

The one thing that Nonno was known for is being able to take the simplest moments and turn them into a moment that will never be forgotten. I remember about 5 years ago when I was in fifth grade during Christmas time. My mom, Gram, and I were going to the store to buy my dad a Christmas present. As we were pulling up the driveway I took a look at the house and what do I see? On the front steps is Nonno, coffee cup in hand. No shirt, no shoes, no pants, just a pair of blue, flowery boxers. A huge grin on his face waving us good-bye as our neighbors watched while they drove by in their car. I'm still not sure whether he was trying to embarrass me, or just be funny. But he had certainly accomplished both. It just goes to show that you never really knew what would happen while around him, but you'd always leave with a laugh.