



Casa Talia

Modica Sicily

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Situated in a marvelous location looking across to the old city of Modica, Casa Talia is the delightful creation of a couple from Milan who came to the city, fell in love with it and decided to stay! They then set about restoring a bunch of crumbling buildings into this very special 'boutique' guest house called Casa Talia.

Each of the bedrooms is individually designed and decorated with exceptional taste and style maintaining the traditional Sicilian feel at the same time as using more contemporary features. All of the rooms are light and spacious with their own little terrace where guests can enjoy relaxing under the shade with a chilled glass of Sicilian wine after exploring the winding streets of Modica. A delicious breakfast including freshly made Sicilian pasticceria (pastries), and freshly squeezed Sicilian orange juice is served on the terrace or in the cool and spacious living/dining room.

Modica is situated in the heart of the Val di Noto in Southern Sicily and is noted for its rich Baroque architecture typical of this area where an earthquake destroyed much of these cities in 1693. The site where the town is, has been inhabited since prehistoric times, was then conquered by the Arabs and the Aragonese and then was enriched with churches and baroque buildings after the earthquake.

Since 2003 Modica has been under the heritage of UNESCO and Casa Talia is situated in the old Jewish quarter, a short distance from the main street of the town.

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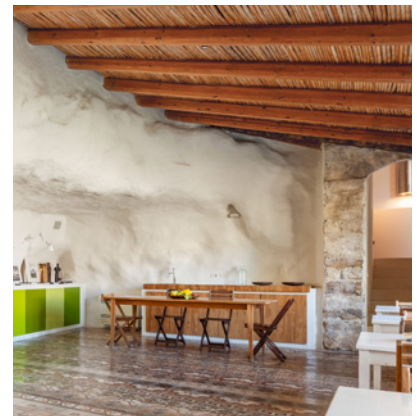
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Furthermore Modica is famous throughout the world for its chocolate which has a tradition dating back to the 1800s and is now recognized as producing one of the world's best quality of chocolate, high in cocoa and using natural ingredients. As well as chocolate, the region is renowned for its Nero d'Avola wine, pachino tomatoes and pecorino cheese of Ragusa thus providing lovers of food and wine with plenty of exciting discoveries.

Casa Talia provides the perfect venue from which to explore not only Modica but also Noto, Scicli, Ragusa, Caltagirone and Ispica as well as some beautifully unspoilt countryside rich in Necropoli and old stone walls and the Vendicari Nature Reserve, home to all manner of birds and a paradise for lovers of nature.



The hospitality, comfort and originality of Casa Talia are exceptional and arriving here is like stepping into a small oasis of luxury and tranquility. Highly recommended for several nights during a visit to Sicily, Casa Talia is quite unique and a very special Sicilian treat.



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Information

Sleeps

8 double bedrooms

Service:

Breakfast is included for the rooms in the hotel but extra for the houses (Buendia and Agave).

Accommodation

- Sirah, Mediterraneo, Sciara are Superior rooms
- Scirocco, Meridiana, Talia, Zenzero, Ginestre are Suite Superior rooms.
- Agave house (sleeps 2 +3)
- Buendia house (sleeps 2 +3)

Facilities:

- All rooms have private terrace, air con, safe, satellite TV, internet access, frigobar
- Internal garden furnished with deckchairs, hammock & shower
- Spacious living/dining room for breakfast
- Guided tours on request
- Saltwater Pool 13 m x 2,5 m

Local Information:

- Noto 36 km
- Ragusa 15 km
- Scicli 10 km
- Vendicari Nature Reserve 40 km
- Siracusa 68 km
- Caltagirone 73 km

Airport

- Catania 99 km
- Palermo 290 km