## SYROS THE ISLAND OF 4 SEASONS





## THE HISTORY OF A LADY.

yros dominates the heart of the Aegean Sea with its dynamic character and the cosmopolitan grace of a Lady. A dominant power with its headquarters in Hermoupolis, the capital city of the island and the Cyclades, which maintains and elevates the atmosphere and the history of another era. A history that unfolds through the rambling alleys, the numerous old mansions and neoclassical buildings, such as the monumental Town Hall and the Apollon Theatre, Ano Syros and the traditional villages that combine the Medieval with the Cycladic architecture, the Orthodox and Catholic churches, the lacy coastline, the azure of the sea and the unique natural rocky landscape.

The impression one gets as soon as they arrive in Syros for the first time is unique, when they see the two hills on the background overhanging Hermoupolis and the natural port, which was once the largest and most commercial port in the Mediterranean, full of ships and yachts anchoring or finding shelter within the harbour.

However, vision is not the only sense the visitor may experience throughout the year. They may even listen to the sounds of the lyrical operas, the theatrical performances and the music of rebetiko; smell the sweet scent of loukoumi and nugats; taste the traditional food based on local recipes; touch the carved stones and the marble most mansions have been built with, not only in the city, but also at the villages.

Cycladic and bourgeois, famous yet unexplored, Syros, "The Lady of the Aegean", can be identified with the best Greece has to offer.

Until we meet again!











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