

Number One Cookware Producer In Italy Makes U.S. Debut



(NAPSA)—Italy. The birthplace of indulgence—from food and fashion to style and design, Italians are the connoisseurs of taste. Now that the number one cookware manufacturer in Italy is finally making its way across the Atlantic, cooking experts are taking stock of what's to come.

The name is Bialetti and the company's wonderful pots and pans can be found in over ninety percent of Italian households. It's no wonder—the name itself is about innovation, quality and affordability. Here's a look at some favorite features in the Bialetti Spazio collection, one of the five lines being introduced to the U.S. market.

Folding Handles:

The Bialetti Spazio line features unique folding handles for space-saving convenience, fitting easily into cabinets and dishwashers.

Plastic Storage Lids:

The saucepans include plastic storage tops for easy transfer to the refrigerator. The lids are configured with pressure-reducing knobs to ensure cold-storage freshness.

Self-Draining Pasta Pot:

Now here's something you



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won't believe no one thought of sooner...it's a 5-quart pasta pot, with an ingenious self-draining lid. Which means no extra inserts or strainers to clean up. Plus, the pot looks as great as it performs—it features an award-winning design with an eye-catching metallic blue exterior.

Dishwasher safe:

All Bialetti cookware products are specially designed for daily dishwasher use—say goodbye to handwashing pots and pans forever.

Non-stick Cooking:

The cookware features Dupont's Teflon Platinum to guard against scratches and is safe for use with metal utensils.

Bialetti products are priced affordably, from \$79.99 to \$139.99 for an 8-piece set. Open stock items, such as fry pans, saucepans, grill pans and pasta pots are available as well.

In addition to the Spazio collection, look for the Vogue and Hi-Base collections in specialty and mass retailers nationwide. For more information and availability, call 800-421-6290.