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THE SWEET LIFE

Photography by Giovanni Lunardi

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Exhibition Curator, Jack O'Brien

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One of Italy's most accomplished photographers comes to Naples! This stunning photography exhibition features more than forty black & white images of Italian fashion, café and street life spanning the past 60 years.

Lunardi focuses his camera and reveals the best of Italy's creative spirit.

Born in the Northern Italian city of Parma in 1937, the young Giovanni Lunardi was a successful Italian filmmaker in Rome, working with famed filmmakers Bernardo Bertolucci, Antonio Pietrangeli and Cesare Zavattini. His career as a photographer began with Italy's ABC Magazine where Lunardi took an award winning set of photos of people on city streets, in nightclubs and cabarets around Italy for the magazine's weekly series "Italy by Night." Lunardi soon shifted from photojournalism to fashion photography where he met his wife Ines, a top international fashion model. Their union transported Lunardi into the world of fashion photography where he was published in Amica (one of Italy's major-fashion magazines based in Milan), Vogue and Elle magazines. Lunardi has collaborated with other famous fashion photographers, Richard Avedon, David Bailey, Guy Burdin and Helmut Newton.

Lunardi worked with Italian fashion designers Armani, Dolce & Gabbana, Valentino and Versace, and has photographed many famous models including Carol Alt, Heidi Klum, Valeria Mazza, Greta Scacchi, Brooke Shields and Charlize Theron. Publishers from around the world chose Lunardi's photographs to grace over 4,500 magazine covers.

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