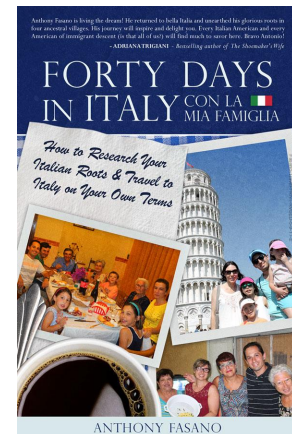


## A 5-Step Blueprint for researching your Italian Roots, Learning Italian and Traveling to Italy on your Own Terms

When people asked Anthony Fasano about his nationality, he always replied, "I'm Italian," without understanding the depths of what that meant. After 35 years of saying this, and with the birth of his third child and the aging of his grandparents, he decided that vague response wasn't good enough anymore. He decided he was going to learn everything he could about his Italian family roots. Over the next two years he:

- Recorded countless conversations with elder relatives about their recollection of the family history;
- Researched online genealogies and built a full family tree with images and documentation;
- Found and connected with living Italian relatives in both Naples and Sicily;
- Learned how to speak conversational Italian;
- Planned and embarked on a life-changing 40-day trip to Italy with his wife and young children, to meet his newfound relatives for the first time.



The good news is that, like you, Anthony isn't an expert in any of these fields, but he was still able to navigate them — and now he wants to help you do the same.

In this informative session, Anthony will outline the process he used in five steps (based on the information in his book *Forty Days in Italy Con La Mia Famiglia*) so that you can start or expedite your Italian family history research.

For information on having Anthony give this session to your group contact Anthony at [Anthony@italianamericanexperience.com](mailto:Anthony@italianamericanexperience.com) or 732-687-4725.

*"Anthony Fasano is living the dream! He returned to bella Italia and unearthed his glorious roots in four ancestral villages. His journey will inspire and delight you. Every Italian American and every American of immigrant descent (is that all of us?) will find much to savor here. Bravo Antonio!"*

*Adriana Trigiani  
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