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Motor Caravanner presents a photo tour of an award-winning, super-slim, low-profile motorcaravan which combines sensational Italian style with British practicality. **Gentleman Jack** is our guide...



Left: Kea Kompakt 55 is one of the smartest motorcaravans we've seen in a long while. Built by Mobilvetta in Italy and imported by Marquis, it was a worthy winner of this year's Practical Motorhome Awards for sub-7m coachbuilds... actually measuring 6.36m (20' 10.5").

Right: View forward through nearside entrance door aperture. Roomy lounge comfortably accommodates seven adults...amazing considering the external body width is just 2.15m (7' 0.75"). Settees convert into two face-forward travel seats with three-point safety belts.



Below: Offside part of the centrally-located kitchen has two wide storage drawers below a rectangular sink and two-burner hob. There isn't a microwave oven, although one could easily be retro-fitted. Natural and artificial task lighting is very good.



Above: Nearside section of the cook's quarters is home to a 'mine's-bigger-than-yours' fridge-freezer, above a gas-operated combined grill and oven. Both are adjacent to the entrance vestibule. See TV bracket on wall.



Above left: Immediately behind the kitchen is the full-width comfort station, which also gives access to the rear storage area. All can be separated from the main salon. Facilities include a vanity basin and loo on one side, plus a walk-in shower compartment on t'other side. **Above right:** Kea Kompakt 55 offers four sleeping berths. Main bed is a forward mid-level transverse double. It raises and lowers electrically and can be stored fully 'made-up'. The lounge will convert into another transverse double, or into a longitudinal single-bed.



Above: We resisted calling the area between the garage and comfort station (just) 'a wardrobe' because it is so much more than that. Note the flexibility and sophistication of the available storage at the base of the full-height clothes hanging area.



Above: There is so much to admire about this motorcaravan that we can't possibly list everything here. The importers (Marquis Leisure) is a multi-outlet retailer and will bring an example to the branch closest to you, if there isn't one already there for you to view. Pictured are two more examples of 'smart storage'. As always, it's the details that make the difference between a good motorcaravan and an exceptional one. Price £100,000? Nope. £80,000? close...actually £79,995 OTR, including automatic transmission and solar panel.



Above: At the far rear, behind the washroom and storage area, is a full-width garage-style space with a tall exterior-access door on each side. A generous payload (690kg manual/ 612kg automatic) will be useful for serious clobber collectors.



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