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HIGH ABOVE THE REST: EROSANTORINI



EROSANTORINI, A FIVE-SUITE RESORT THAT FIRST OPENED ITS DOORS IN SUMMER 2016, PROVIDES A RARE AMENITY ON THE GREEK ISLAND OF SANTORINI: PRIVACY.

Nearly every hotel on the tightly packed island is up against another, but Erosantorini has no other visible structure in sight. Perched 1,000 feet above the sea on one of the highest cliffs of the crescent-shaped island, the walled two-acre property overlooks the full expanse of the caldera, the volcanic lagoon. This surreal view provides some of the most breathtaking sunsets on earth.

Designed by Italian designer Paola Navone, the retreat recalls local architecture—whitewashed walls and flat roofs—combined with whimsical touches, such as painted rugs on the concrete deck and floating fireplaces. The five suites' large, windowed doors entice guests outside, where they can watch movies under the stars or swim in what may be the largest infinity pool on Santorini. Other amenities include a generous wine cellar, a chapel and a subterranean spa complete with a hammam.

Blurring the line between hotel and villa, Erosantorini employs a friendly live-in staff that includes a host, a superb chef and a concierge who plans all activities on or off the property. But when your host is also a sommelier who can lead an impromptu tasting of Greek wines, who needs to leave the property?

🍷 **STARTING RATE:** \$1,435 per night, \$6,500 exclusive villa use

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