

THE VOICE OF NAPLES

RAFFAELE

Pierno

NEAPOLITAN TENOR

*He brings the soul
of Naples to
every stage.*



BORN TO SING. DESTINED TO INSPIRE.

Born in the heart of Naples – in the very street where the legendary Enrico Caruso was born – Raffaele Pierno's love affair with music began at a young age. Like Caruso, he was discovered in a local trattoria and guided by a voice coach who saw something extraordinary in his voice.



ROOTED IN TRADITION. REFINED BY MASTERS.

Trained in the great Italian tradition (la vecchia scuola Italiana di canto), Raffaele studied for seven years with Maestro Antonio Finizio, baritone of the Teatro Reale "San Carlo" in Naples and close friend of the great tenor Mario del Monaco.



CLASSICALLY TRAINED. GLOBALLY LOVED.

A graduate of the Conservatorium Domenico Cimarosa di Avellino with a diploma di canto, Raffaele quickly rose to prominence, becoming a sought-after soloist for festivals and prestigious events across Italy and around the world.

From Sydney Town Hall with the Hunan Province Symphony Orchestra to concerts in Adelaide, Melbourne, Brisbane, Perth and Canberra, Raffaele's rich, golden voice and magnetic stage presence have won the hearts of audiences everywhere.



A CAREER OF HIGHLIGHTS.

One of his most treasured performances was a recital at the historic Pompei Forum for the Fondazione "Pasquale di Costanzo". In Brisbane, he has often collaborated with the Brisbane City Pop Orchestra and proudly participates in the annual "Festitalia" event, sharing his Neapolitan heritage and passion with a wide audience.

He has also collaborated with the Noosa Orchestra and Antoni Bonetti (Brisbane Symphony Orchestra) for the celebrated concert series "The Diva and the Tenors".



NEW CHAPTER. SAME PASSION.

In 2025, Raffaele embarks on an exciting new journey with his group Trio Sole, based on the Sunshine Coast. He has also recently performed with the Noosa Orchestra and Antoni Bonetti (Brisbane Symphony Orchestra) in the celebrated concert series "The Diva and the Tenors".

From the timeless classics...

'O SOLE MIO • TORNA A SURRIENTO • TU CA NUN CHIAGNE •
CORE 'NGRATO

*and the joyful favourite of all –
FUNICULÌ, FUNICULÀ!*

VIVA LA MUSICA. VIVA NAPOLI!