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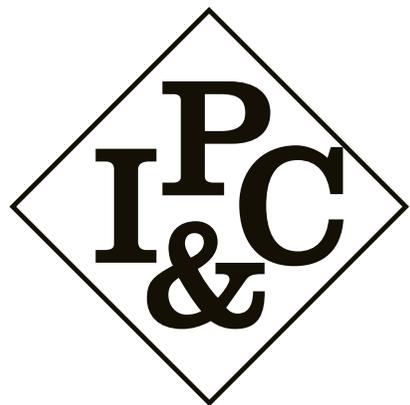
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Introduction

This book enthusiastically recounts a century in the life of a company, the Impresa Pizzarotti. All along the way, we have always kept a low profile; the construction industry should communicate through its works, and even now we are still amazed at how words are frequently given more importance than concrete action.

But a hundred years in the life of a company deserve a pause for reflection, to remember where we came from and what human efforts have brought us to where we are today. So this is how we struck upon the idea of a book of stories and photos dedicated to the key figures of the company, a book that endeavours to reconstruct, also through the words of my uncle Enrico, parts of the life of two fundamental figures: my grandfather Gino and my father Pietro.

It is difficult, and in some ways frustrating, to have to concentrate the history of four generations of men and women who worked together into so few pages. Work that did not only involve the building of houses, roads and railways, but also the achievement of a growth target, both individual and collective, in order to be able to guarantee the continual improvement of people's working and living conditions.

This book is dedicated, with gratitude, to all those who have worked with us, both in the past and in the present - management, office staff and production workers alike - and who have made it possible for us to achieve our goal... And, of course, to my family.



Mr. Paolo Pizzarotti

