



There's a Yacht More to Life

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FACT SHEET

- WHAT:** The new book, THERE'S A YACHT MORE TO LIFE, published Fall, 2018
- WHO:** Husband and Wife Authors Winston Hovey and Cynthia Zvanut Hovey
- ABOUT:** The true story of a baby-boomer couple who chuck their San Diego corporate lifestyle and all their "stuff," then slowly morph from living in a palm frond hut making minimum wage into running multi-million dollar charter megayachts for billionaires.
- WHY:** The idea came from a bright-eyed, curly-haired seven-year-old vacationing aboard a yacht Winston and Cynthia were running. "You guys are so lucky," she said with wide-eyed envy. "You guys get to go on everybody's vacation!"
- Whenever they mention they work on a yacht, the next question is always "How in the world did you get that job?" This book is that answer.

BOOK

SUMMARY: Spanning 25 years, the chasms this couple negotiates, transitioning from the lucrative corporate world to a grass hut and minimum wage work at a pirate bar on a tiny island named Saba Rock to handling millionaire yacht owners and their megayachts, make hurricanes look like child's play.

Becoming USCG captains, Cynthia and Winston hosted 100-plus sailboat and megayacht charters, weathered twelve hurricanes, outlived three firings, endured five resignations, even survived life in a van without divorcing—all the while looking for that perfect job. Overcoming all, they finally land the perfect job, perma-vacationing with full-time salaries.

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