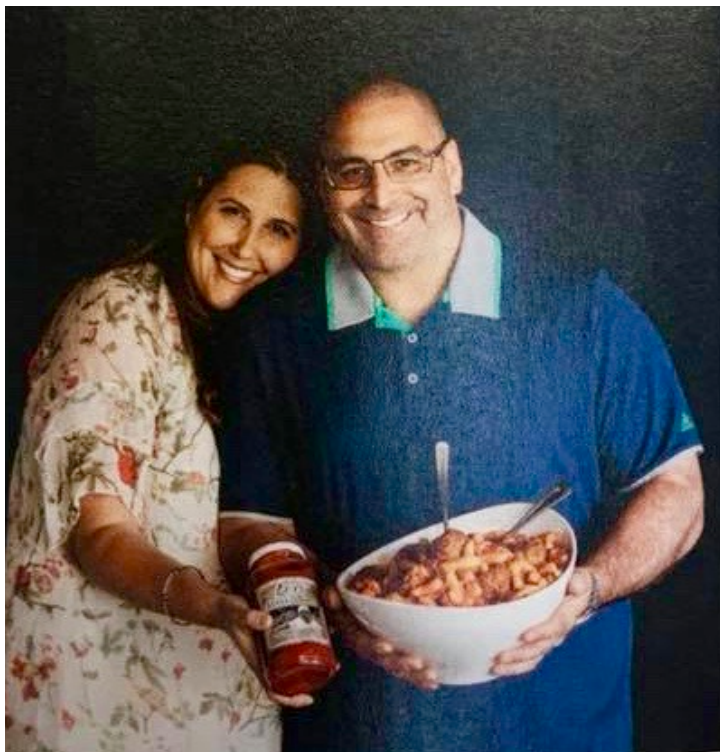


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LEO DICESARE: (*Bottom Right*) **Meatballs and Gnocchi with Leo's Sunday Sauce**

Rumor has it, if you leave one of Leo DiCesare's meatballs unguarded, it is likely to disappear from your plate. For that matter, his made-from-scratch potato gnocchi and famous Sunday Sauce probably aren't safe either. That's why Leo arrived at our party with two huge — massive — trays of it.

“Gnocchi and meatballs was a very familiar Sunday dinner at my home, growing up,” he explains. Leo was born to parents who had just immigrated to Pittsburgh. With very little money, his family ate what they grew in their garden. “I never saw the inside of a restaurant until I was 16 years old,” he says. Leo perfected, and then bottled, his family's Sunday Sauce (leossundaysauce.com), selling it at specialty stores around the city.

A police officer by day, Italian sauce king by night, Leo and his wife, Lisa, donate a portion of proceeds to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, Breast Cancer Research, and the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, and routinely hold fundraisers for children and families in need.

“I was raised to help people and share what you have with those who need it. There is no better feeling in your heart than to create an awesome dish and share it with those around you.”