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## Meet Inventor Antonio Meucci & General Giuseppe Garibaldi

## Share and discuss Italian history with your lodge!

Emmy-nominated and Award-winning filmmakers Marylou & Jerome Bongiorno have released Hearing Voices (22-minute fictional film) on DVD.

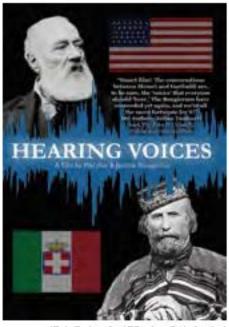
It's the story of inventor Antonio Meuco and General Giuseppe Garibaldi reuniting as ghosts at the home they shared in the 1850s in Staten Island, NY. The two hash out their respective legacies of the invention of the telephone and Italian Unification while debating a bigger question: why do we fight?

Hearing Voices was filmed at the very house Meuco and Garibaldi shared (now the Garibaldi-Meucoi Museum). It was produced with the support of the Francesco and Mary Giambelli Foundation, Inc., the Garibaldi-Meucoi Museum, and the Staten Island Foundation. The film stars Tony Manna as Meucoi and Tim Nicolai as Garibaldi.

DVD Bonus Feature: kalian Unification in a Nutshell (2018, 7-minute animated documentary)

For more information, visit: www.BongornoProductions.com

The Garibaldi-Meucoi Museum is located at 420 Tompkins Avenue, Staten Bland, NY 10305. More information about it can be found at www.garibaldimeuccimuseum.org



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