

> MANSUETO GROUPmansuetomarine.it**HQ:** Sanremo, Italy**Operating in:** Worldwide**Tel:** +39 (0)1 84 573346**Established:** 1978**Services:** Marine suppliers including food and drink provisioning; deck and engine supplies.**FIVE MINUTES WITH GIACOMO SPIAGGI (PICTURED LEFT), MANSUETO:****How did you start out?** Mr

Domenico Mansueto made a big gift to his eldest daughter Rosetta by giving her the opportunity to start up a small grocery shop located in a secondary street of Sanremo.

How many people work there?

Approximately 30 to 35 people.

What is your most memorable experience within the industry? It's hard to pick *the* most memorable experience but delivering fresh goods and drinks by refrigerated plane to M/Y *Anastasia* in Egypt is one of them.

What drew you to working in the superyacht industry?

The location

and those I knew from previous jobs.

Is it a family business and what is the family's background?

Yes, [we come from] a family of fishermen with so much will to improve their lives; although a fishing boat is not a yacht, our family has ploughed the waves for years!

Why do you do what you do?

Because I like my job! To use the same words Aristotle: "Pleasure in the job puts perfection in the work."

If you could change one thing about the industry, what would it be?

I would not allow those without enough experience on their shoulders and/or appropriate professional qualifications to be able to open any marine business.

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What you said: "[The company is] very efficient."



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