



EREMO DELLA GIUBILIANA

Marina di Ragusa – SICILY Region



Location

Eremo della Giubiliana is an historic country house situated south of Ragusa, surrounded by the lush countryside of the Ibleo plateau and its carob trees forest. Located in a strategic position at the centre of eastern Sicily, it's the ideal base for those who want to discover the region, visiting Taormina, Siracusa, Agrigento and the UNESCO Val di Noto Baroque sites. Situated in southeastern Sicily, Val di Noto (the Noto



Valley) – with its eight gorgeous late-Baroque cities – became one of the Italian UNESCO World Heritage Sites in 2002. The eight cities are: Caltagirone, Militello Val di Catania, Catania, Modica, Noto, Palazzolo Acreide, Ragusa and Scicli. These cities already existed during the Medieval Age, but were rebuilt (in part or entirely) after the catastrophic earthquake of 1693. Having followed the stylistic model predominant during the era, the cities' architecture, urban plan and decorations constitute the culmination of one of the last periods of Baroque's flourish in Europe.

Known in Antiquity as Ibla, Ragusa features two rather different city centers, one re-constructed from the ground up, in the new style, after the events of 1693, and the other according to its original Medieval look. An itinerary through the Baroque in Ragusa winds among nine principal churches (e.g. San Giovanni Battista, San Giorgio, Santa Maria dei Miracoli), and seven palazzi (including the Cancelleria, Bertini, and Cosentini).

Property

Historic residence with thick white stone walls, its large tower dominates the plateau and the beautiful opposite landscape: on a clear and nice day you can catch a glimpse of Malta island and of the African coast. Completely restored fully respecting the original materials (such as the ancient pitchstone and limestone floor) and furnishings, Eremo della Giubiliana still saves the old handmade furniture, the precious fabrics and rare maps, as well as the original painting of the seventeenth century representing the Virgin Mary. Occupying a historic country house, Eremo della Giubiliana is a charming, traditional hotel offering a strategic location near Ragusa and amenities including its own runway and aeroplane available to guests.

Eremo della Giubiliana stands out for the variety of tours and day trips it organises for its guests. You will be able to discover the beauty of the coast, the medieval Sicily, ancient Greek ruins and the spectacular nature of the region, including the beach of Playa Grande.

The cities of Ragusa, Taormina, Agrigento, Siracusa, Modica and Noto are just some of the famous destinations nearby. You can explore the area in Land Rover tours or go on a stunning panoramic flight in the hotel's own airplane. You can even fly to the island of Malta and back in one stunning day trip.

Completely renovated and equipped with the most modern conveniences, Eremo della Giubiliana maintains its original atmosphere and its hand made period furnishings. Fine fabrics, rare maps and an authentic painting of the 17th century depicting Saint Mary will fascinate you. Internet use is free here.

Enjoying fine cooking is an essential part of a trip to Sicily. Eremo della Giubiliana features a great restaurant serving the best of regional cooking as well as superior Mediterranean dishes. Sicilian cooking classes are also available for guests.

Rooms

L'Eremo della Giubiliana has 12 rooms, 4 Suites and Cottages, obtained from the ancient monk's cells, furnished with old furniture and embellished with original Sicilian family ornaments, soft sofas and valuable carpets. The rooms, which reveal the refined typical Sicilian hospitality style, are equipped with every comfort: satellite TV Lcd, air conditioning and private bathrooms.

The double rooms Classic and Superior overlook the "Orto degli aromi", a fragrant garden with aromatic and Mediterranean herbs, age-old olive trees as well as an ancient Arab fountain; some of them are located on the ground floor and have disabled access. All rooms are unique and different from each other, with wrought-iron beds, private bathroom and original pitchstone floors. In some Superior rooms it is possible, on request, to add a third bed.

The Deluxe are located respectively in the east and the north wings of the upper floor, the 2 Deluxe rooms dispose of a private terrace and a large bathroom with a tub with massage function.



The nice and different Suite have in in common the typical elegance and charm that can be breathed in the whole structure; each of them has specific characteristics in terms of location, the structure of the room and its furnishings, which make them unique and different from the others.

The Cottages are located at 400 m distance from the main building with private garden and veranda and offer the same services as the rooms, except the room service.

Price starting from: 250 euro per room per night with breakfast included

Amenities included:

- ✓ Free upgrade (upon availability)
- ✓ Our Red Wine "Nero D'Avola" Frate Nero and fruits basket

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Surroundings & Activities

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Surroundings:

Ragusa – 13km away

Siracusa – 95km away

Catania – 110km away

Caltagirone – 70km away

Activities:

Relax at Eremo SPA: enjoy 10% discount on treatments

Water mills Trail inside the park of Eremo: on req

Wilderness and Baroque tour (on Land Rover Defender): on req

Sicilian cooking class: 130 euro per pax

Map & Accessibility

Our transfers: prices per car, one way

Night supplement 25% apply for services from 8pm to 7am

Closest airport: **Catania**, 1hr 30mins away

By sedan (max 2 pax with bags): 175 euro

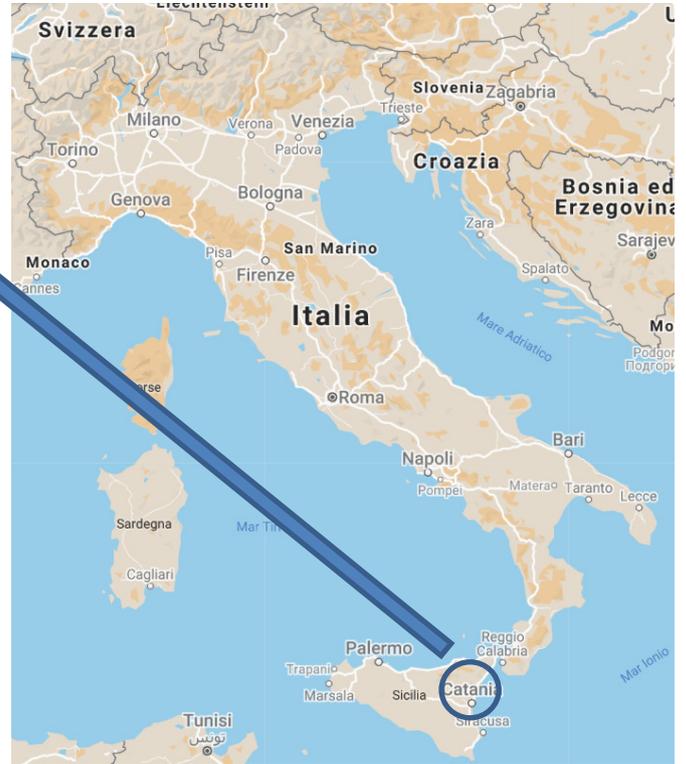
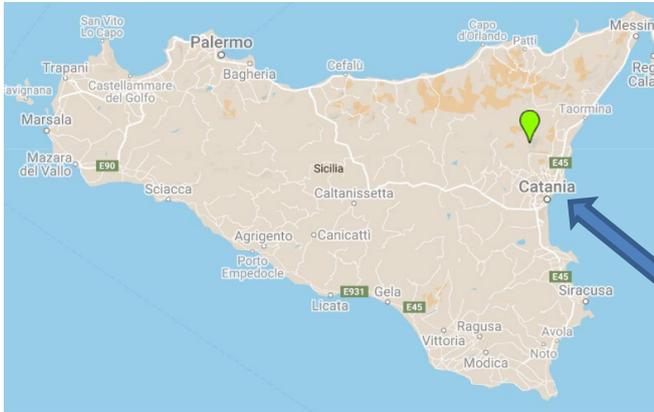
Minivan (max 6 pax with bags): 205 euro

Closest railway station: **Catania**, 1hr 30mins away

By sedan (max 2 pax with bags): 175 euro

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