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MEET FOUR
ROSWELL DADS WHO
PUT FAMILY FIRST



Michael Dal Cerro

DAY JOB: Entrepreneur, co-founder and managing partner of Dal Cerro Real Estate Group, a business based in Roswell since 2006. The firm provides consulting services in real estate and recruiting.

HOMETOWN BOY: Attended Roswell High School, class of 1991. Father of three sons, married 26 + years. Michael invested hundreds of hours in community involvement cutting across education, music and arts, the environment, public safety, our local businesses, charities, and non-profits, and giving back to the needy and less fortunate.

MY FATHER'S DAY: I am beyond excited to say that I will be having a perfect Father's Day this year! We have arranged a reunion trip to visit family in Italy. This will be a very special and emotional trip. My dad immigrated to the United States in 1955 when he was only 10 years old. This will be his first trip back to Italy in 68 years. My wife and I, my sons, my brothers and extended family will be going with him. We will visit his birthplace, childhood home, school and church in Lucca, located in the beautiful Tuscany region of Italy.

CAN YOU SHARE A PIECE OF ADVICE YOUR FATHER GAVE YOU? Being a first-generation American, I learned from an early age the importance of values and being principled. My father is a passionate man who always puts family first. Nothing is more important. When I was 13 years old my father told me, "Stand up for what you believe in." What this means to me is to stay true to my values. Integrity. Passion. Courage. Stay informed. And don't be afraid to share my views. Family is top priority, but my community is too! It's also about doing the right thing to help others in the community around us and to speak up for others who can't. It is my hope and desire to live this every day in my hometown of Roswell and to impart Dad's wisdom to my three sons.