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Dear Friends and Family,

During this Christmas season please stop and think of your favorite "Romano" Christmas card. Some of you have been receiving one for the past seventeen years and for others this may be your first.

In my heart I needed to send this last picture of the boys. They often referred to themselves as "The boys of summer"

Looking back to late spring, early summer we have so many fun and happy memories to tuck away in our hearts. It was the summer that we always remember. The boys fished, swam, attended many Yankee games, vacationed in North Carolina and didn't spend too much time at the hospital.

By sharing this photo I hope it will remind you that Michael will ALWAYS be with us.

Our tree is up and the boys are into the Holiday spirit as much as can be. Frankie was accepted to Rider University and is officially a New Jersey Licensed driver. Anthony has written his list over so many times, adding something new each time. Michael's school has decorated a tree in his memory with 8,000 snowflakes in its surroundings and has named it "MICHAEL'S LIGHT".

AS we now have an ANGEL guiding the way, let his light shine down to give us strength and hope. May you find peace in this holiday season and love in your hearts throughout the year.

Warmly,

Sharon, Frankie, Anthony and "Angel Michael"