

Cortijo Maria Camila

Region: Malaga Sleeps: 8

Overview

Cortijo María Camila is a spacious Spanish farmstead that has been renovated in rustic-chic style to provide modern luxuries and comfort, while still maintaining its traditional Andalusian architecture and heritage.

The carefully planned interior design remains sympathetic to local custom and features many Spanish antiques and locally made, hand-crafted furnishings. Touches such as hand-stitched Suzani tapestries above the beds lend an atmosphere of elegance, while the many private indoor and outdoor lounges, terraces and pool maximize the relaxation potential and take full advantage of the surrounding views.

Being situated on a private hilltop, the grounds of the property slope away on three sides, revealing almond and olive groves and a beautiful onsite vineyard. Numerous private terraces and gardens surround the cortijo, where Mediterranean and exotic plants and trees blend harmoniously into the surrounding natural landscape. Peaceful, panoramic views of mountains surround the property, while the valley to the south opens wide to greet the Mediterranean Sea some 15 miles away.

At Cortijo María Camila, guests can while away the temperate days in total and sublime privacy, or call on a team of staff for full time or occasional pampering. Among the services on offer are a private chef and local concierge, daily housekeeping, on-site spa and beauty treatments, as well as various cultural and culinary outings or guided excursions in the adjacent mountain nature park.

Not only is Cortijo Maria Camila a perfect choice for a family holiday, but it's even better with a larger group due to its sister villa, [Blanco de Caza](#), being located on the same estate! Although close, both villas are surrounded by walls and separated by mature gardens, meaning guests can still enjoy a sense of privacy from one another. Even better, guests will gain exclusive occupancy of the entire hilltop estate! Together, these gorgeous properties can accommodate up to 14 guests, which is perfect for reunions or special events, and the friendly owners are more than happy to organise any extra services, catering, or entertainment for your stay on the estate. Get in touch with us today to secure your stay at these villas and start planning that perfect holiday away!



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Facilities

Wow Factor • Quirky • Instagrammable • Modern • **Recommended** • Private Pool • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • Wi-Fi/Internet • Air-Con • Pets Welcome • BBQ • Ideal for Parties • Stag/Hen Allowed • Ground Floor Bed & Bath • Indoor Games • DVD • Working Fireplace • Heating • Cot(s) • High Chair(s) • Rural Location • Walking/Hiking Paths • Wine Tasting • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Historical Sites • Romantic

Interior & Grounds

The Villa

An enclosed leafy courtyard greets visitors upon entry with a fountain and shaded pergola facing the peak of Maroma.

Beyond the courtyard, the kitchen opens onto a small herb garden along the side of the house, which leads to the front terrace with a covered outdoor dining area. From this terrace a set of stairs lead down to the pool area (the only way to access the pool), with majestic views toward the sea and maintained gardens all around, a covered summer kitchen with built-in barbecue and outdoor dining area.

The front dining terrace also leads around to the south side of the property, with a modern landscaped garden leading back to the master bedroom terrace. Access to this area can be restricted to ensure that those staying in the master bedroom can enjoy total privacy.

All on one level, Cortijo María Camila has wood-beam ceilings and terracotta floors with underfloor heating and air-conditioning throughout.

Ground Floor

- Fully-equipped kitchen with dining area
- Library
- Living room
- Garden room
- Bedroom with double bed and en-suite bathroom
- Bedroom with double bed and en-suite bathroom
- Bedroom with two single beds (can be made into one double bed)
- Bedroom with two single beds (can be made into one double bed)
- Bathroom

Exterior Grounds

- Private swimming pool
- Covered and open terraces
- Alfresco dining facilities
- Outdoor kitchen with barbecue
- Courtyard
- Garden

Additional Facilities

- Air conditioning
- Wi-Fi connection
- Television
- PlayStation 3



Location & Local Information

The region around Cortijo María Camila is known as La Axarquía, an ancient land rich not only with Moorish history, but Roman and Phoenician before that. It is a beautiful, largely mountainous region that nestles next to the Andalusian coast with a fertile agricultural production founded on grape (and wine!) production, olives, avocados and tropical fruits.

The local village is only 10 minutes away and not only provides all basic amenities but also marks the start of the Mudehar route, a string of Moorish white-washed villages distinguishable by Mudehar architecture that's reflective of the region's rich history. Nestled amongst the slopes of Maroma, the tallest peak in the region, you'll find an excellent driving tour stretching some 25 km to Competa.

The cliffs and beaches around Nerja (about 50 km away) are among the most stunning of the southern coast, while Nerja itself is great for shopping and dining. Yet the nearest beaches, in Torre del Mar, are only about 25 km away and reachable within half an hour. Here you will also find the nearest golf course, while all along the coast one can find opportunities for water sports and fishing.

Malaga, at just an hours drive away, offers a surprising level of sophistication and culture, cosmopolitan street life, dining and shopping. The old Moorish Alcazaba, the bustling port development known as Muelle Uno, the cathedral and the botanical garden are some of the highlights and are well worth exploring. Malaga also has the nearest airport and is also accessible within one hour. Granada and the famous Alhambra are accessible for a day trip (roughly an hour and a half away), as are the ancient Cordoba Mosque (two hours away) and the wonders of Seville (2.5 hours away).

The ski season in the Sierra Nevada mountains (the second highest range in Europe) above Granada is a long one, usually running from November into May, and at a 2-hour drive, it makes for an easy and delightfully different day trip.

Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Malaga Airport (71 km)
Nearest Ferry Port	Port of Malaga (60 km)
Nearest Train Station	Malaga Maria Zambrano Station (66 km)



Nearest Village	Alcaucin (4 km)
Nearest Town	Velez-Malaga (21 km)
Nearest City	Malaga (59 km)
Nearest Restaurant	Cafe-Bar Restaurante Enrique (4 km)
Nearest Bar/Pub	Bar Silva (4 km)
Nearest Supermarket	Coviran (4 km)
Nearest Beach	Torre del Mar Beach (27 km)
Nearest Golf	Baviera Golf (30 km)
Nearest Tennis	Malaga Tennis Club (50 km)

What Oliver loves...

- Relax in stylish, luxurious interiors and enjoy top-class facilities in complete and total privacy
- Full services and staff available for complete pampering and guided excursions
- Ten acre hilltop estate with stunning, unbroken views of mountains and the Mediterranean Sea
- Travelling as a large group? This property can be rented with its sister villa, [Blanco de Caza](#), giving up to fourteen guests the opportunity to enjoy the entire ten-acre estate in total seclusion. Ask us for more info!

What you should know...

- The property is only accessible by high, narrow road, so the owners will meet you beforehand to guide you to the property
- There is a short drop to one side of the pool, opening to the valley toward the sea, where caution (especially with children) is required
- The pool is accessible by a flight of stairs so those with limited mobility may need assistance

Terms & Conditions

- Security deposit: €1000 charged to client's credit card before arrival and refunded two weeks after departure, subject to full inspection.
- Arrival time: 4 pm.
- Departure time: 10 am.
- Energy costs included?: Yes, included in the rental price.
- Heating costs included?: Yes, included in the rental price.
- Linen & towels included?: Yes, included in the rental price, and changed for stays of more than 7 nights.
- Pool towels included?: Not available.
- End of stay cleaning included?: Yes and mid-stay cleaning for stays of 7 nights or more is also included. 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.
- Internet access?: Wi-Fi internet access included in the rental price.
- Minimum stay: 7 nights during July & August. 4 nights during other periods.
- Changeover day: Saturday during July & August. Flexible during other periods.
- Pets welcome?: Not permitted.
- Smoking Allowed?: Smoking & Vaping are not permitted.
- Pool heating charge?: Not available.
- Other 2: Tourist Tax included in the rental price.
- Insurance: Guests are required to be in possession of a valid insurance policy, which covers them for cancellations, loss of personal belongings, personal liability and any accidental damage caused during their stay.
- Stag & Hen Do's Allowed? : Weddings, stag/hen parties and any special events are on request only and subject to prior arrangement with the owner and additional charges.