

# Italy

## Florence

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- 3 BEDROOM APARTMENT
- CENTRAL FLORENCE
- SECURITY SYSTEM AND WI FI
- AIR CONDITIONED
- HISTORIC BUILDING



The Apartment – Where the Opera started (14<sup>th</sup> of January 1573).

The name of the apartment is due to the fact that in the 16th century the “Camerata Fiorentina” used to meet in this apartment, which was the palazzo’s theatre during the Renaissance. The Florentine Camerata was a group of scientists and constituted by the Bardi Count and other scholars of musical theory, among whom was Vincenzo Galilei, father of Galileo. They created new musical principles, merging music to the 33<sup>rd</sup> “Canto” of Dante Alighieri’s Inferno, giving birth to what is known now as Lyrical Opera. Still hanging from the ceiling of the theatre are the scenic machinery used at that time.

The Florentine Camerata is located at the Piano Nobile (first floor, second American, no lift). It is a 320 sq. meters (3.400 sq. ft.) apartment on two levels.

The décor is a combination of the finest contemporary Italian design and Florentine „500 architectural detail. The interiors are superbly decorated with original plaster works, stones and 18<sup>th</sup> century frescoes. Bauhaus period furniture is from the best designers: Van der Rohe, Eames, Le Corbusier, matching a precious 17<sup>th</sup> century sofa and two Medieval terracotta statues. Castiglioni, Flos and Fontanarte lighting gives to the place a very special atmosphere in the evening.

Lower level: Entrance with library, one superb master bedroom with ensuite bathroom with tub, two bedrooms with private relax area and ensuite shower bathroom, double height drawing open space connecting the two bedrooms, day toilet, washer and drier corner.

Mezzanine level: overlooking the lower level: Drawing room, the dining room with leather chairs sits up to 12, fully fitted kitchen, cocktail and coffee bar.

Kitchen equipment and internal systems are state of the art: Wi-Fi Internet, AC, heating, sound system, video system, flat screen TV in sitting room and in every bedroom, DVD and CD players, satellite TV, water purification system.

Cleaning staff 4 hours a day, 7 days a week. Concierge available 24/24. Bed linen change each third day. Daily bath linen change.

**This fascinating residence matching the modern comfort with history gives you the very best of Florentine life.**

