



## Angelo LaSpina

May 3, 1939 - May 15, 2023

Angelo LaSpina, beloved husband, father, nonno, brother, uncle, and friend, passed away on May 15, 2023, at the age of 84.

Angelo spent the better part of his life pursuing his passion as a tailor which culminated in the opening of Angelos Tailoring and Dry Cleaning in the early 90's. Born and raised on a farm in Ramacca Sicily, Angelo learned the trade from his Uncle then served an apprenticeship in Switzerland before emigrating to America in 1963. His first job in the US was working as a tailor for Richman Brothers, where he met his wife, Dolly. From there, he took his talents to the General Motors Fisher Body plant, sewing car seats for Cadillac, while taking on private tailor clients in his home sewing room.

His passion for his craft, love of people and desire to create a wonderful life for his wife and children provided all the motivation needed to successfully own and operate Angelos Tailoring for over 30 years. "The Shop", as he called it, was a happy place where everyone was welcome, and no one was a stranger.

Angelo loved to travel and spend time with his family - especially his grandchildren. He was an active member of the Americans of Italian Heritage Club. Angelo was always ready with a smile and lived an incredibly courageous and exciting life.

Angelo is survived by his children Marc (Justina) LaSpina, Rosa (Ed) Schwartz and Suzanne (Rick) Beer, grandchildren Alec, Luca, and Gabe LaSpina, Nick and Ana Rose Schwartz, and Grant Beer. He was preceded in death by his loving and devoted wife of 42 years, Delores "Dolly" LaSpina, parents Antonio and Rosa LaSpina and siblings Sebastiano (Giuseppa) LaSpina, Orazio (Grace) LaSpina and Giuseppe LaSpina.

Visitation will be on Thursday, May 18, 2023, from 4pm to 8pm at Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, May 19, 2023, at 9:30am at St. John Vianney Church, 7575 Bellflower Rd., Mentor. Angelo will be laid to rest at Mentor Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Road  
Mentor, OH 44060

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

MAY **19**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

St John Vianney Parish  
7575 Bellflower Rd  
Mentor, OH 44060

# Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.*



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May 18, 2023 at 06:21 PM



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



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May 18, 2023 at 03:05 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.*



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May 18, 2023 at 11:48 AM



“ *[Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.*

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“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.*



May 17, 2023 at 10:37 PM



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



May 17, 2023 at 10:23 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.*



May 17, 2023 at 01:31 PM



“ *[Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.*

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



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May 16, 2023 at 09:51 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.

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



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May 16, 2023 at 09:29 PM



“ *I will never forget Uncle Angelo as Santa Clause for Christmas. Thank you Uncle Angelo for the great memories. We will truly miss you and your strong Italian accent.*

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**Jamie Strausbaugh** - May 16, 2023 at 09:12 PM



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



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May 16, 2023 at 07:41 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Angelo LaSpina.

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



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May 16, 2023 at 03:35 PM