



*Fabulous cuisine, warm and friendly people and an excellent climate.*

## Villa degli Aranci

nr Catania, Sicily

A haven of tranquility with views to Mount Etna, delicious Sicilian cuisine, pool and tennis court, Villa degli Aranci is a luxurious property not far from the coast of Eastern Sicily.

Set in exotic landscaped gardens at the heart of a private organic orange grove, Villa degli Aranci and the adjacent Orangery are built on a gently sloping limestone hill looking across to Mount Etna, enjoying gentle breezes and wonderful views.

The main house consists of eight bedrooms and a library and each of the bedrooms is individually decorated enjoying spacious en suite bathrooms and shower rooms, ceiling fans and air conditioning. Four bedrooms are on the ground floor and stay cool even in the heat of summer and are equally luxurious and tastefully furnished and decorated. Olivera and Rosmarino rooms share a private entrance and gated foyer and face the lavishly planted courtyard, garden and orange groves. Limone and Bougainvillea share a private entrance and gated foyer and have traditional vaulted cathedral ceilings.

The other four bedrooms are on the upper level and a long corridor leading from the library connects these rooms. The master

bedroom, La Lavanda, has a spacious bedroom, separate sitting room, furnished shady terrace and two bathrooms, one with a shower and one with a bath. Palma and Zagara share a small hall and both have private balconies whilst Gelsomino has a beamed ceiling, a shower and wheelchair access.

The living and dining rooms are in the pretty air conditioned Orangery, set at the end of the garden by the pool. Surrounded by lush gardens and a large limestone terrace, there are plenty of sun beds and parasols for sunbathing – ideal after a game of tennis on the property's private astroturf court or a morning's walk in the hills behind the villa.

The resident cook has been on the island for 20 years and prepares the freshest of local ingredients, many grown organically on the Estate. Breakfast is complimentary and includes home made honey and marmalades from the Estate, fresh breads, melon, yoghurt, prosciutto and local cheeses. Lunch is a selection of cold dishes, salads and local meats and dinner

a proper Sicilian affair including of course superb wines from the area produced from the Nero d'Avola grape unique to Sicily. Villa degli Aranci is a wonderful house for family reunions or friends holidaying together and Sicily is an island full of culture with loads to see and do not forgetting the most fabulous cuisine, warm and friendly people and an excellent climate. Highly recommended!

## Information

### Sleeps: 16

#### Accommodation:

Upper Level

- Master suite, two bathrooms, private sitting room & furnished terrace
- 1 double/twin bedroom, en suite bathrooms
- 2 twin bedrooms, en suite bathrooms
- (One bedroom is wheelchair accessible)

Ground Floor Level

- 2 double/twin bedrooms, en suite bathrooms. These two rooms share a private entrance and shared hall.
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#### Services:

- Housekeeper and cook

#### Facilities:

- Infinity pool 15 x 7 metres
- Floodlight tennis court
- Ping pong and table football
- Roof fans in Bedrooms
- Air conditioning
- Cable TV
- WiFi
- iPod docking station
- Airport welcome



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