

The Daley Family

THE FAMILY FOUNDATION'S GRANTS REFLECT THE INTERESTS OF EACH MEMBER.

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By way of background, Carol Ann, the youngest of the three Daley siblings, explains: "My dad's parents were from Ireland. As a child, he would sometimes find a stranger or two at the breakfast table. These strangers would turn out to be friends or relatives who'd just arrived from Ireland. Our grandparents served as sponsors: they opened their home, offered a place to stay, and helped these strangers find their way when they first came to America."

Middle child Chuck continues, "Growing up, we were used to seeing our parents help others in need. I remember a Flyers game where Dad and I were in the fan shop. Dad struck up a conversation with a veteran who was looking longingly at game jerseys. Turned out, Dad purchased a jersey for the veteran and thanked him for his sacrifices for our country."

Eldest daughter Kanya adds another memory: "Dad heard about a local shelter that didn't have money for enough turkeys for Thanksgiving. So Dad went to the shelter, checkbook in hand,

to ensure holiday meals for many people in need."

When their father Charlie passed away in 2013, the three Daley siblings became more involved in managing the grantmaking decisions from their family's charitable fund.

The grants awarded by the Daley Family Foundation at the Chester County Community Foundation speak volumes about the varied interests and experiences of each family member:

- Kanya supports non-profits close to home that resonate with her professionally and that speak to her heart and mind.
- Chuck supports non-profits he's personally familiar with that rescue his favorite animals.
- Carol Ann's volunteer connections and family ties guide her decisions.
- Their mother, Janet, supports cancer patients and funds cancer research in honor of family members touched by the disease.

Decades ago, Charlie and Janet made a decision to use some of their good fortune to help others. Their spirit of generosity has grown into a family endeavor, involving the next generation in the legacy of community giving, now and forever.



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