the round of golf we was gonna play love you brother

Ricky Lloyd - March 11, 2022 at 09:37 PM

LM

“ Ozzy, we had a lot of good times onboard the ole Conolly didn't we? All the ports we visited, all the spirits we enjoyed, all the sights we seen. Thank you for the memories in Israel and France, and onboard! You will be missed greatly.

Lawrence Michalski

"Crusty"

My prayers to the Osborne family, specially to the family that I never met, and to Erika who I met in Lansing, thank you for being there for him ❤️



Lawrence Michalski - March 11, 2022 at 09:25 PM

SF

Gosh thank you! My apologies for spelling the ship name wrong. I'm hoping I can get that changed. He loved his shipmates. Thank you for remembering the good times.

Sara Fowler - March 11, 2022 at 10:03 PM

KO

Thank you Lawrence. This is very special! From Chad's mom, Karen.
❤️

Karen Osborne - March 12, 2022 at 04:52 PM

WL

“ *Had alot of fun all through High school and just saw him at our 30 year he will be missed*



Wesley Lehman - March 11, 2022 at 08:41 PM

KO

Thank you Wes. Great picture and memories! ❤️❤️

Karen Osborne - March 12, 2022 at 04:56 PM



“ *Chuck, Karen and family:*

My sincere condolences in the loss of Chad. Way too young. I never met Chad but I am certain being an Osborne he was a good man. Please know we are thinking of you and please let us know if there is anything we can do.

With deepest sympathy,

*Daniel Bargy, PM, Secretary
Potterville Masonic Lodge F&AM 367*

Daniel Bargy - March 11, 2022 at 08:40 PM

DW

Chuck, Karen and family, we were so sorry to hear of Chad's passing. Sending hugs and prayers to all of you.

Denny and Diane Warren

Diane Warren - March 12, 2022 at 08:53 PM

PH

Dear Chuck, Karen and family....We were so sorry to hear of Chad's passing...Will always remember him as the well-mannered boy that lived next door to us. Know that Dave and I, along with Tonya and Teresa are praying for all of you during this time. Sending Thoughts of Comfort and Peace to each of you..

*BLESSINGS,
Pam and Dave Huffman*

Pamela Huffman - April 20, 2022 at 07:42 PM