

## Reality Uncovered: The Bad Shepherd

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**JAMES ANGLETON SR.**

# Biscayne Boulevard advocate

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Businessman James Angleton Sr., leader of early efforts to remake downtown Biscayne Boulevard and an aficionado of blackjack and opera, died of complications from a stroke at Aventura Hospital on Tuesday. He was 72.

A New Jersey native who grew up in Miami, Angleton founded the Greater Biscayne Boulevard Chamber of Commerce in the early 1980s and served as its first president until 1987.

He worked to revitalize struggling businesses and owned the breakfast institution Smitty's, 3195 NE Second Ave., for several years. He also owned Biscayne Boulevard hotels and the chain of 16 Neighbors restaurants, formerly known as Ranch House.

Local attorney Angelo Demos, whose friendship with Angleton spanned nearly 50 years, said his friend was a bold entrepreneur and visionary unafraid to dirty his hands.

"He was fearless," Demos said. "If he had a restaurant, he'd get in the kitchen. If he had a hotel, he'd work on the front desk."

In 1972, Angleton ran unsuccessfully for mayor of Miami — his only attempt at public office.

Angleton was active in the Greek Orthodox Church and was named as an archon, the church's highest honor for laity, at the age of 36. He was the national chairman of the St. Photius shrine in St. Augustine and raised millions for it.

Angleton is survived by Penelope Angleton, his wife of 49 years; son James Jr. and daughter Marina Angleton; brothers Henry Angelo and Eddie Angelo of Miami; sister Anna Gasser of Atlanta; and three grandchildren.

Visitation is 7-9 tonight at St. Sophia Greek Orthodox Cathedral, 2401 SW Third Ave., with Trisagion service at 8 p.m.

Services will be held 10 a.m. Friday at St. Sophia. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the James Angleton Sr. Memorial Fund at Total Bank, 12411 Biscayne Blvd., North Miami, FL 33181.



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