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ABOUT OMEGA

IN THE HEART OF THE CITY OF NAPLES, IN A NEIGHBORHOOD CALLED "RIONE SANITÀ", OMEGA GLOVES STRONGLY BELIEVES IN CULTURAL TRADITIONS PRESERVING A FORM OF ART THAT STARTED 5 GENERATIONS AGO : LEATHER GLOVES MANUFACTURING.

IT'S EXACTLY DURING THIS TIME THAT THE OLDEST GLOVES FACTORY WAS BORN. IN 1923 GENNARO SQUILLACE FOUNDED OMEGA GLOVES, LED TODAY BY ALBERTO SQUILLACE, FIFTH GENERATION MAITRE GANTIER.









SQUILLACE FAMILY



CENTURIES AGO, AND EVEN MORE, CERTAIN NEIGHBORHOODS IN OUR CITIES THRIVED ON SHARED ACTIVITIES AND CRAFTS FROM THE ANCIENT MEDIEVAL GUILDS.

IN NAPLES' SANITÀ DISTRICT, MANY FAMILIES WERE ALREADY DEDICATED TO THE MANUFACTURE OF ALL TYPES OF GLOVES.

PASQUALE SQUILLACE WAS ONE OF THE EARLIEST EXPERT GLOVE-CUTTERS OF HIS TIME, FOLLOWED BY GENNARO (WHO STARTED THE REAL FAMILY BUSINESS), THEN ALBERTO, MAURO, AND TODAY, ONCE AGAIN, ALBERTO.

THEY HAVE DEDICATED THEIR PROFESSIONAL EXPERTISE AND WISDOM TO THIS ANCIENT CRAFT, ENRICHING IT WITH NOVELTIES IN STEP WITH THE TIMES, MAKING OMEGA GLOVES A COMPANY OF OLD TRADITIONS AND NEW OPENINGS TO MARKETS IN ITALY AND ABROAD.



WITH NEW CREATIVITY AND ANCIENT VALUES, FIVE GENERATIONS HAVE TAKEN OMEGA GLOVES BEYOND NATIONAL BORDERS. IN THE OLD LABORATORY ON VIA STELLA IN SANITÀ, TOURISTS OFTEN VISIT TO EXPERIENCE THE PLACE WHERE TRADITION AND MODERNITY MEET AND REINFORCE EACH OTHER.



TODAY OMEGA IS A YOUNG AND DYNAMIC COMPANY, POISED FOR GREAT SUCCESS, IT IS A COMPANY WHERE ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND CRAFTSMANSHIP MERGE AND STRENGTHEN EACH OTHER, WHERE THE PRIDE OF MADE IN ITALY AND THE SENSE OF BELONGING TO ONE'S ROOTS ARE FELT.

WHAT'S BEHIND ?

DESPITE ITS MINIMAL ASPECT, THE PROCEDURE TO REALISE A SINGLE GLOVE COUNTS NO LESS THAN 25 PRODUCTION STAGES, EACH CARRIED OUT STRICTLY BY HAND BY MASTERS WITH 'LIFELONG' EXPERIENCE IN THIS AREA OF EXPERTISE. DURING THE CREATION PROCESS, THE ASPIRING GLOVE PASSES THROUGH HANDS, EXPERIENCES AND TRADITIONS THAT ENRICH WITH HISTORY THE MOST BEAUTIFUL FASHION BOUTIQUES ALL OVER THE WORLD.

THE WAY GLOVES ARE PRODUCED STILL REMAINS ONE OF THE BEST STORIES TO SHARE...FROM CUTTING THE LEATHER TO TAILORING THE FINAL PRODUCT, THERE ARE 25 STEPS LEADING TO THE CREATION OF ONE SINGLE PAIR OF OMEGA GLOVES. EVERY ARTISAN BRINGS A PIECE OF ART INTO EVERY PROCESS AND DEEPLY BELIEVES IN OUR HANDMADE WORK.

















**WE CREATE A UNIQUE PIECE OF ART THAT COMES OUT OF OUR HANDS FOR YOUR HANDS.
THIS IS NOT JUST A PAIR OF GLOVES, THIS IS THE BEAUTIFUL STORY OF NAPLES, PEOPLE, ARTISANS AND PASSION.**

PRESS



A seamstress at work in the Omega glove factory in the Rione Sanità neighborhood in Naples, Italy. Today, the factory produces 30,000 pairs of gloves per year, by hand.



Guanto di sfida

Ci sono cinque generazioni di *maitre gantier* dietro Omega srl, che nel 2023 compie cento anni. Il cuore dell'azienda è a Napoli, nel quartiere Sanità, dove fu fondata da Gennaro Squillace. Tempi d'oro per il settore, che a Napoli trovò condizioni ideali per svilupparsi sotto il dominio dei Borboni, complice anche il fatto che la vicina Pompei era un polo conciaro importante. Oggi sono Alberto e Martina, pronipoti di Gennaro, a guidare l'azienda.



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