

The Bufalino Crime Family

1900-1903

Tommaso Petto (aka “the ox”) was born in 1879 in Brooklyn became boss in 1900, but three years later Tommaso had to flee the country after being accidentally released by the NYPD. Even though he was able to escape the NYPD he didn't make it far, he was stabbed to death in 1905.



1903-1908

Stefano La Torre was born in 1886 in Sicily, came to the U.S in 1903, became boss in 1903, got arrested along with 23 of his guys in 1907 and later stepped down from his position in 1908. He died in 1984.



1908-1933

Santo was born in 1880 and has been boss longer than any of the other bosses, he led the bufalino for 25 years but retired in 1933. He died in 1958.



1933-1949

John Sciandra was born in 1899 in Sicily, came to the U.S in 1921. John became boss in 1933 and led the Bufalino family till 1949 when he died. There was a misconception that he was murdered but it was confirmed he died from natural causes.



1949-1956

Joseph Barbara was born in 1905 in Sicily, came to the U.S in 1921 at the age of 16, in 1927 he started working as a hitman for the Bufalino family. He became boss in 1949 and led the family till 1956 because he had a heart attack, and later died in 1959.



1956-1959

Russell Bufalino was born in 1903 in Sicily and came to the U.S in the year 1914 and at the age of just 14 he was a criminal. He led the Bufalino Family from the year 1956-1959 but later imprisoned in 1978-1989, and later died in the year 1994.



However it's finally time for a new leader to step in, Michael Bufalino has just arrived in New York City, and is now in charge.

