We are ***pleased to invite you to become a Member of UNICO National***, the largest Italian American Service Organization in the United States. By joining UNICO, you support our nonprofit mission to promote Italian American heritage and provides you with opportunity to meet other Italian Americans who share a passion for our culture.

UNICO was founded 100 years ago on the principle of “***Service Above Self***.” *Every year* ***UNICO offers varied scholarships and charitable assistance totaling approximately $1,000,000***. This includes supporting the next generation of Italian Americans with Scholarships, Educational Programs, and endowing Italian Studies chairs at universities. UNICO also supports charities that address Mental Health, Cancer Research, Cooley’s Anemia, Food Banks and Shelters, and other Local Community Needs.

UNICO promotes the contributions of Italian Americans to our nation and fosters a positive image of our community. Every year, UNICO recognizes distinguished Italian Americans at our Convention and Awards Dinner. Most recently UNICO honored ***Joe Moglia***, the former CEO & Chairman at TD Ameritrade, basketball broadcaster ***Dick Vitale***, and ***Dr. Domenico Praticò***, an international expert on Alzheimer’s Disease. Past honorees include ***General Anthony Zinni, Mario Andretti, Joe Torre,*** and ***Tommy Lasorda***.

Members receive benefits, including **networking opportunities** with other Italian Americans, **invitations** to our Annual Convention and other special events, and a **subscription** to our ComUNICO magazine. The ***UNICO National 99th Annual Convention***, will be held on July 27-31 in New Orleans, Louisiana assembling hundreds of prominent Italian Americans from across the nation. The Membership fee is $65 per year and UNICO is a 501c3 nonprofit orgnization.

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We appreciate your support, so we can ***preserve our Italian American culture and heritage for the next generation.***

Best wishes,

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