



Angelo Mantarro

October 14, 1933 - June 21, 2019

Angelo Mantarro, 85, died Friday, June 21, 2019 at the South Baldwin Regional Medical Center in Foley, Alabama following a brief illness. He leaves his wife of 67 years, Yolanda (Muscolino) Mantarro; his daughter, Grace Gilbert and her husband, Todd Gilbert; his son, Michael Mantarro and his wife Cherie Mantarro; and four grandchildren: Natalie, Mitchell, and Andrew Gilbert and Madison Mantarro.

Born and raised in Manhattan, the third of four children of Antonino and Concetta Mantarro, he and Yolanda escaped to warm and sunny Florida in 1970 and spent the next 35 years living in various locations around Broward county and the west coast of Florida. In 2005, Angelo and Yolanda pulled up stakes and relocated to Foley, Alabama to enjoy the slower pace.

Angelo attended Central Commercial High School in Manhattan and spent almost 10 years as a National Guard reservist where his organizational skills resulted in him becoming a mess sergeant. Always searching for warm, sunny destinations, Angelo and Yolanda were married in Florence, South Carolina in May 1952. They had a second ceremony in June 1952, at Chapel of St. Eugene Catholic Church in the Bronx, New York, to allow friends and family to witness their union.

Angelo trained as a printer and worked in that capacity for various companies in New York City. After relocating to Florida in 1970, Angelo went into business for himself, running several print shops, both on his own and with various partners, in Broward and Palm Beach counties.

Angelo had a passion for politics and spent many years as Vice President of the Margate Democratic Club and was an active member of the Pasco Democratic Club in western Florida in his later years. Angelo also managed campaigns for several candidates over the years and was always ready to have an energetic debate about politics.

In accordance with Angelo's wishes, no funeral was held, and final arrangements were private.