

# Villa Tinka

Region: Lefkada    Sleeps: 2

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## Overview

Villa Tinka is an enchanted escape, set in ancient olive groves, overlooking the azure Ionian Sea, on the Greek island of Lefkada. With only one ensuite bedroom, this stunning luxury villa is ideal for a honeymoon, or a couple looking to have a romantic getaway. Villa Tinka is one of four secluded private villas, nestled in the hillside of Frini, with sweeping views over the verdant valley of Agia Marina, out to the Ionian Archipelago and beyond.

The villa is built out of traditional Mediterranean whitewashed walls, and locally hewn stone, set in its own small grounds, surrounded by lush green flora, flowering in season, and your own centrepiece, sea view, and swimming pool. This one-storey, detached property, comes with private parking, complimentary air conditioning and Wi-Fi throughout, and an excellent team of concierge consultants, who can charter a yacht or arrange a private chef. The interiors are seriously smart, furnished with contemporary pieces, lots of natural wood, modern lighting, and tasteful art adorns the walls, and it is decorated in a cool, calming colour palette of subtle shades of grey and beige.

Follow the smooth paved path, and take the stone steps up your holiday home. Access Villa Tinka, where there is a large open-plan living space, with picture-perfect sea views. Floor-to-ceiling windows open onto the pool terrace, and floods the space with lots of natural sunlight, and cooling sea breezes. The seating area has an L-shaped comfy sofa, and matching chair, and a glass-topped coffee table, all facing a flat-screen satellite television. The adjacent dining set seats up to four guests, and is ideal for indoor entertaining. A sleek brown and stainless steel galley-style kitchen is fully equipped with everything you will need to cater for your holiday, including that must-have Nespresso coffee maker. The



beautifully-appointed bedroom has a double bed, spacious wardrobes, bedside tables, a dressing table desk, and a flat-screen television. The ensuite black and white marble bathroom has a walk-in shower, a vanity unit hand basin, and a WC.

Sliding doors open onto the pool terrace, so you can slip out of bed and have a swim before breakfast, or a midnight dip under the twinkling stars. The paved terrace commands panoramic sea views and is home to a ladder-entry infinity swimming pool. There are two sun loungers strategically sited in a shady spot, with side tables, just waiting for poolside cocktails. A dining set for four is perfect for feasting alfresco, best enjoyed with local delicacies freshly grilled on the barbeque, and a bottle of Greek wine to raise a toast to the most memorable holiday.

## Facilities

Watersports • Villa • Wow Factor • Maid Service Available • Air-Con • Wi-Fi/Internet • Chef/Cook Available • Instagrammable • Modern • Pre-Stocked Fridge Available • Transfers Available • Self-Catered • Private Pool • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • <1hr to Airport • Coffee Machine • Safety Deposit Box • Smart TV • Heating • Parking Space • Seaview • Sailing • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Historical Sites • Boat Trips

# Interior & Grounds

## The Villa

One storey, one ensuite bedroom, sea view villa, with private pool, sleeps 2

### *Interior:*

- Living area
- 4str dining set,
- Fully equipped kitchen
- Double bed, wardrobe, bedside table, dressing table/desk, flat screen TV, access to pool terrace, sea view
- Ensuite bathroom

### *Exterior:*

- Sea view terrace
- Private swimming pool
- Sun loungers x2
- Dining set x4
- BBQ

### **Additional facilities**

- Air conditioning
- Wi-Fi
- Private parking
- Safe box

### *Concierge team:*

- Transfers
- Welcome
- Assistance
- Arrangements
- Boat & Yacht rental
- In-villa spa services
- Private chef
- Excursions



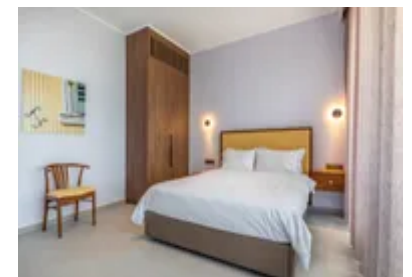
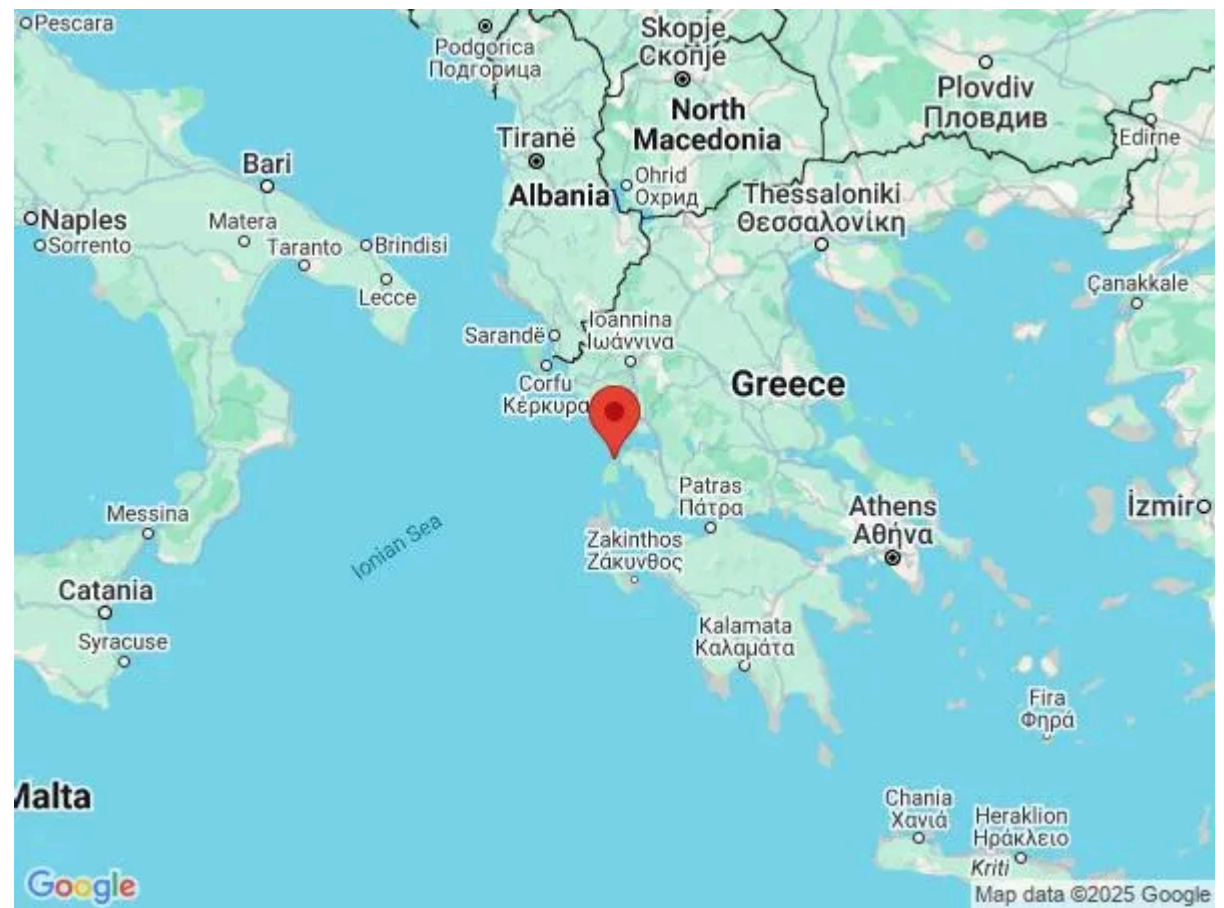


## Location & Local Information

Villa Tinka is set in ancient olive groves of Frini, overlooking the azure blue Ionian Sea, on the Greek island of Lefkada. The villa is forty minutes from the nearest international airport of Aktion in Preveza, or you can island hop from Ithaki, Kefalonia or Meganisi. It is a short five-minute drive into the main town of Lefkada, where you can purchase all the provisions you will need to cater for your holiday.

The villa is located on the north of the island, where there is a causeway that connects it to mainland Greece. Nearby and down the west coast there are many fabulous famous golden sandy beaches with crystal clear waters, most notably Agios Ioannis, then Kathisma, Porto Katsiki, Agiofilii, and Egremni. Many of the beaches are organised with sun loungers and brollies, a selection of water sports, and cafes and bars. Lefkada is famous for its dense forests and mountains; walk, trek, hike, climb or cycle these inland regions, and take guided tours on well-worn tracks, as you pass the island's flora and fauna. Admire the views of Mount Elati, at 1 150m above sea level, it is the highest peak on Lefkada. Visit the capital town of Lefkes, with its central square of Agios Spyridon, and many beautiful Greek Orthodox churches with original icons, and works of the Ionian School of Painting. Walk down Mela Street, with its arcades of souvenir shops and traditional houses, before visiting the Archeological, Gramophone, and Folklore Museums. Stop at a welcoming family-run taverna to enjoy some homemade meze washed down with a glass of ouzo. The picturesque fishing village of Vassilki is thirty-eight kilometres from the villa, on the south coast. The area is well known for its beautiful organised beaches, and excellent water sports, particularly windsurfing. From here you can take the ferry and island hop to Ithika and Kefalonia.

The village of Poros has verdant slopes, populated with traditional two-storey terracotta-roofed houses, winding alleyways, a fourth-century castle, and the Church of Analipsi, with its Byzantine icons and frescoes. See the yachts at Sivota, as you sit and watch the fishing boats



unload their daily catch for the local restaurants. The village of Santa Maria is rich in the cultural history of the island, it has a tiny church, a nineteenth-century castle, a fifteenth-century mosque, and a Venetian Christian temple, with a stone bell tower. There are the two sea lake lagoons of Lefkada, in the protected area of Divari and Ivaria, home to migratory sea birds, gulls, herons, and swans, as well as hares, foxes, and ferrets.

No visit to Lefkada is complete without a boat tour of the island, and even better let the concierge arrange your own private yacht charter with your own captain. Sail the Ionian Sea, swim, snorkel, and sunbathe, enjoy a meze lunch aboard, then embark at cocktail hour, as the sun begins to set. Visit the vineyards and sample the varieties of wine the island has to offer, and after dark dance the night away under the twinkling stars.

Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Aktion International Airport (26 km)
Nearest Ferry Port	Lefkas Port (5.8 km)
Nearest Town/City	Lefkada (5.3 km)
Nearest Beach	Agios Ioannis Beach (4 km)

## What we love

- We love that Villa Tinka is nestled into the hillside of ancient olive groves, surrounded by gorgeous green indigenous trees, shrubs and flowers, it felt like being at one with nature
- We love sitting on the terrace of Villa Tinka, having morning coffee and watching the sunrise, and sundowner cocktails as the sun sets over the horizon
- We love the range of services the excellent concierge team offers, especially the in-house couples spa treatments, a real honeymoon treat
- Villa Tinka has a lovely sense of seclusion and privacy, a real escape from it all honeymoon holiday luxury home from home

## What you should know...

- The villa only has one bedroom to sleep a maximum of two guests, perfect for a honeymoon or couple's getaway
- Although you can see the sea, the nearest golden sands of Agios Ioannis beach, is a fifteen-minute walk
- There is a short flight of stone steps up to the villa, which may be challenging for those with mobility issues

# Terms & Conditions

- **Security deposit:** €270 charged to client's credit card before arrival and refunded two weeks after departure, subject to full inspection.
- **Arrival time:** 15.00
- **Departure time:** 10.00
- **Energy costs included?:** Yes, included in rental price
- **Linen & towels included?:** Yes, included in rental price
- **Pets welcome?:** Not allowed
- **Other Ts and Cs:** Please note that on occasions, in Greece, extremes in weather can cause water and/ or electric supply to be cut or reduced. Services are normally restored as soon as possible.
- **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
- **Internet access?:** Complimentary Wi-Fi internet access included in rental price. It is good to note that the speed is dependent on local provider and technical issues may cause reduced speed or cut of service.

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