

MANUEL (LITO) [redacted]
DECKHAN

Personal Info:

DOB: 10/14/2002
Nationality: United States

Passport: United States (valid)
Driver License: United States (valid)

Location: Fort Lauderdale, FL
Language: English

Marital Status: Single

Tattoos: Visible, non-offensive
Smoker: Non-Smoker

Contact Info:

Phone: [redacted]

Qualifications:

- STCW / PDSD
- ENG1
- FCC Marine Radio Operator Permit
- Boater Safety Education License
- Certified Bartending/Mixology
- Food Hygiene Level 2

Skills:

- Adaptive - Cleanliness - Attentive - Boat handling
- Communication - Organized - Water Sports
- Receptive - Service - Multitasking - Mixology

References:

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[redacted] 9070193166
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MARITIME EXPERIENCE

Solo Mate (Jan 7th - June 20th, 2026)
M/Y [redacted] • 21m/70ft • Miami, FL

I was responsible for day-to-day operations and keeping the vessel in top condition. Handle regular maintenance, wash downs, exterior projects, and interior cleaning to maintain overall presentation. Assist in provisioning, ensuring the boat is always fully stocked and prepared for trips. Assist guests during trips by bartending, helping with onboard needs, and ensuring a great experience for guests. Operate the tender for guest transport and set up water toys and floats. Take an active role in docking procedures, including handling lines and assisting with secure, safe, and efficient mooring. Assist with preparing the boat for trips and events like the West Palm Beach Boat Show, and private viewings.

Exterior Day-worker (Dec 16th, 2025 - Jan 1st, 2026)
M/Y [redacted] 40m/130ft • Fort Lauderdale, FL

I participated in a sea trial, handling mooring lines and assisting to ensure the vessel was fully operational. While onboard, I focused on exterior detailing, including wash downs, polishing and stainless detailing, window cleaning, and teak care with washes 1-2. I also detailed tenders, jet skis, and inflatables, and assisted in guiding them onto the sundeck.

Temporary Deckhand (Oct 18th - Nov 24th, 2025)
M/Y [redacted] • 42m/136ft • Private/Charter • Fort Lauderdale, FL

While onboard I was tasked with flaking the anchor chain, handling mooring lines, and assisted with docking at multiple locations. I also performed maintenance duties including rust removal, grinding, painting, and detailing of the anchor locker and bilges. As well we organized and detailed onboard/off board storage, including lazarette, engine room, and bosun's locker. Throughout the time I completed regular wash downs, polishing, and exterior detailing.

TRANSFERABLE WORK EXPERIENCE

[redacted]nder/Server
[redacted] (2021- 2025)

I coordinated with kitchen and service departments to deliver seamless service during peak hours and private events. I as well was trusted to handle high traffic bar service independently attending groups of 50+ people and maintained organization through inventory control, stock management, and cleanliness oversight. With that i was able to train and mentor junior bartenders and wait staff, promoting effective teamwork, consistency, and professionalism.

[redacted] (2019 - 2020)

I helped provided tailored solutions for specific needs, whether mixing precise shades of paint or locating hard-to-find products, showcasing strong attention to detail. I as well learned to demonstrated excellent problem-solving skills by helping customers resolve unique issues, applying resourcefulness and quick thinking while adapting plans on the fly.

[redacted] (2019, 1 Season)

Being a Life Guard i learned how to be skilled in hazard recognition, attentiveness, performing rescues, and administering first aid in water-related emergencies such as distressed swimmers, hypothermia, and spinal injuries. I am also very comfortable in water safety protocols, rule enforcement, and remaining calm and effective in high-pressure situations.

ABOUT ME:

I'm a reliable, adaptable and hardworking team player with a positive attitude and a genuine passion for life on the water. Growing up in a small town along the Mississippi River, I gained hands-on experience with tender sized vessels, personal watercraft and a range of water sports from an early age. These experiences shaped my respect for the water and taught me the importance of maritime safety, rules and responsibility. With experience in fast paced, guest focused environments, I've learned to stay calm under pressure, communicate openly and deliver attentive, professional service. I enjoy working as part of a close knit crew, learning from experienced seafarers and continuously developing my skills while contributing to a safe, positive and reliable onboard environment.