Heaven on Earth - Cinque Terre

Cinque Terre, translated as Five Lands in English, is a group of five picturesque coastal towns located in the region of Liguria, Italy, which has been described as one of the most beautiful places in the world. This is entirely justified because it really is like heaven on earth. Here are some interesting facts about this wonder that you may not have known.

The five towns of Cinque Terre are Monterosso al Mare, Vernazza, Corniglia, Manarola, and Riomaggiore.

The towns of Cinque Terre are known for their colourful houses and buildings, which are built into the cliffs along the coast.

Cinque Terre is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, recognized for its cultural and natural significance.

The area is also a national park and marine protected area.

Cinque Terre is a popular destination for hiking, with several scenic trails connecting the five towns.

The region is also known for its wines, particularly the white wine "Sciacchetrà" made from the local grape variety "Albarola"

Cinque Terre is home to numerous beaches, including the famous Monterosso Beach which is one of the largest on the Italian Riviera.

The towns of Cinque Terre have a rich history dating back to the Roman Empire, and many of the buildings and structures in the area are centuries old.

Cinque Terre is a popular destination for tourists, welcoming more than 2 million visitors per year.