# Villa Medea

Region: Corfu Sleeps: 4

## **Overview**

Encircled by private gardens, a beautiful pool and chic interior design throughout, Villa Medea is a stylish haven tucked away in Dassia, Corfu. Just 120m from Dassia beach, the villa has classic cream exteriors with brown shutters. The villa has a warm, welcoming feel and plenty of charm, as well as being seriously photogenic!

The gorgeous living space is decorated in romantic blush pink tones with warm wood and gorgeous wicker details. Furnished with a range of cosy textures, such as the fluffy honey-coloured rug and crochet-style cushions and stool, the space has a hygge-like feel. Sink into the soft grey sofa and unwind with an iced coffee. Circles are a motif through the property, from the striking bamboo chair and framed mirrors in the bedroom.

The home has two delightful bedrooms that can sleep four people. With statement headboards with mosaic art, golden hanging pendant lamps and double beds that can convert to twins, every detail has been carefully curated. Fresh cream walls and floor to ceiling windows with fluttering matching drapes ensure the space is bright and airy. There are satellite televisions in every room and balconies around the property. Ensuites are crafted from marbled pink natural stone with enormous circular mirrors, a glass-encased shower and glamorous silver finishings.

Outside, the sparkling aquamarine pool is a real highlight. There's plenty of space to swim peacefully and take a refreshing dip, with poolside sunbeds and an outdoor shower next to it, and the jacuzzi with its separate decking area is so luxurious. Let your stresses melt away as you unwind with a glass of fizz here. The poolside bale is the ultimate relaxation spot, with a huge day bed with sofas and a coffee table - we wouldn't blame if you never left this spot all holiday! Whip up a feast in the fully equipped







kitchen, then enjoy your meal alfresco in the bale.

The spacious lawn is perfect for sunbathing and picnic-ing - there is a single exotic tree that creates a focal point and some shade.

\*\*\* Villa Medea can accommodate up to a maximum of 4 guests, but being close to Villa Corintha (https://www.oliverstravels.com/greece/corfu/villa-corintha/) and Villa Lanassa (https://www.oliverstravels.com/greece/corfu/villa-lanassa/), larger groups of 6 and 8 guests (respectively) can be accommodated - please follow the links for more information

### **Facilities**

Air-Con • Villa • Boat Trips • Historical Sites • Walk to Beach • Wi-Fi/Internet • Private Pool • DVD • Cots (Cribs) • Beach Nearby • Walk to Village • Modern • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • Hot Tub • Walk to Restaurant • <1hr to Airport • All Bedrooms En-Suite • Satellite TV • High Chair(s) • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages

# **Interior & Grounds**

### The Villa

Villa Daphne lays in over 1300 square metres of private garden, within walking distance to Dassia. There are 2 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms and it sleeps 4 people.

#### Ground Floor

- Open-plan living room and dining area
- Fully equipped kitchen with breakfast bar
- Cloakroom

#### First Floor

- Double bedroom with private balcony and en-suite shower room
- Twin bedroom with private balcony and en-suite shower room

#### Exterior Grounds

- Private swimming pool (heated on request for an additional charge)
- Jacuzzi (heated on request for an additional charge)
- Poolside shower
- Sun loungers & parasols
- Sunbed
- Alfresco dining area
- Covered chill-out area
- Barbecue
- Private garden

#### Additional Facilities

- Air-conditioning
- Dishwasher
- Satellite televisions in lounge and all rooms
- Complimentary Wi-Fi Super fast wi fi connection with internet speed from 200 to 300mbps.
- Fax machine- Electronic safe
- CC communication system
- Hair dryers and toiletries









### **Location & Local Information**

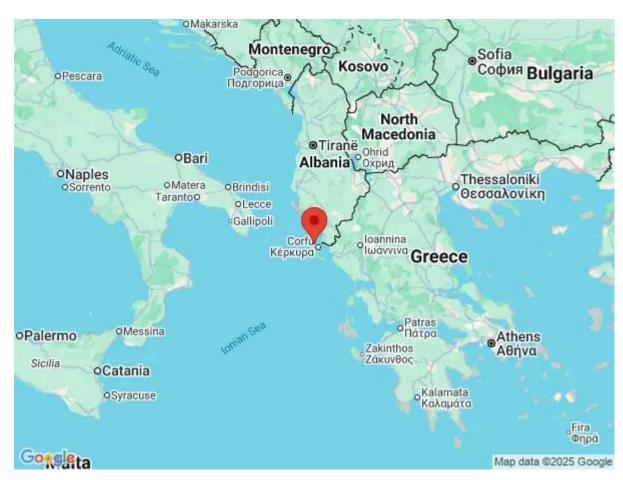
Dassia is a quieter area popular with luxury hotels along the coastline and with stunning views of the Albanian mountains. The most famous attraction in the area is Dassia Beach, a shingle beach where guests can get stuck into a variety of thrilling watersports. Whether you want to try waterskiing, paragliding or taking a pedalo out on the calm waters, there's no end of aqua-based fun here. Another beach within 300m of the villa is Agios Nikolas, with its rocky coves and an ancient church that stands proudly above it.

Corfu is the second largest of the Ionian Islands and has plenty of Venetian influence in the architecture, as well as Byzantine. The name means 'a pair of peaks' as the island has two hills topped with fortresses that once defended the island from the Ottoman Empire. Add delightfully friendly locals and great Corfiot cuisine, and you've got everything you need for a fantastic holiday.

Corfu Town has a myriad of narrow, winding lanes, filled with Venetian and Neoclassical architecture, painted in cheerful ochre and sienna. Just off Spianada Square, where locals congregate, is the Old Fortress on the site of an acropolis atop a rocky peninsula. Visitors can walk up to the highest point for breathtaking views, passing a small chapel and museum along the way.

A great day trip is to Gastouri, also known as Acheillio, after the famous summer palace of Empress Sisi of Austria. Located just 500m from the village entrance, the palace draws intrigue due to its historical and cultural significance. Built in 1898 by an Italian architect with inspiration from Greek mythology, iconic sculptures of Zeus, Hera and Achilles himself were created by a German sculptor for the beloved Empress of Austria. The palace is surrounded by dazzling gardens and has incredible views of the Ionian Sea.

Why not visit nearby Pontikosini (Mouse Island) where there is a tiny Byzantine monastery surrounded by pine and cypress trees. According to local legend, this is the









spot of Ulysses' ship after it was turned to stone by the wrath of Poseidon. The island gets its name as it's said to be the outline of a mouse when you look at it from a bird's eye view.

There are so many lovely beaches in Corfu, you could try a different beach every day! An amazing beach close to the villa is Agios Gordious beach with its green water and powdery sand. The beach gets its name from the church that is literally on the beachfront. The road that leads up to Agios Gordious is particularly scenic, lined with vineyards and olive trees.

Canal d'Amour is a popular beach in Sidari, on the northwest side of the island. This beach has gorgeous sand and turquoise water, but the unique element is the rectangular rock with a gap that you can swim through on a calm day. It's said that couples who swim through together will get married within the year.

### **Local Amenities**

Nearest Airport	Corfu Airport (13 km)
Nearest Village	Dassia (Walking distance)
Nearest Town/City	Corfu (12 km)
Nearest Restaurant	La Casa Mediterranean Restaurant (Walking distance)
Nearest Beach	Public Beach (Walking distance)
Nearest Supermarket	Supermarket Markos (1 km)

## What we love

- The jacuzzi at this villa is so luxurious and adds a lovely spa element to the outdoor pool
- The interiors are nothing short of spectacular the attention to detail is showstopping, especially in the living room
- The Dassia location is absolutely perfect there is a charming beach just 120m from the villa, accessed down a discreet lane

# What you should know...

- Due to the peaceful location, it would be advisable to have your own transport or hire a car to get around Corfu. There are parking spaces for 2 cars at the villa
- The friendly and professional staff include cleaners, gardeners and a pool attendant
- Families with young children should be careful near the edge of the pool and always supervised in the jacuzzi

# **Terms & Conditions**

- Security deposit: No security deposit required
- Arrival time: 4pm
- Departure time: 10am
- Energy costs included?: Yes, included in rental price
- Linen & towels included?: Bed linen, pool and bath towels are included in the rental price. Please bring your own beach towels.
- Pets welcome?: Not allowed
- Other Ts and Cs: Baby cot and high chair are available, please request when booking
- Changeover day: Flexible
- End of stay cleaning available?: Yes. However, guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- Smoking Allowed?: Not permitted
- Minimum stay: 7 nights from 1st of June to 15th Septmber, 5 nights the remainder of the year
- Pool heating charge?: For those who require pool heating, there will be an additional charge but, due to fluctuating electric prices, the actual price will be confirmed a month before travel. This is to be paid to Oliver's Travels before travel. The pool heating cost is 900 euro for a week, that is 90 euro per day (7 night stay plus 3 days preheating). The cost for the jaccuzi is 520 euro for a week stay, that is 65 euro per day (7 night stay plus 1 day preheating). Paid in cash or credit card on arrival and confirmed at time of booking.
- Tax: Included on the rental price
- Internet access?: Wi-Fi internet access included in rental price

The Greek government requires owners to collect a Tourist Climate Tax, your property manager will collect this in cash:

March-October €15 per night per unit

November-February €4 per night per unit