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FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE DELIVER ALL ARRANGEMENTS
BY 3PM WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019 TO OUR LEWES
LOCATION.

Anthony R. Cerulli, age 65 of Lewes, DE, passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, April 24, 2019. He was born on June 11, 1953 in Philadelphia, PA, son of the late Ralph and Mary Rose Fasolo Cerulli .

Mr. Cerulli loved his family deeply, and he was uniquely unselfish: he worked tirelessly, gave constantly, and never took anything for himself. He was completely devoted to his wife, children, and grandchildren and beloved by them in return. He will always be remembered for his affectionate and playful nature. His passion was for sports, especially baseball, and he was a talented athlete when he was young. His fervor for Philadelphia sports was unparalleled, and he could always be found watching or listening to a Phillies or Eagles game. He also enjoyed going to the beach, spending time in his garden, and playing with his grandchildren.

Mr. Cerulli was a graduate of Marple Newton High School in Newtown Square, Pennsylvania, Class of 1971, where he played varsity baseball, football, and ice hockey. Four years later, he graduated from Florida International University in 1975 with his Bachelor's degree in Hospitality Management. He spent his career working as a Food Service Director; first at the University of Delaware and later at Salisbury University.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Cerulli was preceded in death by his sister Carol Cerulli Cooper in 2017. He is survived by his wife of 37 years, Marianna Hoffman Cerulli; his son, David Anthony Cerulli; his daughters: Heather Cerulli Williams and her husband Jason Williams and Amy Kathleen Graham and her husband Eric Graham; his three grandchildren: Benjamin, Jacob, and Isabelle Graham; and his sisters: Anna Foley and Theresa Wuetig.



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A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, May 2, 2019 at 11:00 AM at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE, where friends may visit beginning at 10:00 AM. Interment will be private.

Please sign the online guestbook located on this site.



Events


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Visitation

 **Thursday**, May 2, 2019

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET


 **Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium-Atkins-Lodge Chapel**

16961 Kings Highway, Lewes DE 19958



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EW

Eve And Angelo Wright posted:

Tony was one of the nicest people we ever met. He was caring and compassionate. Although we've only known each other for 8 years, he always made it feel a lot longer. I will truly miss him and the way he would say "Hi Eve". Rest in Peace my friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Cerulli family. Respectfully, Eve & Angelo Wright

May 2 at 11:02 AM

KB

Kurt And Christina Bravata posted:

Such a wonderful man to be lost too soon. He was such a wonderful source for wisdom and practical advice. I'll never forget what Joy he brought to mom when he would send her pics, texts, or information about current weather conditions in her area. Our deepest condolences to Kate and the kids and grandkids. He will be sorely missed. Now he is with his parents and his Bowser again.

May 1 at 1:33 PM

2T

2Nd Floor Crew And The Dining Services Team sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Cerulli family.

April 30 at 6:37 AM



BD

Bob Deluca posted:

ALWAYS A SMILE AND A TOUCH OF HUMOR. YOUNG ANTHONY ARRIVED LAST IN 1953 AND LEFT ALL TOO EARLY. HE WAS A PASSIONATE PHILLIES AND EAGLES FAN. THE PERFECT SON FOR RALPH THE FISHERMAN. MAY THEY MEET IN HEAVEN FOR A DAY OF FISHING AND LISTENING TO THE PHILLIES ON THE RADIO. AS YOUR OLDEST SISTER ANNA SAID TO ME THE OTHER DAY: HE WILL BE MISSED. BOBBY

April 29 at 8:45 AM

TF

The Deluca Family sent a Joyful Memory to the Cerulli family.

April 29 at 8:02 AM





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JS

June Krell-Salgado posted:

Tony (Sir Skate) was always kind, considerate and loving. I will always remember him as a dear friend. I know he is looking down and watching over all his family that he dearly loves. XO

April 29 at 5:17 AM

AF

Anna And Anthony Fasolo sent a Beautiful Heart Bouquet to the Cerulli family.



April 29 at 4:43 AM

TM

Tammy Tull-Mister lit a candle in honor of Anthony.



April 28 at 2:11 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Anthony by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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