

Perez-Pizarro, Max-Carlos A.

From: McAfee, Richard B
Sent: Sunday, June 05, 2016 9:39 PM
To: Perez-Pizarro, Max-Carlos A.
Subject: FW: Mitchell B. Huhem

Max

Please print the email out and place it into evidence, when I get back from training next week I will be emailing the family letting them know your investigation is complete and closed.

Let me know if you have any issue with this.

Have a great week .

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Sgt. Rick McAfee
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From: Regi Milán [mailto:regi@ideationink.com]
Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2016 11:37 PM
To: Regi Milán
Subject: Re: Mitchell B. Huhem

Sgt. McAfee,

Per the request of Mitch Huhem's sister, I am writing this message to provide you with some insight into the Mitch I knew. However, I doubt Serena (his sister) would approve of what I have to say. I have no desire to speak ill of the dead, but will tell you that Mitch had a lot of people fooled for many reasons and for many years. I was a close associate of Mitch's and a close friend of the family. I worked with him and his first wife, Patricia, for years on an intimate level creating personal design pieces for their family's life events and celebrations. As such, I had a unique view of and insight into their family, and Mitch in particular since he was the one who arranged for me to do the work.

Mitch had everyone believing he was a very sincere and devoted Christian who highly valued honesty and integrity and family. However, Mitch was also a master showman. Even in his most spiritually touted talks and presentations, anyone who really looked closely and beyond his hair weave and polished teeth could see it was all for show. Mitch was rarely sincere in anything he did. His sister has accused Mitch's in-laws (Deborah's family) of being sociopathic in their actions since his death, but I can personally attest that Mitch displayed more sociopathic characteristics than anyone I've met. I was always torn about that because I cared deeply for him and his family. I grieved for weeks following the news of his death. Mitch had a good heart, even if his messed-up head got in the way. On a side note, I will say that if you knew his mother and had any insight into who she is, you'd understand why Mitch turned out the way he did. But that's a whole other story.

I've read many of the news stories and spec articles about Mitch's death and those arguing about whether or not it was a suicide or murder. While Mitch loved his family, he was also deeply troubled and at odds with a life he had chosen to abandon, including a faith he had, for years, professed his undying devotion to. He made some horrible choices and money not only controlled him, but defined who he was not only in his eyes, but in all those of his most loyal fans. In fact, I've witnessed his very own family (parents and siblings) be blinded by the wealth and unable to see Mitch for who he truly was—a man who struggled with the "little-man" complex and wanted to be bigger than life so he could feel better about himself. For Mitch, it was all about keeping up appearances. But what made it more dire for him is that it was those appearances that he felt defined his self-worth. There are many examples I could provide of his behavior that support all of what I'm saying, but I'm hoping you get the message just from what's here. I have no desire to talk down about Mitch, especially now that he's not