After much reflection, I have decided to retire as a member of the Patriots radio broadcast team.

Through 5 decades, my romance with football and my relationship with the Patriots organization has provided me with a lifetime of wonderful memories.

During my 11 years as a player, 3 as special teams coach, and 33 seasons in the broadcast booth, I have proudly witnessed the evolution of the game and the emergence of the Patriots as one of the NFL's premier franchises.

I have had the privilege of sharing the broadcast of 6 Super Bowls, and amazingly, 5 in the past decade. The memory of that first Super Bowl victory will always be fresh in my mind. For me, it serves as a special reminder of how far this franchise has come, the challenges that were met, and the adversity we faced in those early years.

To be able to share these experiences with my "compadre", Gil Santos, has been a gift. Gil is a true professional and the most talented play by play voice in the business. For 33 years we have traveled the NFL stadiums together, experiencing the heights and heartbreaks of this great game. I wish Gil good health and another great season in the booth.

This has been an indescribable, life enriching journey for me. The game of football and the Boston/New England Patriots will always be a part of me: heart and soul.

But as they say in the huddle after a long, successful days work.....its time to take a knee and celebrate the win!!

Thank you,

Suo Cappelletti