

Our Thinking: In The News

Community celebrates what would have been Tyre Nichols' 30th birthday

Action News 5 | June 5, 2023

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (WMC) - On Monday, hundreds of Memphians showed up to honor the life of Tyre Nichols on his would-have-been 30th birthday.

It was a celebration of a life that so many loved, especially a mother and father who wish their son was here.

"I appreciate each and every one of you for coming out and sharing this occasion with our family. This is just beautiful," said RowVaughn Wells, Nichols' mother.

"I love this, I love this with a passion. Memphis has its ups and has its downs, but this is definitely an up," said Rodney Wells, Nichols' father.

Read more of Tarvarious Haywood's reporting on Action News 5.