

COASTAL LIVING AT MARBELLA CORFU

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Sometimes busy periods during which you dash from one meeting to the next while being bullied by the British climate leave you dreaming of a simple beach holiday where deadlines and pressure fade from your mind as you shield your eyes from the sun and summon up the energy to order another mojito.

However, when it comes to finding that perfect cove in which to relax and unwind, not all beaches were created equal! Unless you're happy to fight for sun lounger space, you're probably looking for somewhere away from the crowds, but not so far that there's no prospect of finding a bar.

MarBella Corfu strikes the perfect balance, occupying its own stretch of beach on this beautiful Greek island, you can easily find a secluded spot to take in the views of the ocean and olive groves, but take a short stroll back to the hotel and you'll find a very tempting array of restaurants, cocktails worth savouring as you watch the sun set, and a spa.

His & Hers was blown away by the beautiful ocean views from our room. Lots of thought has been given to the interior and exterior design of the hotel and it shows, meaning that your strolls around the grounds may well take longer than planned as you find yourself pausing to take pictures every few minutes. I'd highly recommend dining al fresco at Bussola Restaurant – the food is excellent and with very little light pollution to be found in this part of Corfu, you can see the stars twinkling brightly above you as you eat.

This is a versatile resort, catering for people seeking a little time alone to recharge, couples, families, and those making the most of their retirement with a sophisticated sunshine break.





Highlights for His & Hers included the excellent food on offer at the hotel (even if you fall in love with the first of MarBella Corfu's restaurants that you try, we really would recommend mixing things up and trying another, as they feature such a tempting array of European and traditional Greek dishes and each have a different atmosphere. The staff are friendly and helpful and the waiters are so enthusiastic about the food and drink that they serve that we were tempted to blame them for the fact that we ate and drank rather more than we'd planned to during our trip (and enjoyed every moment of our feasting!)

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The views are stunning and as the area has not been over-developed, you just might find yourself with the beach to yourself as you take a relaxing evening stroll. If you haven't already spent time in Corfu, we'd say it's well worth a visit to soak up beautiful blue skies, ocean views and the warmest of welcomes at MarBella Corfu. And even if you aren't someone who tends to enjoy beach holidays, we think that this one just might change your mind. If it's sunshine, relaxation, views to remember, luxury accommodation and unusually good food and drink that you crave, add MarBella Corfu to your travel wish-list this spring.

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