



Angelo Grillo

June 12, 1944 - April 1, 2025

GRILLO, Angelo. April 1, 2025. Age 80. Beloved husband of 56 years survived by his wife Pat (Lolacono-LaFata). Loving father of Jerry (Lindsay), Maria, Melissa (Joe) and Cristina. Proud and adored grandfather of 12; Angelo, Olivia, Ava, Asia, Vanessa, Valentina, Robert, Angelina, Victoria, Veronica, Isabella and Bianca. Dearest brother of Antonino, Andrea, Sebastiano, Grace, Joe, the late Sister Maria Provvidenza, the late Elizabetta, the late Anna, the late Domenico, the late Bartolo and the late Sam. Predeceased by his parents Girolamo and Provvidenza.

Angelo Grillo is the epitome of the American Dream. He was born in Terrasini, Sicily, and moved to America at 15 years old with passionate goals. He went on to build a remarkable life for himself through many ventures. Being a visionary entrepreneur, he embarked on what later would become known as B&A Structural Steel. This dream began in a garage and with his hard work, determination, and unwavering commitment Angelo grew his dream into a thriving business. He employed countless individuals and provided a fruitful life and future for his family. His legacy in the steel industry is a testament to his tireless efforts and dedication. Angelo continued making strides for 55+ years in the construction industry. He later developed several other successful projects some including Villa Bella Retirement Community and Grillo Companies. In 2018, Angelo was honored with the notable "Humanitarian of the Year" award by the State of Michigan.

Though Angelo was a highly successful business man cementing himself as a legend in Macomb county, his true passion was family. While continuing his hard work in his company developments, he met the love of his life, Pat. This made his biggest dream come true, by creating a family full of love and compassion. Angelo's picture perfect days included spending time on Sunday afternoons in the home he built for his family and to enjoy his wife's wonderful cooking. He would invite all of his extended family over for swimming, bocce, and playing cards. Along with this, Angelo enjoyed soccer, golf, and going out to his favorite restaurants. Angelo taught the true meaning of family and the importance of it. He was the best Husband, Father, Nonno, Brother, Zio, and friend.

Angelo passed away peacefully in his home surrounded by his entire family. His legacy will pass through his family, friends, and anyone who had the privilege to be in his presence.

Visitation Wednesday 3-8pm with a 7pm Scripture Service at Wujek - Calcaterra & Sons Inc., (Shelby) 54880 Van Dyke at 25 Mile Rd. Instate Thursday from 10am until time of 11am Mass at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 54045 Schoenherr Rd, Shelby Charter Township, MI 48315. Memorial contributions can be made to the ALS Association. Entombment will be at Resurrection Cemetery. Please share memories with the family at their "On - Line Guestbook" at WujekCalcaterra.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 9. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons Inc, Shelby Township
54880 Van Dyke
Shelby Township, MI 48316

Scripture Service

APR 9. 7:00 PM (ET)

Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons Inc, Shelby Township
54880 Van Dyke
Shelby Township, MI 48316

Instate / Funeral Mass

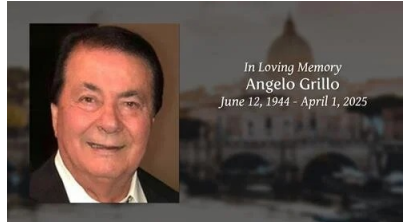
APR 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John Vianney Church
54045 Schoenherr Rd.
Shelby Twp., MI 48315-1403

Tribute Wall



“ *Wujek ~ Calcaterra & Sons, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Angelo Grillo*



Wujek ~ Calcaterra & Sons, Inc. - April 09, 2025 at 09:34 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



April 14, 2025 at 10:47 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.*

April 14, 2025 at 10:47 AM

PB

“ Our wonderful cousin, you were truly a gift coming into our family thru marrying our cousin Pat. You shared so much to us always making us feel special.
You were a true example of how to live life to the fullest, the way to be successful thru hard work and share your life joys with us.
Our world will now be lacking so much joy, for now we don't have someone
To have lunch with, play cards with and laugh with. Rest in peace now and enjoy your eternal reward.

Pat Pallazzolo Ballard - April 09, 2025 at 03:50 PM

JD

“ To the Grillo family, my condolences and prayers are with you in this difficult time.

There are friendships, there is family, and then there are friends who become family. It's an honor to call the friendship I shared with Angelo closer to that of a family member than that of a friend. A friendship that spanned close to 40 years, one that was built on honor, trust and reliability. Your infectious smile, your sense of humor and your guidance will be truly missed. As I collect my thoughts, I can recall several life lessons and experiences you shared with me when we broke bread and of course drank a little wine. Although your success was fueled by a fearless drive, you never lost sight of the important things in life, like family and friends; something I strive to maintain in my life because of you.

God bless you and may you rest in everlasting peace.

Joe DiCicco

Joe DiCicco - April 09, 2025 at 02:48 PM

BS

“ *Benny & Sherry & Sons purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



Benny & Sherry & Sons - April 09, 2025 at 12:23 PM

SM

“ *Scott, Rossana and Michael Myhre purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



Scott, Rossana and Michael Myhre - April 09, 2025 at 09:15 AM

TF

“ *Tonya Frammolino purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



Tonya Frammolino - April 09, 2025 at 08:05 AM

TF

“ *Tonya Frammolino planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Angelo Grillo.*

Tonya Frammolino - April 09, 2025 at 08:05 AM

TF

“When I first started in real estate management, Angelo wasn’t just my boss—he was my mentor, my teacher, and, in so many ways, family. He called me “My Tonya,” and it wasn’t just a nickname—it was a reflection of the care and respect he extended to me from day one.



Angelo taught me more than how to manage properties. He taught me how to interact with people—with dignity, kindness, and professionalism. I learned from him what it means to truly treat business partners with respect. I also learned what great wine tastes like, what a proper cappuccino is, and how incredible Italian food should really be.

I carry many lessons from Angelo, but also tokens of his generosity—like the handmade angel he gave me, which still hangs on my Christmas tree every year. It reminds me of his warmth and light, which touched so many lives, including mine.

I had the honor of working with his children and getting to know the beautiful family he built. My heart is heavy knowing this world no longer holds his presence, but I will always carry a piece of him with me. Rest well, Angelo—you made a lasting difference

Tonya Frammolino - April 09, 2025 at 07:59 AM

FB

“From, Brad, Wendy, Claire and Cole Brink purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.



From, Brad, Wendy, Claire and Cole Brink - April 08, 2025 at 07:39 PM

FB

“ From, Brad, Wendy, Claire and Cole Brink planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Angelo Grillo.

From, Brad, Wendy, Claire and Cole Brink - April 08, 2025 at 07:39 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.



April 08, 2025 at 02:15 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.

April 08, 2025 at 02:15 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.



April 08, 2025 at 11:52 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.

April 08, 2025 at 11:52 AM



“ I had the privilege to golf and learn from friends of my father! The wonderful golf trips we went on, but it was specifically one trip where my Dad didn't go and I still went! I was one of the guys! But it was Angelo Grillo that always called me Son, and I called him Dad! We had a special bond that trip that carried on for many years after! And, I will never forget his kind nature! Love you Dad, Rest In Peace!! Love Joe and Kelly Chirco and family

Joseph Chirco - April 08, 2025 at 11:45 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.

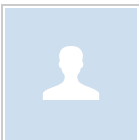


April 08, 2025 at 10:01 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.

April 08, 2025 at 10:01 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.



April 08, 2025 at 08:42 AM

WA

“ With Love, Richard and Sandra Adamo purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.



With Love, Richard and Sandra Adamo - April 07, 2025 at 09:06 PM

YH

“ Your friends at Detroit Grille House planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Angelo Grillo.

Your friends at Detroit Grille House - April 07, 2025 at 05:34 PM

YH

“ Your friends at Detroit Grille House purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.



Your friends at Detroit Grille House - April 07, 2025 at 05:34 PM

TT

“ The Stony Creek Nutrition Team purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.



The Stony Creek Nutrition Team - April 07, 2025 at 05:03 PM

BC

“ I met Angelo in the 1980's and very quickly became a friend and admirer due to his personality and his passion and commitment towards his family and community. I am blessed to have known him and his family for many years and have grown fond of all of them. He will be missed! Retired Clinton Township Supervisor Bob Cannon.

Bob Cannon - April 07, 2025 at 03:58 PM

KB

“ Koreen B. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Angelo Grillo.

Koreen B. - April 07, 2025 at 03:09 PM

PS

“ Platinum Care Home Health Services purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.



Platinum Care Home Health Services - April 07, 2025 at 03:04 PM

PS

“ Platinum Care Home Health Services planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Angelo Grillo.

Platinum Care Home Health Services - April 07, 2025 at 03:04 PM

JN

“ *My condolences to family and friends of Angelo. Angelo Grillo was more than a friend, he was a constant presence, a connector of people and a man whose warmth and generosity enriched everyone he encountered. I first met Angelo about 15-years ago through business. What began as a business relationship developed into a lasting friendship. Through him I had the privilege to get to know his family, business associates and lifelong friends. Together we celebrated camaraderie, good food, good wine and good memories. Angelo had a gift for maintaining friendships. Whether they were from his youth, his career or the community, he stayed connected. Everyone around him felt valued. Angelo made the world a better place. Angelo will be deeply missed by his family and all who had the pleasure of knowing him. His impact will endure in our memories and in the legacy he leaves behind...*

Sincerely Jim Nowicki

JIM NOWICKI - April 07, 2025 at 01:45 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



April 07, 2025 at 01:18 PM

SF

“ Simone Rizzo and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Angelo Grillo.



Simone Rizzo and Family - April 07, 2025 at 08:26 AM

GT

“ Greco Title planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Angelo Grillo.

Greco Title - April 07, 2025 at 07:44 AM

GT

“ Greco Title purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.



Greco Title - April 07, 2025 at 07:44 AM

GC

“ Our deepest condolences Piera, Jerry, Maria, Melissa and Christina and all your families. Wishing you all more of everything you need to get through this. Wishing you strength and comfort in the days ahead, may each new day ease the sorrow of your loss. Most of all let there be memories of warm reflection of special occasions, let your heart start on its journey to healing by feeling the comfort of remembering beautiful memories pictures momentos and favorite stories, both funny and sad and all the good times you've had, those we loved don't go away they walk beside us every day., unseen, unheard but always near us. With deepest condolences your cousins Grace and Gino

Grace & Gino Cracchiolo - April 07, 2025 at 12:47 AM

IA

“ Included above purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Angelo Grillo.



Included above - April 06, 2025 at 05:48 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.

April 05, 2025 at 05:35 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



April 05, 2025 at 05:35 PM



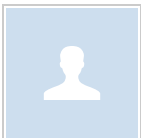
“ *I got to know Angelo playing bocce ball. A good hearted guy and he sure was a character. We will miss him.*

Bill Lounsbery - April 05, 2025 at 01:10 PM



“ *There are no words to erase the pain but know for sure you WILL see him again. It is a promise to believe in. Angelo was an amazing man, Family first was evident in all he did. His hugs were unforgettable and full of love. He will certainly be missed by all who know and love him. May God give you strength and bless all the wonderful memories you have for a lifetime.
Love you all, Frank & Susan Ferlito*

Frank and Susan Ferlito - April 05, 2025 at 12:21 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.*

April 04, 2025 at 06:23 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



April 04, 2025 at 06:23 PM



“ *First memory of Uncle Angelo was at his house, during the summer...celebrating something...and he was sitting at the table in the basement, playing cards with his brothers and co. Chris told me that only the elders were allowed to play. Seeing them all so active with cards and Bocci ball was always a pleasure to watch.*

Sara Grillo - April 04, 2025 at 12:54 PM



I met Angelo here in Port St.Lucie on the Bocci court. He reminded me of my father because he was such a good player. I was only happy when he was my partner when we played. Angelo you are going to be missed." God Bless You.

Vincent - April 05, 2025 at 03:52 PM



*Piera, sorry for your loss. God's blessings to you and the family.
Dominic & Zena Grillo*

Dominic Grillo - April 07, 2025 at 12:10 PM

JT

Where do I begin. He took me in at work when I was just a 18 year old trying to figure out what I wanted to do in my life. He gave me a job and told me work hard and it will pay off. I'm here to say it did. Him and his family have been great not just to me but my family as well. He was like a second father to me. Words cannot express the gratitude I have for him. Just want him to know we will continue to make him proud of what he has accomplished and continue doing so. He will be greatly missed. Rest easy and say hello to everyone one up there. Until we meet again. Love you and thank you for everything!!

Joe Trionfo - April 07, 2025 at 05:03 PM

PR

He was my teammate on the Saturnia soccer team,my business client at the bank,but first and foremost a dear friend for over sixty years. My deepest condolences to the family. Paul Rubin

Paul Rubin - April 08, 2025 at 08:47 PM

ET

“ *My Deepest condolences to you Piera and the family so sorry for your loss Emilo Torres*

Emilio Torres - April 03, 2025 at 09:16 PM

FM

“ *From The Korzenowski's and Marcia planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Angelo Grillo.*

From The Korzenowski's and Marcia - April 03, 2025 at 06:04 PM

FM

“ From The Korzenowski's and Marcia purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Angelo Grillo.



From The Korzenowski's and Marcia - April 03, 2025 at 06:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.

April 03, 2025 at 04:04 PM



“ A Full Life was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.



April 03, 2025 at 04:04 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Angelo Grillo.

April 03, 2025 at 02:43 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



April 03, 2025 at 02:43 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Angelo Grillo.*



April 03, 2025 at 01:33 PM