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RESTAURANTS

There is a confusing multitude of restaurants in the Paphos-Coral Bay area. A great many are poor quality tourist traps. We can recommend the following restaurants. It is certainly not an exhaustive list, but we use them regularly and they are patronized by locals.

See my reviews on TripAdvisor.com: <http://bit.ly/Bond-Restaurant-Reviews>

LOCAL - Within 20 minutes Drive

- **Romeo's Tavern.** Good for Cyprus and International cuisine. In fine weather, eat outside. In winter has log fires.

Go along Tombs of the Kings road towards Paphos. Cross over the lights at Begonia garden center. At next set of lights (large church on right) turn LEFT. Romeo's is about 50 yards up on the right. 10 minutes. Mention our name to assure personal service.

Phytos: 99 65 52 94. My TripAdvisor [Review](#)

- **Fishermans Wharf.** Gastronomic Fish & Chip restaurant. Master chef David Lodge works only with the best cuts of fish and doesn't bury them in thick wodes of batter. Chips are scrumptious and not soggy and laden with bad fats. Salads and batter-free fish available for those who (like us) are [savvy eaters](#). Mention our name to assure personal service. Reservations (not essential): 26 22 00 28

Go along Tomb of the Kings Road towards Paphos. Cross over the lights at Begonia. Go through several more junctions till you come to the roundabout. Turn RIGHT (third exit). Fisherman's wharf is a few hundred yards on the left, just BEFORE the Avanti hotel. See my TripAdvisor [Review](#).

- **Laona Tavern.** In Paphos old town behind the market. Great for traditional Cyprus specialities in an authentic setting. In fine weather, eat outside.

Go along Tombs of the Kings road to second set of traffic lights (Begonia on far corner.) Turn LEFT. Follow the main road past two sets of traffic lights. Follow the main road as it bears to the right and gets steep. The third set of lights is a T-junction. Turn LEFT. Go STRAIGHT (do not bear right with the main road) down a very narrow one-way street (Makarios Avenue). Laona restaurant is in the pedestrianized Votsis street on the right. Park (follow signs) or take a taxi. 15 minutes. Mention our name to assure personal service. Tel: 26 93 71 21

- **Pentaras Tavern.** This is the closest to Arcadia Village and has recently been upgraded and refurbished. It has a good range of Cypriot and International dishes at reasonable prices. In fine weather, eat outside.

It is 100 yards on the LEFT along Tombs of the Kings road towards Coral Bay.

- **Famagusta Tavern.** Our local. Cyprus and international cuisine. Especially good for local fresh fish and village salads. In fine weather, eat outside.

Cross over Tombs of the Kings Road and up the hill to Chlorakas Village square. (See [local facilities plan](#).) 5 minutes. Closed lunchtime and on Sundays.

Tel: 26 27 09 48

Restaurants (Cont)

www.naturaleater.com

- **Agios Georgios Fish Tavern.** Gorgeous panoramic views overlooking the little port of Agios Georgios. In fine weather, eat outside.

Go direction Coral Bay. Cross over roundabout at Coral Bay and keep going straight to Agios Georgios. Follow the road down towards the port. The restaurant is on the heights on your right just before the port. 20 minutes.

Tel: 26 62 13 06

VILLAGE TAVERNS. Traditional restaurants buried in the nearby countryside.

- **Phiti Village Tavern.** Great home cooking - traditional Cyprus specialities. In fine weather, eat outside. Take time to admire the superb, dramatic scenery on the way. Take the main Paphos to Polis road (not the Coral Bay to Polis road). After Tsada (but before Stroumpi) take a signpost RIGHT turn, direction Polemi. Go through Polemi, then Psathi. Watch out for signposts LEFT to Phyti (also spelt Fiti). The tavern is in the village square. About 45 minutes. Phone Maria: 99 60 52 98

- **Perikles Village Tavern** at Nata (inland from Paphos airport). Good, traditional home cooking. Superb panoramic views over the vineyards and almond orchards. Particular speciality: All-you-can-eat Sunday buffet lunch. In fine weather, eat outside.

Take the motorway direction Limassol. Third exit to Varvara and Episcopi. After Varvara find signpost RIGHT to Nata. Perikles is on the left before you reach Nata proper. About 45 minutes. Tel: 99 46 70 79.

WORTH A LONGER DRIVE

Moustakallis Tavern, Polis. Quite simply the best Fish Meze we have ever found. Drive to Polis village square. Moustakallis is just off a side-street towards the Latchi road.

Tel: 00 357 26 32 28 83. See my TripAdvisor Review: <http://bit.ly/Bond-Restaurant-Reviews> .

- **Kanilla Fish Tavern at Kanilla, Pomos.** Superb views over the little fishing port of Kanilla. Typical Cypriot and International fare with the emphasis on fresh fish. In fine weather, eat outside.

Drive to Polis and then take the coast road east to Pomos and Pyrgos. Kanilla is past Pomos but before Pyrgos. Watch for signposts to Kanilla Tavern on your LEFT. About 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ hours. Tel: 26 34 21 91

- **Last Castle (Viklari) Tavern, Peyia.** Perched high up on the hills overlooking the Mediterranean and the Akamas. Standard BBQ fare of pork and/or chicken skewers, superb home-made chips and salad. Lunches only and only open in summer months.

Drive direction of Coral Bay but continue past the Coral Bay turnoff and continue straight towards St George. Just before the St George turnoff continue straight towards Akamas Peninsular. After a while the road becomes unmetalled. Continue about a mile to a sign on the right to Viklari restaurant. About 40 mins. Tel: 99 48 90 00