

CHAPTER 29 – JOHNNY ‘4 FINGERS’ INSTRUCTS HIS GUNNER LUCA.

*29 06 2022 Wednesday. The Hit: 4
Fingers meets Luca.*

4 Fingers meets Luca at JFK. They drive to his unit in Newark.

“That’s Buffy the only pussy around. Capisce?”

“Si Si”

“That’s your room.”

“This is your gun. Beretta. 38 Calibre. You will not use it.”

Use only if I say “Spara”. Yes? Only if I say “Spara”.

“Understand, Understand. Means Shoot in Italian.”

“So what do I do?”

“You only give instructions in Italian.”

“Si.”

Phone rings.

“Hold on, my girlfriend. Her name is Cara. Cara, I told you I am busy today. Very important. I need to be precise. Do not call again. I will be late tonight. Okay? I will call you when when I am finished.”

Ends the call.

“Okay, this is what happens.”

4 Fingers explains to Luca in English. And repeats until Luca understands exactly what the plan is. And what he needs to say and to whom. Luca says the plan back in broken English. But misses two steps.

“Almost Perfetto. But you have the get the names exactly correct. Per favore, say again. From Start.”

Luca starts again. And again. And again. It reminded him of Luca Brazzi reciting and practising his words before walking in the room to meet Don Corleone. Finally 4 Fingers claps his hands.

“Bene. Bene.”

“Two men are in the next room watching television. Jimmy Bang Bang and Freddie One-Eye. They understand the plan. You take orders from them.”

“Hey Jimmy, Freddie come and meet Luca.”

The Hit schedule.

Johnny 4 Fingers thinks a “Monday” would be best day. It means Luca would be on a Ponte plane to Rome the next day, on the weekly scheduled flight immediately following the “HIT”. And delivers the money to the Pilot and Giacomo.
