

29 May 86

Spring 1986

Whatever you do, don't leave this place without going to Istanbul. I did, and it was probably the most enjoyable and educational week of my life. Venice is remarkable in itself, but I don't have to tell you that because you're here and you know.

Steve Powell

With very best wishes

John & Meredith Oate = June 1 '86

I've loved being here in Venice and being able to stay here at the Casa Anton! The house is gorgeous, and the students who have had a chance to study here have been very lucky! I wish I could have stayed for more than one night, but you can be sure I'll be back to Venice and the Casa Anton!!

Shawn Holcombe (W&U)  
June 14, 1986

I'm envious of anyone who gets to be in Venice + live in this house for a semester. Wish I could be that lucky!!! One night is all I could stay, but I'm sure I'll be back in the future.

Tiffany Glass (WFU)  
June 14, 1986

It was very wonderful to come back to visit Venice and the Casa Anton again. Venice is definitely a city of beauty and friendly people. Vive la Provost's Office.  
Linda Jo Chioden '86  
June 16, 86

Summer 1986

After my stay here in the Fall of 1985 I knew that I wouldn't leave Venice for long. Here I am back in the summer - having been welcome by Seniors Arkon. I thank her for her hospitality - I thank Luciana and Marisa for everything, for cleaning all the mess in our rooms without throwing our things into the canal, even though they threaten us with it. I thank Dr. Pignatti for teaching us a part of the art history of Italy and Mrs Pignatti for her great dinner evening. I would be glad to entertain them some more playing the piano anytime! Thank you Anna-Vera for your patience with our Italian, thanks Dora for your help with our problems. I appreciate the loyalty and friendships with the people here in Venice, in my group and I thank Dr. Kennedy and Claudia for letting me be part of the Venice program of 1985. Venice I thank you for the art, culture, tradition and history. I hope I will be able to come back, until then:

Ciao Venezia  
ed amici!

Patricia Dragulescu  
June 18, 1986

Summer 1986

July 8, 1986

Ann Louie - Tampa, Florida  
Bill & Fran Davin - Tampa, Florida

July 9, 1986

Anne Allen - MSII Bowman Gray School of Medicine - Wilmington, N.C.  
What a lovely place Casa Arton is - Thank you!

Nancy Allen - Wilmington, NC

July 23, 1986

We couldn't have chosen a nicer place for our honeymoon. It's always a pleasure to come back here - thank you, we had a wonderful time.

Paul + Carol Diodati

With thanks to Bianca Arton, Gareth and the staff for their hospitality and friendliness. Arrivederci!  
George + Barbara Trautwein.

(AN HISTORICAL NOTE: ON JULY 20 WE WATCHED ON CASA ARTON TV THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BASKETBALL GAME WON BY THE USA TEAM WHICH FEATURED WAKE FOREST STAR: TYRONE "MUGGSY" BOGUES ) BT

Thanks to Bianca and Gareth for another fine visit.  
The use of Casa Arton is one of the greatest benefits of being Wake Foresters.

John and Kathy Williams  
July 28, 1986

Summer 1986

Wilton S. Dillon  
July 27-28, 1986

Smithsonian Institution  
Washington, D.C. 20560

Adesso, dopo un'estate qui nella casa come assistente posso finalmente capire Luciana e Marisa quando loro vogliono che io capisca, e basta.

Gareth Griffith  
20/8/86

Cari amici!

Thank for allowing me to stay for a great weekend here at Casa Arton. Visit me sometime in bella Umbria when you have the opportunity. Dr. Titus, I really appreciate your hospitality - it offered me possibility of visiting Umbria for several days longer than I otherwise could have afforded. Dear Cathy - thank for your friendship, its been a jewel in the crown of life. Steve: take care of Santa Caterina Grande dell'Agua, OK!!!

Your papist-newwave-neofreudian-phlebotine-friend,

Bill Crow

4. Ottobre, 1986

Carolyn Shields - Winston - Salem, N.C.  
July 30, 1986

Summer 1986

Water Forest is indeed lucky to have such a nice place on Casa Arton. Thank you for a lovely time!

Eleven days only whets the appetite for Venice & the Casa Arton!

Anne Kester Shields - W-S, NC

For five weeks I have gotten lost in Venice. Henry James says that one should never lose the fine art of getting lost in this most wonderful of cities. So has even been more successful at the art than I. We both are reluctant to leave for there are so many places in which we have never been lost! They will have to resort for another trip. Thanks for a home base at Casa Arton!!

Aug 9, 1986 Harold Sedford / Jessie Sedford

~~At the time~~ Our gratitude to Harry Tibbs and all the Venetians  
of permanent staff for five blissful days in the  
Autumn - '86 - perhaps not our last visit to Casa Arton -  
The V. N. T. & W.F. - 19 Oct 86

After hearing so much about the place, and after having shared so many memories with Friends, and after seeing pictures of some of my favorite people, I am here. It feels like home. Perhaps I shall return some day for more memories. In the meantime, thank you everyone.

Ed Bonahue  
Worrell House, Fall break '86  
October 20, 1986