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Corfu And Beyond Travel Guide



Synopsis

CORFU AND BEYOND TRAVEL GUIDE" Just back from our trip to Corfu and this was by far the most helpful of the travel guides we read." 5-star review

Corfu and Beyond is a comprehensive guide to the beautiful Greek island of Corfu, and is written by two award-winning Greece travel experts: Mike Gerrard and Donna Dailey. Between them they have travelled through most of the Greek mainland and the Greek islands, including many visits to Corfu, and they have written or contributed to many best-selling guides to the country. Their travel guide to Corfu includes hotel and restaurant recommendations, as well as the best things to do and see.

Among Mike and Donna's previous acclaimed guides to Greece are:

- The National Geographic Traveler Guide to Greece
- Eyewitness Greece: Athens and the Mainland (Dorling Kindersley)
- Eyewitness Greece: The Greek Islands (Dorling Kindersley)
- Spiral Corfu (AA and AAA)
- Spiral Crete (AA and AAA)
- The Berlitz Guide to Corfu
- The Berlitz Guide to Crete
- The Berlitz Guide to Athens
- The Globetrotter Guide to Corfu (New Holland)
- Essential Athens (AA and AAA)
- Essential Greek Islands (AA and AAA)
- Essential Mainland Greece (AA and AAA)
- The CitySpots Guide to Athens (Thomas Cook)
- The Pocket Guide to Athens (AA)

Their Corfu and Beyond guide includes numerous colour photos and maps. After a lengthy introductory chapter about the island, including its climate, history, language, food and drink, and culture, there are separate chapters on Corfu Town, Northeast Corfu, Northwest Corfu, Central and Southern Corfu, and Excursions from Corfu. Each chapter describes the main towns and villages, the main attractions, the best beaches, and anything else the visitor to Corfu might want to know. Each of the Corfu chapters comes with a Practical Information section containing advice on:

- Best Times to Visit
- How to Get There
- Getting Around
- Where to Stay
- Where to Eat
- Tours and Excursions
- Useful Contacts

Throughout the book are countless extra boxes of information, adding background to the descriptions of the island. These cover topics such as other books about Corfu, historical figures, Greek music, myths and legends, Corfiot cuisine, wildlife, Greek customs, and very practical advice on subjects including health hazards, hitch-hiking, nudity on beaches, and public transport.

THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE KINDLE CORFU TRAVEL GUIDE

Corfu and Beyond is quite simply the most comprehensive and up-to-date guide to Corfu available for the Kindle, written by two entertaining and informative travel writers. Just take a 'Look Inside' this book and other Corfu Kindle travel guides, or download a free sample first, and then make your choice.

THE AUTHORS

Mike Gerrard and Donna Dailey have won several awards for their travel writing, including a Benjamin Franklin Award for the best guidebook to Paris. Donna has won an award from the Visit USA Association and several awards from the British Guild of Travel Writers, including

runner-up as their Travel Writer of the Year. Mike is one of the Press Gazette's 50 Most Influential Travel Journalists in the UK, and was recently chosen as the AITO Online Travel Writer of the Year. They have written guidebooks for almost every major travel guide publisher, including National Geographic, Dorling Kindersley, Michelin, AA, AAA, Fodor's, New Holland, Berlitz, Insight, and many more. Mike and Donna also publish the Beyond Travel guides, whose titles include Amsterdam and Beyond, Lyon and Beyond, Bordeaux and Beyond, Toulouse and Beyond, Montpellier and Beyond, and Marseille and Beyond, all available for the Kindle. Mike has also written Tunisia Travel Guide for the Kindle. Mike and Donna also publish the Greece Travel Secrets website, and Beyond-London-Travel.com.

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Customer Reviews

It's about this time of year (April) when I have had more than enough of winter that my thoughts turn to where I can find some warm, early, summer sunshine. Dvd's like Captain Corelli's Mandolin, Shirley Valentine and Mama Mia fuel that desire and provide a temporary 'fix'. Filled with images of luscious scenery, turquoise seas and white sandy beaches, I crave my own little corner of paradise, if only for a week or two? What I don't want is the thronged, loud, boozed up, sex-on-the-beach variety but then Mike & Donna's guide is not for those folks who will inevitably

book the cheapest package to some purpose built pit they don't even know much less care about. This guide is for the discerning traveler who wants to the insider track on Corfu, its people history, customs, food and drink and most importantly those extra special, unspoiled places that thankfully still exist on the island according to Mike & Donna who list them geographically with a short synopsis, where you can go to avoid all of the above. Nicely written with more enticing photographs, the authors weave in amusing anecdotes from Homers Odyssey and the brothers Durrell as well as useful information on everything from what to do if you get spiked by a sea urchin to what to eat in 'honest' Taverna's and even how to drink Ouzo? Perhaps, if you are a seasoned traveler to the Greek Islands you already know all there is to know about Greeces' signature blue and white churches, the olive trees, those stone presses you see lying around and the best day to gather wild herbs like Oregano (St John's Day the 24th June) by the way, I am and I didn't. So, if like me you would prefer your holiday in Corfu to be a proper and thoroughly enjoyable travel experience, then this is the guide for you.

Fine travel Guide - with some good tips and places to see. It's not like Lonely Planet or Blue Guide but it's good considering the price

Everything what is written in this book is very helpful for visiting Corfu. It is really practical to have the guide on Kindle.

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