

Vittore Crime Syndicate: Forming/Racket

The Vitorre Syndicate started long before the founders emigrated to the lovely city they now find themselves in. Originating from a small village of Noto, the three founders, Vincent, Damiano, and Carlos, all shared something in common, a desire for something better than what they started with. They started off small-time, from small beating done to kids their age, to eventually larger-scale movements, taking some of their peers underneath their wings. It was only a matter of time before the idea of immigrating to the states popped into their heads, providing the thoughts of endless opportunities for what could be done.

It took them no time at all to prepare, having obtained the connections they needed in order to get to the states. Where they practically started from square one, but with experience and maturity underneath their belts. Luckily for them, they devised an overall plan for how they were going to make their fortune in the U.S. With the previous world conflicts, they were able to obtain knowledge in regards to the making of items for protection against modern ballistics.

Damiano found a part-time job working at a warehouse, which often got rid of steel barrels they no longer found suitable for use. Since they were simply just being thrown away, Damiano often broke them down to the best of his ability, flattening the cut steel into portable sheets. Carlos had obtained a position that mainly involved forging metals for machinery, which provided him free time to work on his craft. With this free time, he utilized the spare-flattened steel that Damiano would acquire. Combining the sheets of metal into more-solidified pieces, enough to cover one's torso. As for Vincent Vittore, he found himself acquiring the useful hands of seamstresses from his neighbourhood, putting their useful skills to work.

All he'd ask for them to do so was to make vests with just more space between the layers and a bit thicker. All of these combinations of the two separate chest portions, forming one solid piece of clothing, although it required an odd way of putting it on. They were cumbersome and quite heavy, but they provided a decent amount of protection for both the wearer's front and back.

It took a bit of time, but in time they were able to acquire a decent amount of these vests, looking for the Vitorre Crime Syndicate's first customer.

