

Villa Prase

Region: Lefkada **Sleeps: 2**

Overview

Villa Prase is an idyllic, secluded haven for romantic couples looking to live the simple, 'away-from-it-all' life in the lush hilly interior of Lefkada. If you are looking for somewhere cute, romantic and brilliantly located to explore this magical island, Villa Prase could easily be the answer. You can leave your worries behind and relax under the Lefkada sunshine beside your private pool, enjoying the breathtaking countryside and sea views and simple pleasures.

You will be greeted with a gorgeous stone and taupe painted exterior and a lush green garden close to the charming mountain village of Lazarata. Villa Prase is perfect for couples and perhaps a child or two wanting to live amongst glorious countryside for a week enjoying a simple outdoor holiday. This delightful villa comes with one bedroom, an open-plan living space and a delightful shower room. If you have a small family, there is room for a cot or pull-out bed or you may want to look at our larger villas in the same area.

Lefkas is a dreamy lush island surrounded by beautiful, knock-out beaches and amazing coves and boasts a stunning, green interior brimming with scenic hilly countryside and hilltop villages. Lazarata is a breezy charming village in the north of Lefkada where a former tavern has been turned into the first pub brewery in Greece. In the summer, the microbrewery also serves delicious pizzas, tarte flambee and homemade surprises. In the winter, creativity runs and will surprise everyone. The craft beer is delicious. Lazarata is a little larger than its neighbouring villages of Asprogerakata, Pinakochori and Kavallos. The nearby village of Karya is one of the largest villages on the island, with a wonderful museum and lots of opportunities to buy handmade crafts. Villa Prase is surrounded by lush hills sprinkled with trees, vineyards, olive groves and farmland. Not far from the villa are the seaside villages and towns of Agios Nikitas, Nikiana, Nidri and Lefkada Town and the beautiful beaches of Pefkoulia, Milos, Kalamitsi, Porto Katsiki, Egremni and Kathisma.

Villa Prase boasts a charming and homely open-plan living space where you will discover exposed stone walls, a characterful high beamed ceiling and some modern and traditional furnishings. It offers a built-in corner sofa adorned with comfy cushions and lots of scatter cushions, an attractive feature fireplace, a small dining table and chairs and a kitchenette. Though it is not a full kitchen, there is a coffee maker, a small fridge freezer and a gas hob and a small oven. A satellite television and DVD player are provided for your entertainment.



The bedroom is located on the upper floor with fabulous views, another atmospheric beamed ceiling, a wardrobe and a very low double bed, adorned with crisp cotton sheets and smart soft furnishings. The downstairs bathroom is simply designed with a wet-room style shower and a curvy built-in sink. It comes with fluffy towels and some lovely fragrant toiletries. The villa is cosy and a good pick for those that appreciate the simple things in life, the outdoor life and appreciating nature.

Villa Prase's garden is wonderful. It boasts breathtaking sea views across the countryside from its hilltop position. It is the ideal place to relax, unwind and rejuvenate. The pool is perfect for a cooling dip, surrounded by a furnished terrace, lush lawns, exotic plants, towering trees and sun loungers that match the painted shutters. You will totally relax here, enjoying your holiday books, the sunshine, a bottle of local island wine and some delicious local delicacies. There is a shaded alfresco dining area and some lovely spots for a pre-dinner drink that will make your heart sing.

Facilities

Instagrammable • Self-Catered • Private Pool • Wi-Fi/Internet • Air-Con • Walk to Village • Walk to Restaurant • <1hr to Airport • Coffee Machine • Safety Deposit Box • Hairdryer • TV • DVD • Working Fireplace/Woodburner • Heating • Cot(s) • High Chair(s) • Parking Space • Watersports • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Historical Sites • Boat Trips

Interior & Grounds

The Villa

Villa Prase is a 1 bedroom villa Sleeping 2 guests with private pool and sea views

Interior:

- Double bedroom
- Bathroom
- Fully equipped kitchen
- Living room
- Dining area

Outside:

- Private pool
- Private garden
- Veranda
- Dining area
- Parking
- Seating area
- Loungers

Additional Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- Safe
- TV (+satellite TV)
- DVD Player
- Stereo
- Small refrigerator-freezer
- Gas hobs and mini gas oven
- Espresso coffee maker
- Filter coffee maker
- Toaster
- Kettle
- Hair dryer
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Slippers
- Toiletries set
- Books
- Fireplace

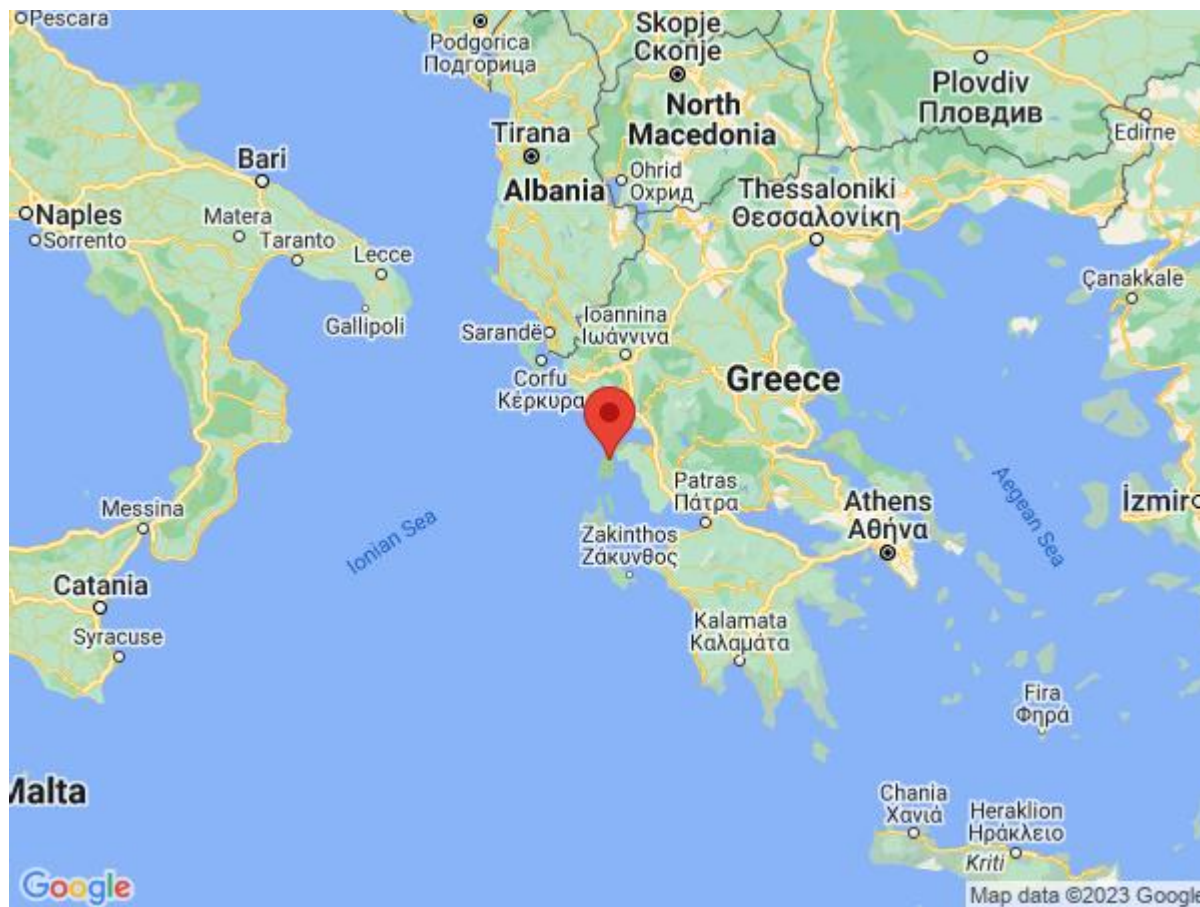


Location & Local Information

Lefkada, otherwise known as Lefkas, is a lush, beautiful island surrounded by fabulous beaches. Its scenic hilly countryside is sprinkled with quaint hilltop villages such as Lazarata. You can climb mountain peaks and walk or cycle along the many trails, captivated by the gorgeous scenery. Some of the best places to see are the Skari Mountain with its centenarian oak trees, the gorge of Melissa, the water springs of Dafni and Kersia and Elati Mountain. When hiking, you will enjoy exploring ancient monasteries, small churches and gorgeous villages. The mountain village of Karya, is lovely with its central square full of busy taverna tables under the shade of a huge plant tree. Visitors enjoy the local Karysaniki embroidery, once a vital part of the national dress. North-east of Karya and surrounded by towering cypress trees, mountain scenery and craggy cliffs is Lazarata, the nearest village to Villa Prase. It boasts two notable churches, Agios Dionissis and Agios Spiridonas as well as some friendly cafes, restaurants, a bakery and shops. Lazarata is surrounded by vineyards, olive groves, citrus plantations and red-roofed houses. Nearby are the sleepy villages of Asprogeratkata, Kavallos and Pinakochori. You can take an organised mountain bike tour of the island, a great way to see the island from a different perspective. Some cycling tours also include the stunning neighbouring island of Meganisi. It is quite remarkable that Lefkas remains under the tourist radar and feels like a special secret.

Pefkoulia, Milos and Kathisma beaches are all close to Villa Prase. Milos is wonderful. Kathisma Beach faces the Ionian archipelago, offering fine dazzling white sand, sparkling turquoise waters and a good selection of beach bars and sun loungers. Pefkoulia Beach is an impressive sandy beach close to the fishing village of Agios Nikitas. The beach can get quite crowded in the summer as it is so popular. Among the island's most beautiful beaches are Egremni which is also within easy reach, Kathisma and the mesmerising Porto Katsiki which is adored for its golden sands and fascinating landscape. The unique beauty of Egremni's long two and a half kilometre beach has made it one of the most photographed landscapes on the island. Its name comes from the impressive cliffs that surround the beach. The best beaches for windsurfing and kitesurfing are Agios Ioannis and Vassiliki. Nidri Beach is very organised with an excellent watersports centre and plenty of loungers, parasols and beach bars.

Nidri is the largest of the tourist towns with Nikiana is the second. The town boasts an endless list of amenities and activities, irresistible sandy beaches, unforgettable views, an excellent dining scene and beautiful scenery. Nidri and Sivota are favourites with yacht charter firms. Island hopping is very popular, very easy and very enjoyable. Excursion boats can take you to the local islets and the secluded coastal bays of Lefkas. Ferries can take you to Ithaca and



Kefalonia. The gorgeous Geni peninsula is a fifteen minute drive around the bay from Nidri or a five minute crossing by boat. Geni village is a friendly, traditional fishing village where you will be made to feel very welcome in its charming waterfront tavernas. Another fabulous place to visit is the medieval castle of Santa Maura.

Wine lovers enjoy Lefkas Earth, the home of some fine local wines. You can combine this stop with a fresh seafood lunch overlooking the brilliant blue waters at Sivota or Vasiliki.

Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Aktion International Airport (30.2 km)
Nearest Ferry Port	Port Nidri (15.5 km)
Nearest Village	Lazarata (3 km)
Nearest Restaurant	(3.1 km)
Nearest Beach	Pefkoulia Beach (11.8 km)

What we love

- Romantic couples love this idyllic hideaway with its gorgeous sea and countryside views and total privacy
- The villa boasts a wonderful mature garden with a delightful pool and a charming alfresco dining area
- The villa is a superb base for exploring the island's hilltop villages and wonderful walking trails

What you should know...

- The villa is simply styled with a mix of modern and vintage furnishings. It offers a small kitchenette rather than a full kitchen
- The upstairs bed is a mattress on the floor. Though comfortable, it is not ideal for anyone with mobility issues
- On request, a cot and/or a fold-out bed can be supplied for one or two children
- If you enjoy hiking or cycling, there are some spectacular trails through the mountains, gorges, waterfalls and charming mountain villages
- There are several wineries on Lefkas where you can enjoy delicious local wines. You can visit Lefkas Earth Winery and Lefkaditiki Gi Winery and when you have had enough of the wine tasting you can move on to the local ouzo!

Terms & Conditions

- Security deposit: There is no security deposit, but should there be any damage or loss caused by you or your guests during your stay you will be liable for the cost
- Arrival time: 16.00
- Departure time: 10.00
- Energy costs included?: Yes, Included in rental price.
- Heating costs included?: Yes, Included in rental price.
- Linen & towels included?: Yes, Included in rental price.
- End of stay cleaning included?: Yes. However, guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival.
- 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.
- Minimum stay: 5 Nights
- Changeover day: Flexible
- Smoking Allowed?: Not Permitted
- Pets welcome?: Not Allowed
- Insurance: Guests are required to be in possession of a valid insurance policy, which covers them for cancellations, personal belongings, personal liability and any accidental damage caused during their stay.
- 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.