



Joseph Nastasi

Secretary

Born in New York June 25 1979 moved to Partanna, Sicily with his family at age 8.

His passion for music starts around age 10 where he performed for a Christmas show in school and discovered his ability to sing. Around age 12 he was asked to act in a Sicilian comedy called "L'arti di Giufa`" it was an experience he will never forget.

After completing school in Sicily at age 18 opens together with some friends the first theater association in town called "il Sipario" this theater company is still open in Partanna Sicily, and counts more than 200 members.

Due to the unfortunate employment problems effecting the south of Italy decides to move back to New York at age 19 together with his family where he started working for an Italian importing company.

1998 becomes a member of the Ass. Concordia Partanna, a social club that reunites people from the town of Partanna living in the U.S.

2004 becomes vice president of Ass. Concordia Partanna.

2004 Giuseppe also starts working on his own Sicilian Cultural Association called "La Zagara" which is as of today the only Sicilian Cultural Association in the U.S. to promote Sicilian culture through theater and folklore.

2005 Giuseppe was asked to be part of the Federazione Italo-Americana of Brooklyn and Queens, a very well known federation that is active in the Queens community.

Giuseppe has organized many theater events through the tri-state area for the Sicilian community and the partnership with the federation of Brooklyn and Queens has given the opportunity to promote these events to the Italian community.

As of today Giuseppe Nastasi is:

Secretary of Correspondence for the Ass. Concordia Partanna.

President, Founder and Artistic Director for the Ass. Artistica Culturale "La Zagara"

Member of the Federazione Siciliani Connecticut

Member of Federazione Siciliani of North America.

Secretary of the Associazione Culturale Italiana of New York.