



Angelo M. Morelli

July 21, 1933 - October 5, 2019

A life well lived....

Angelo M. Morelli, 86 of Grymes Hill, passed away on Saturday, October 5, 2019, at Richmond University Medical Center, after a short illness.

Born Friday, July 21, 1933 in Brooklyn, New York, he was the son of the late Philip Morelli and the late Rose Cavaliere Morelli.

Angelo enjoyed a long standing career in law enforcement. Angelo became a NYC Police Officer in 1957 and served faithfully the City of NY for 20 years before his retirement in 1977. Following his retirement from the NYPD , Angelo became Inspector General for the Fire Department. He then worked in the Special Prosecutors Office and finally after earning his Juris Doctorate degree he settled in the Brooklyn District Attorney's office as the Bureau Chief of Investigations. Angelo retired at the ripe old age of 80.

Angelo outside of his illustrious law career, was a man of many talents. An adventurer, Angelo loved to travel, being out on a boat, the beach, and even sky diving. He was a marathon runner and to add to his many talents was also a published author, self publishing the book Cop Killer in 2012.

More than anything Angelo cherished his time with his children and grandchildren.

He was the devoted husband of Ida (Ruiz) Morelli for over 35 years.

Loving father of Linda Frank, Michael Morelli, Philip Morelli and Melissa Morelli-Walsh. Dear father in law Todd, Sue, Paula, and Rob.

Cherished grandfather of Vanessa and husband Mark, Taryn and husband Dan, Philip James, Michele and husband Jake, Anthony, Matthew , Liam, Rose, Christian, and Lily. Doting great grandfather of Daniel, Aubrey, Madison, and Emma.

And a final quote from Angelo.... "And that's the story!"

The family will receive friends from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM on Tuesday, October 8, 2019, at the John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc., 28 Eltingville Blvd, Staten Island, New York.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Wednesday October 9, 2019 at 11:00 AM at St. Sylvester's Church, 845 Targee St., Staten Island, NY 10304.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 8. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

John Vincent Scalia Home for Funerals, Inc.
28 Eltingville Blvd
Staten Island, NY 10312

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Service

OCT 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St Sylvesters Church
854 Targee Street
Staten Island, NY 10304

Tribute Wall



“ Angelo M. Morelli

October 04, 2023 at 06:13 PM



“ There’s so many wonderful things to say about my Pop. He truly was a great man. As someone said, he would give you the shirt off his back. I have so many wonderful memories, like the time he saved me from a horrible experience at 6 years old, showing up with a chocolate covered carvel ice cream cone. Or when he would take me and Vanessa to “ McPoo Poos” every Saturday morning. I remember how I always used to get car sick when he would drive to Nana’s in Jersey. I thought it was the smell of the car/outside, but I realized as I got older it was his driving! There were those times too when he always had the video camera going. I hated being in the lime light! He always said “you can never have too many photos to keep the memories”. He was so right and I’m glad we have so many pictures to share his memory. My Pop always told me to get a good education and to work hard. I am who I am today because of him. I’m glad my son had a chance to know him, I’m sad my future child will never get to meet him, but I am so very grateful I got to have him in my life. Daniel loves his Poppy and will miss sharing ice cream with you. I will miss you so much Pop Pop, but I will always keep your memory alive. Love you forever and we will see you again some day.

Taryn - October 08, 2019 at 11:14 AM



“ For the past 25 years Angelo "Pop" was more like a father than a father in law. As others have said he put family first. He and Ida were the first to visit in the hospital after having Matt on 12/26/99 despite the fact that he was going to encounter SERIOUS traffic on his annual drive to Florida. Having a grandson on the autism spectrum was not easy as when Matt was younger he had more difficulty relating to others. Matt had taught himself to read at an early age and Pop would faithfully drive over after work on a weekly basis and walk with Matt to the 82nd Street Barnes & Noble (from 96) to buy him a book. Pop was never deterred by Matt's ASD traits and for that I am eternally grateful. May he rest in peace.
Susan Filosa Morelli

Susan Morelli - October 08, 2019 at 11:04 AM



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



October 08, 2019 at 11:01 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Angelo M. Morelli.



October 08, 2019 at 10:23 AM

JM

“ There was no limit to what my brother “ang” would do for family. Throughout the years he always looked out for me and was there when i needed advice and help. When i arrived home from Vietnam Nam he was the first at my bedside along with mom that very afternoon. I remember him talking with the doctors to know all the details. He especially looked out me in the next months. one night he and his partner came to the VA hospital before a surgery i was having. I think many thought I was going to jail being the young kid among mostly WWII vets.

This could go on and on but of course his biggest gift to me was arranging a meeting with “Aunt Rainey’ at his house. I will miss our Sunday/Monday/Thursday phone calls which usually consisted of ‘What’s the over”.
I hope there’s football in heaven.

Johnny

John Morelli - October 08, 2019 at 09:49 AM



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October 08, 2019 at 09:11 AM

LJ

“ Love, Abena & Jeff purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Angelo M. Morelli.



Love, Abena & Jeff - October 07, 2019 at 05:28 PM

LF

“ Love, your sister-in-law Nancy and family. purchased the Heart's Companion Bouquet for the family of Angelo M. Morelli.



Love, your sister-in-law Nancy and family. - October 07, 2019 at 05:00 PM

TT

“ The NYU-Meyers CSLC Team purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Angelo M. Morelli.



The NYU-Meyers CSLC Team - October 07, 2019 at 11:59 AM

KL

“ A truly inspirational man. He was a loving husband, son and dad. He would give the shirt off his back for his family. The best wedding I ever went to was the wedding of his daughter Missy. He wasn't a rich man but that never stopped him from showering the ones he loved with whatever he could. I remember when I decided to go to college he took me out shopping for clothes I desperately needed. I purchased two sweaters that where very high quality and cost a lot, and I was so happy with them. It was the nicest article of clothing that I've owned at that point in my life and I felt special wearing them. To this day, 35 years later, I remember them like it was yesterday. It was one of the nicest things anyone ever did for me that wasn't related by blood. He was my step dad but I have better memories of him then I do of my biological dad. He was good to my mother and for that I will always honor his memory.

Keith Longo - October 07, 2019 at 10:42 AM



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October 07, 2019 at 10:05 AM



Anthony Cavaliere

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Anthony Cavaliere - October 07, 2019 at 08:40 AM

RA

“ So sorry for your loss John and Lorraine. May all your memories comfort you. Prayers for your family. Jim and Ruth Adams.

Ruth Adams - October 07, 2019 at 07:11 AM