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EURIDICE

Set on a hidden promontory in an exclusive private residence, shared with just a handful of other privileged properties, Euridice is cocooned in a luxuriant garden of pines, palms, cacti, lawns and olive trees. Sea views calm the soul, and the star of the show, the direct sea access into a little bay, is an irresistible proposition for anyone who loves swimming or basking by the water.





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Service

Mid-week clean and linen change

Features

Clean contemporary design
Beautiful mature gardens
Alluring sea views
Seafront position

Nearby

Guidaloca beach
Scopello village
Lo Zingaro Nature Reserve

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ABOUT THE VILLA

6 GUESTS 3 BEDROOMS 2 BATHROOMS

Inside: the main entrance takes one into a compact, bright, open-plan space with a dining table and a sofa in front of a designer fireplace. On the sea-facing side, large sliding glass doors open out onto a decked terrace and the gardens, ensuring a seamless indoor-outdoor lifestyle for guests.

On the other side of the fireplace, which is inserted into a concrete partition wall, is the modern, well-equipped galley-style kitchen. It too has glass doors accessing the main al fresco dining area on the decked terrace.

An opening at one side of the kitchen takes one into the compact sleeping wing, which comprises two double bedrooms, a cosy kids' bunk-bed room and two shared shower rooms. One of the doubles and the bunk room have access to a secluded, pine tree-shaded courtyard, while one of the bathrooms boasts a porthole in the shower, offering views of the gardens and sea beyond.

Outside: Euridice is enveloped in mature, beautifully tended gardens. From a shady pine copse at the front, paths lead around to the sea-facing side of the property, which is home to a decked terrace, furnished for al fresco dining and lounging, and an expanse of manicured lawn.

Magnetic sea views entice one to the end of the gardens where there is a tree-shaded terrace with a perfectly positioned hammock. An aloe vera-flanked path with steps leads down from here, past a panoramic sitting area suspended above the sea, to the private sea access. Here, a detachable ladder connects two rocky platforms. The upper level is furnished for sun-bathing, while the latter, like a partially submerged edge of an infinity pool, gives way to the translucent waters of Guidaloca bay.

CONSIDERATIONS

Please note that the sea access is via a path of around 80 steps and a detachable 3m-high (approx.) ladder. Access to the water itself is via rocks and might not be possible if the sea is rough. We urge caution at all times.

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Amenities

Accommodates (max)	6

Due to the nature of the property including terraces low walls and several drops around the grounds, children must be supervised at all times.

Please note that this villa does not have a pool.

One section of the access road to Euridice is a little rough, so we recommend guests hire a car with high ground clearance.

Bedrooms	3
Double beds	2
Bunk beds	1
Bathrooms	2
... of which en suite	0
Garden gate beach/sea access [2]	✓
Sea views	✓
Short walk to shop(s) / restaurant(s) [4]	✓
Daily maid service	–
Table tennis	✓
Barbecue	✓
Private parking	✓
Optional cook [1]	–
Satellite Wi-Fi Internet	✓
Air conditioning	✓
Fireplace	✓
Heating	✓
Satellite TV [3]	✓
Bluetooth speakers	✓
Hairdryer	✓
Iron	✓
Washing machine	✓
Microwave	✓
Dishwasher	✓
Safe	✓

[1] the cook can provide dinners on request and depending on availability

[2] direct access to a rocky bay via around 80 steps and a ladder

[3] includes Sky Cinema and Sport

[4] there is an excellent deli, supermarket, greengrocer's and café (this latter serving drinks, light lunches, cakes, etc) about 15 minutes' walk away (1.2km). Please note that there are no pavements along the road and some sections are not illuminated.

[5] Guidaloca beach is a 20-minute-walk away (1.6km). Please note that there are no pavements along the road and some sections are not illuminated.

= yes/present

– = optional/on request

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EXPLORING THE LOCAL AREA

Set on the coast of Guidaloca bay, between the Golfo di Castellammare and the nature reserve of Lo Zingaro, Euridice occupies a prime spot on one of the most beautiful and striking stretches of coastline in Sicily.

The small village of **Scopello** just up the hill has a good selection of restaurants and bars, and can be reached by car in about 5 minutes. There is also a mini-market (with excellent deli, butcher's and wine selection), a good bar and an organic farm shop selling superb fruit and vegetables about 5 minutes drive away (or 15mins walk) on the road towards Scopello.

The old tuna fishery (*tonnara*) of Scopello, about a 5-minute drive away, occupies a very suggestive setting, and **Lo Zingaro Nature Reserve** offers a range of spectacular walks and some beautiful crystal clear bays for swimming. There is a diving centre in Scopello for SCUBA lovers and a pebbly beach with equipped lidos just a couple of minutes drive away at Guidaloca beach.

The town of **Castellammare del Golfo** a few kilometres east along the coast has several seafront bars and restaurants, a daily fish market and a long sandy beach.

The spectacular Elymian/Greek site of **Segesta** is about 30 minutes' drive away and **Erice**, **Palermo**, **Trapani** and **Selinunte** can all be reached in under an hour.

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Distances

Palermo Airport: 53km-33miles-45mins
Trapani Airport: 65km-40miles-1hour
Catania airport: 283km-176miles-3hr20
Comiso airport: 265km-164miles-3hr45
Nearest sea access: at the bottom of the garden (about 80 steps plus a descent down a ladder)
Pebbly beach at Guidaloca: 3mins drive. You could also swim there from the villa's sea access.
Nearest shops and restaurants: 1.2km along the road towards Scopello village and in Scopello itself, a 5-minute drive. Please note that It is possible to walk to the mini-market and bar and Guidaloca beach but there are no pavements and some sections of the road are unilluminated.
Castellammare del Golfo (shops and beach): 10-15mins drive
Zingaro Nature Reserve: 5mins drive
Segesta: 30km-18miles-30mins
Erice: 35km-22miles-45mins
Selinunte: 70km-44miles-55mins
Palermo/Monreale: 75km-47miles-1hr





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