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Indian Ringneck Parakeet (*Psittacula krameri*) in Jaipur, India - © Pierre von Rahmel



Calangute, Northern Goa, on the way to Bhagwan Mahaveer national park. © Pierre von Rahmel



Bhagwan Mahaveer national park. © Pierre von Rahmel



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Macaque in Bhagwan Mahaveer national park. © Pierre von Rahmel



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Curti, Ponda, Goa © Pierre von Rahmel



Ludhiana, Punjab. In the village Mehron, Moga municipality. © Pierre von Rahmel



Indian Mongoose (*Herpestes sp.*) Delhi © Pierre von Rahmel



Macaques and Doves, Jaipur, Rajasthan © Pierre von Rahmel



Some mountains in Jaipur, Rajasthan © Pierre von Rahmel



Giant Wood Spider, (*Nephila pilipes*), in Curti, Ponda, Goa © Pierre von Rahmel



Chipmunk, in Jaipur, India © Pierre von Rahmel



Up on the mountains, Jaipur, India © Pierre von Rahmel



Macaques in Bhagwan Mahaveer national park. © Pierre von Rahmel



Macaque in Bhagwan Mahaveer national park. © Pierre von Rahmel



Me at the Dudhsagar falls, Bhagwan Mahaveer national park. © Pierre von Rahmel

CRETE

By Nils Kristian Nilsson



In the city of Chania you also find strange growing trees and other plants. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



Here in the caves along the mountain walls you can see goats leaping around.

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More caves along the mountain wall.

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You find a lot of nice plants along the mountain walls.

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The Green Whip Snake or Western Whip Snake "*Hierophis viridiflavus*" you can find both here in the Irimi gorge, high up in the mountains, and along the coast. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



Great rock walls in Irimi gorge, with beautiful flowering Oleander

©Nils Kristian Nilsson



You have to climb a little to find what you are looking for.

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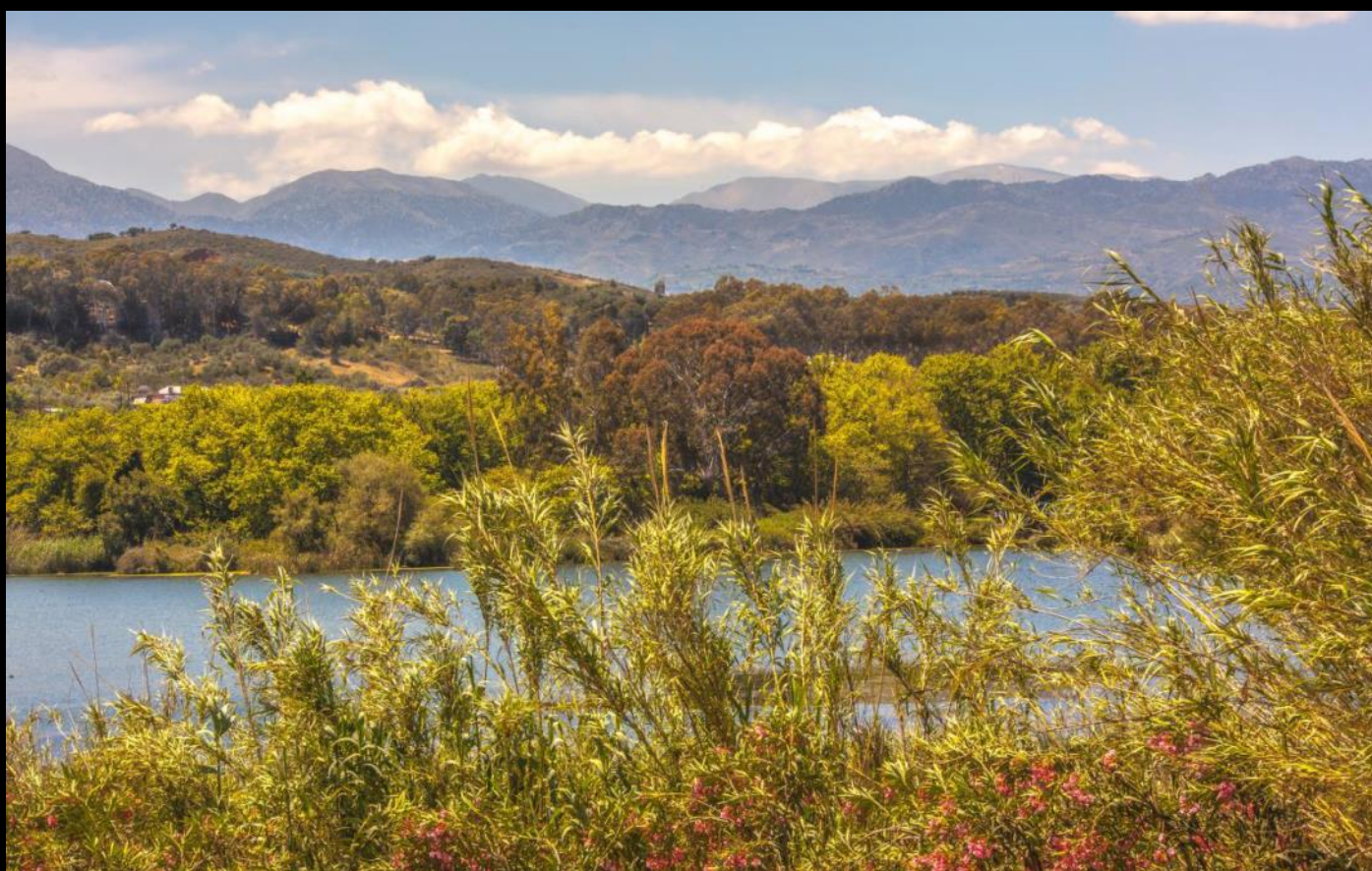
As a photographer it's often the small things that makes a picture. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



A battle between a spider and some form of Miridae – species. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



Took this picture 'cause I liked the way it looked. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson

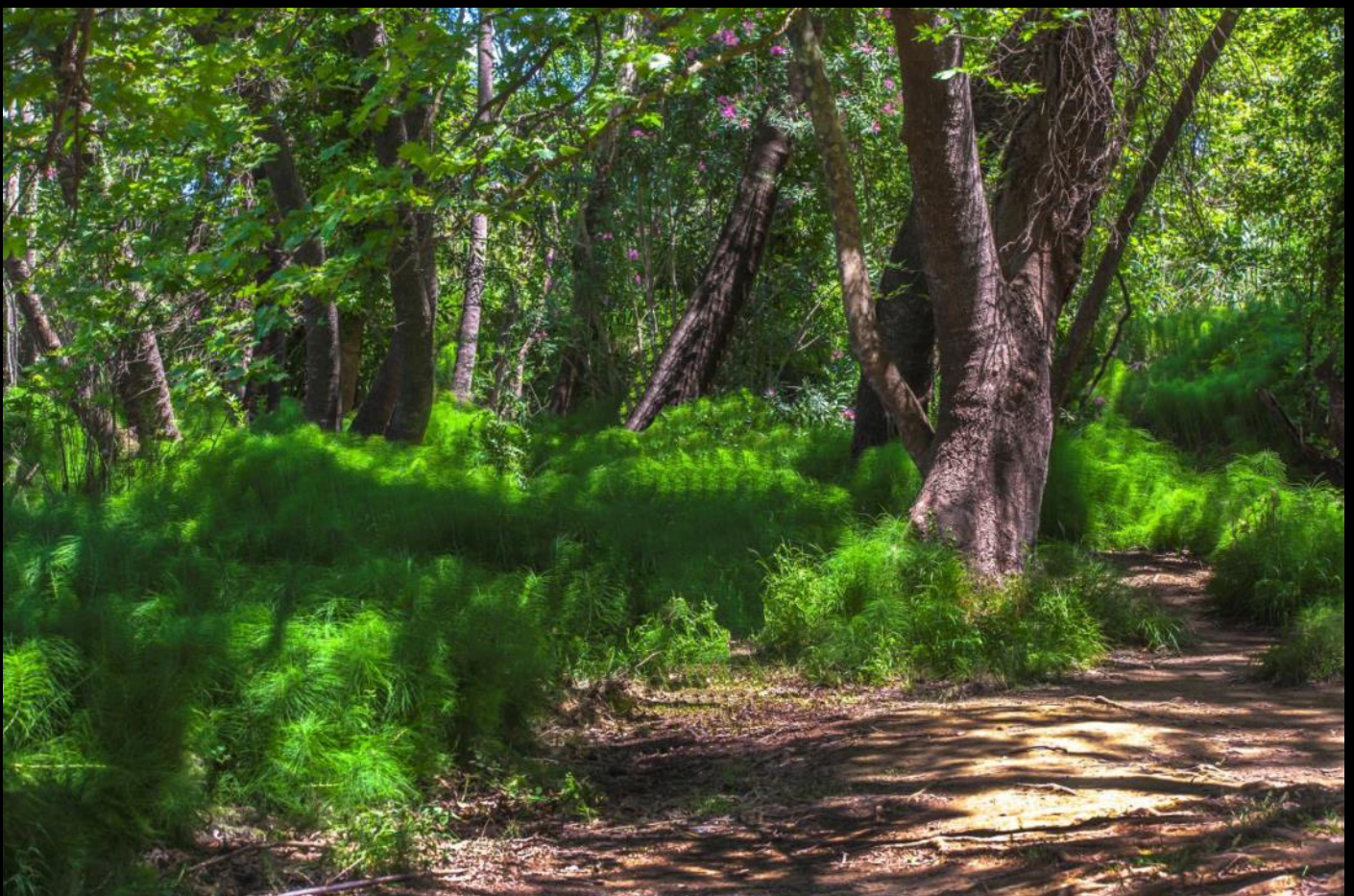


Lake Agia with it's birds, freshwater turtles and frogs. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



Silver oak “Grevillea robusta”

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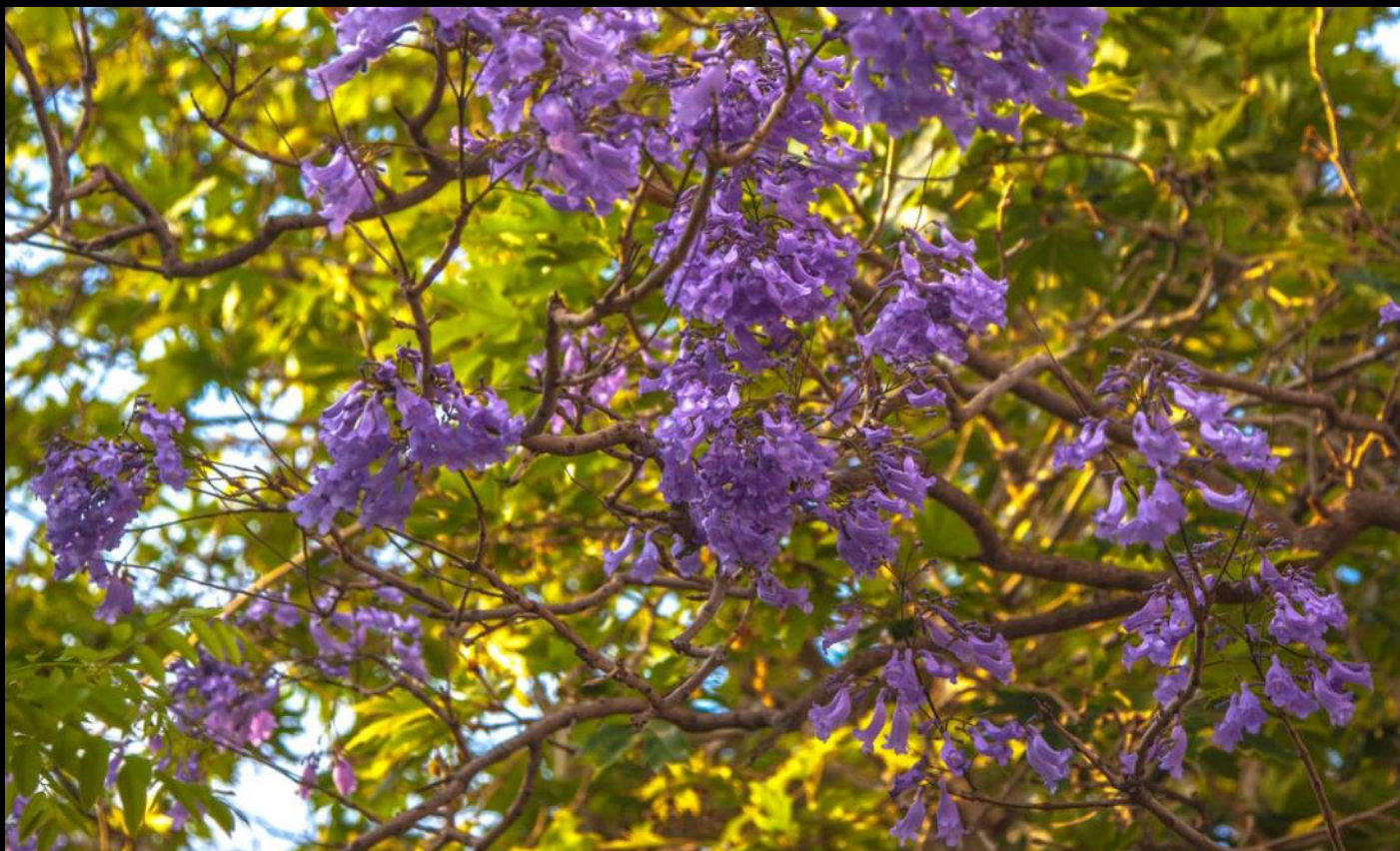
Nice to walk around in the deciduous forest. A lot of Oleander here too. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



Yellow hornpoppy or yellow horned poppy "*Glaucium flavum*" the plant grows on the seashore and is never found inland. All parts of the plant, including the seeds, are toxic and can produce a range of symptoms up to and including respiratory failure resulting in death.. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



"*Jacaranda mimosifolia*" ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



"Jacaranda mimosifolia" ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



This is a fun way for a plant to grow. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



The caper bush, also called Flinders rose "*Capparis spinosa*" a perennial winter-deciduous plant that bears rounded, fleshy leaves and large white to pinkish-white flowers. The plant is best known for the edible flower buds (capers). ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



The inflorescence of an agave plant "*Agave Americana*" ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



The inflorescence of an agave plant "*Agave Americana*

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The top of an agave plant flower "*Agave Americana*" ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



The Balkan green lizard "*Lacerta trilineata*" ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



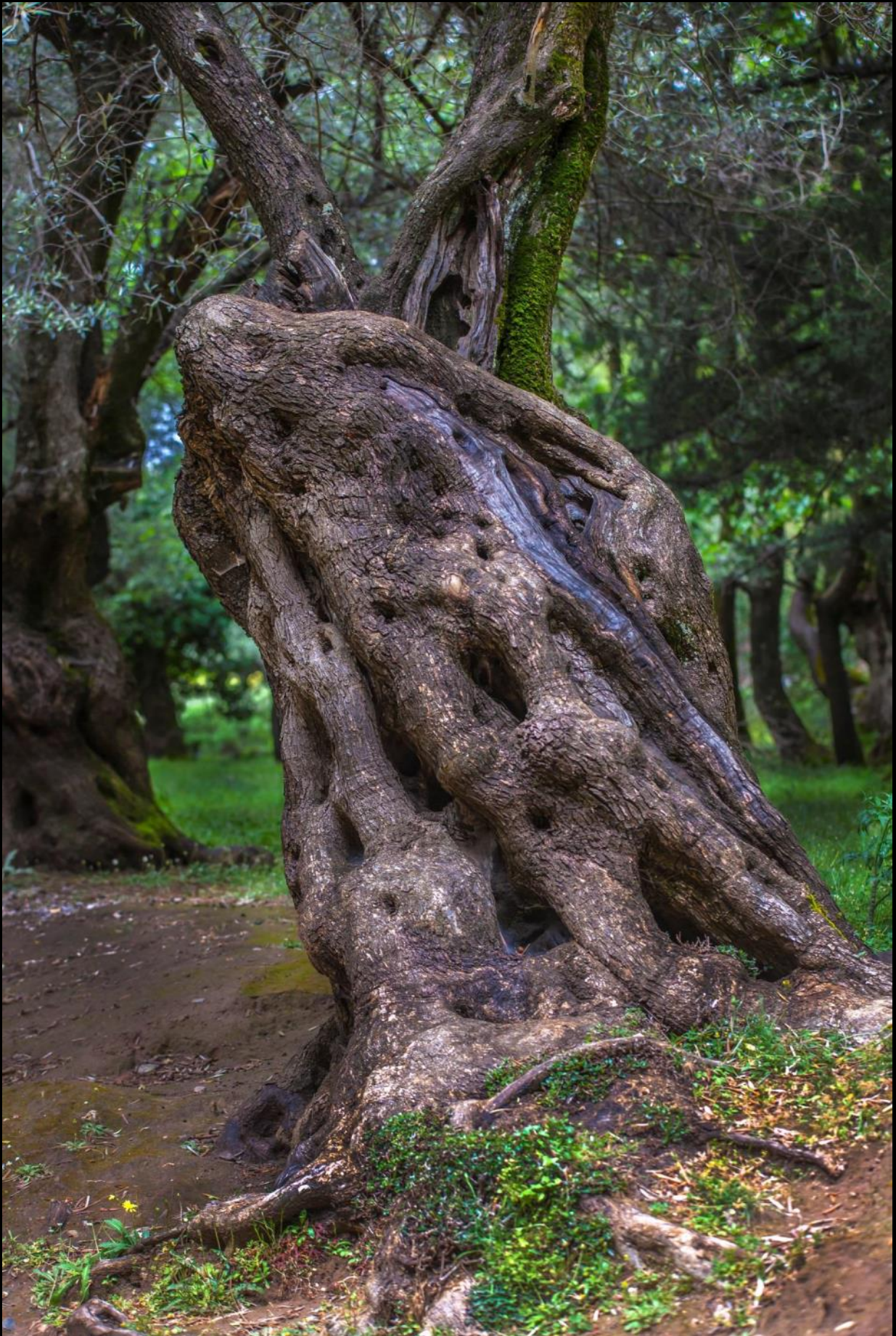
There are many fun succulents in Crete, like this one. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



In the middle of the Irini gorge, Crete. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson

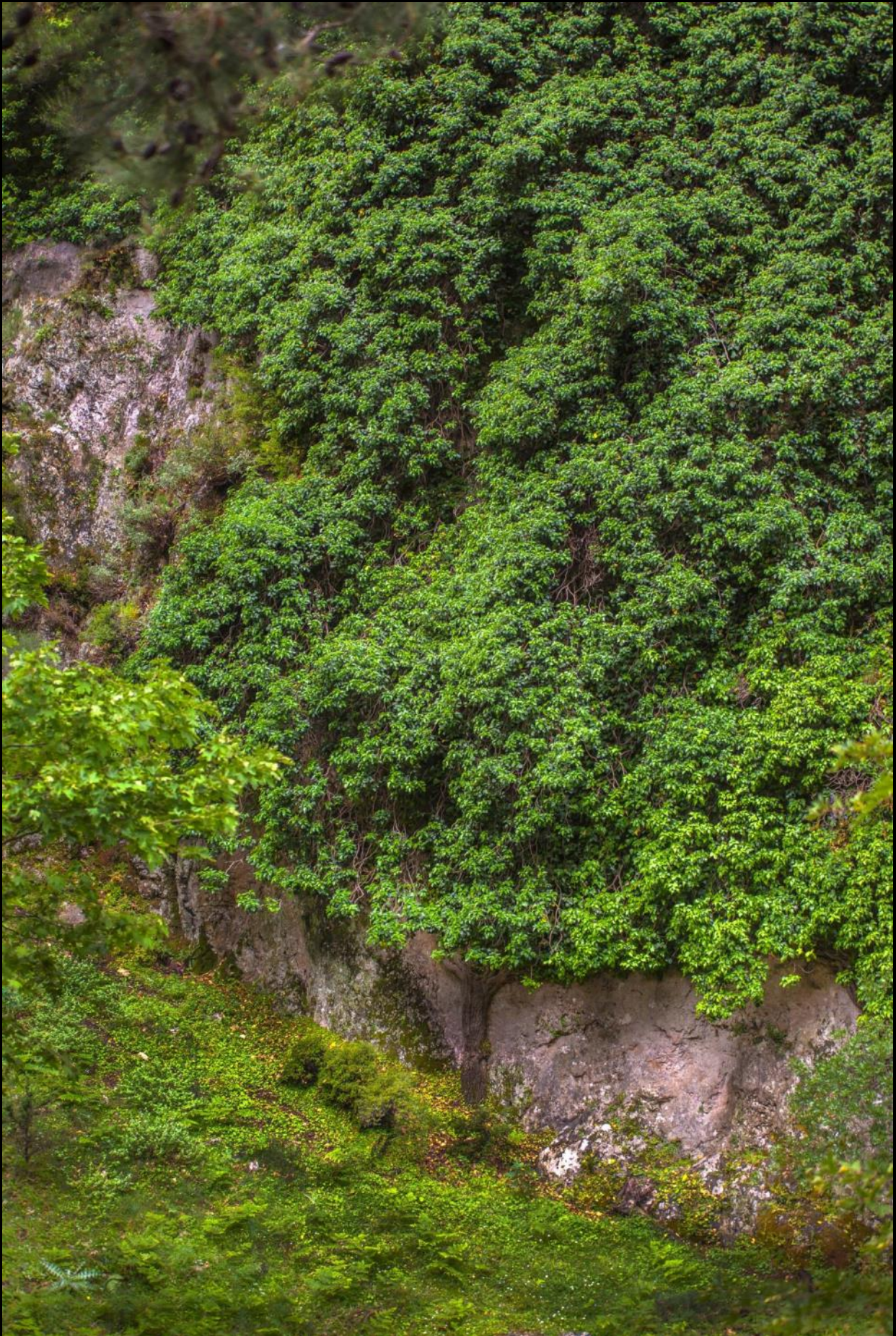


In the middle of the Irini gorge, Crete. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



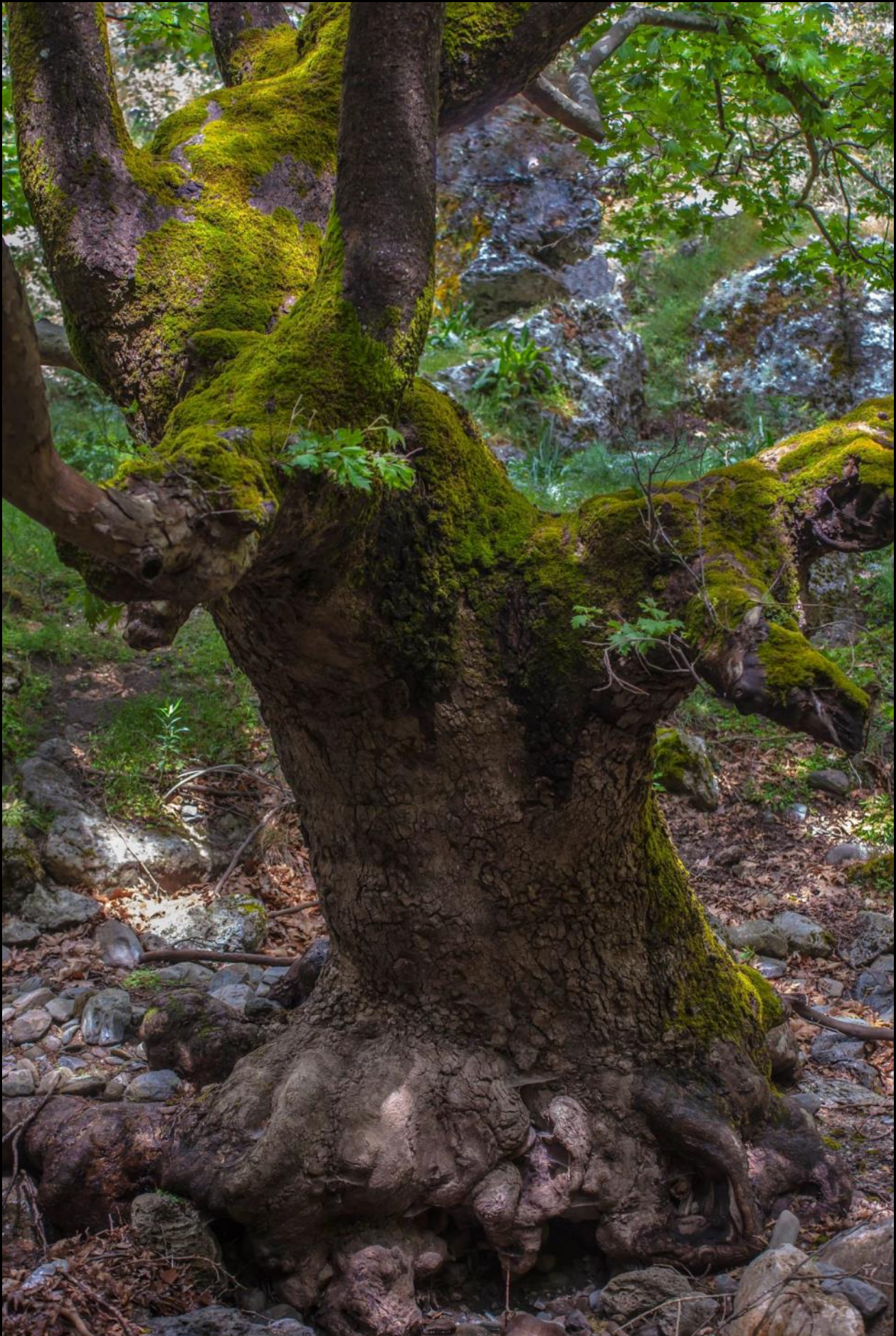
These trees growing in Irini gorge often looks like work of art.

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A really strange way for a tree to grow.

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Another tree standing amid the almost dried up creek.

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The **Chinese Goose** is a breed of domesticated goose descended from the wild Swan Goose.

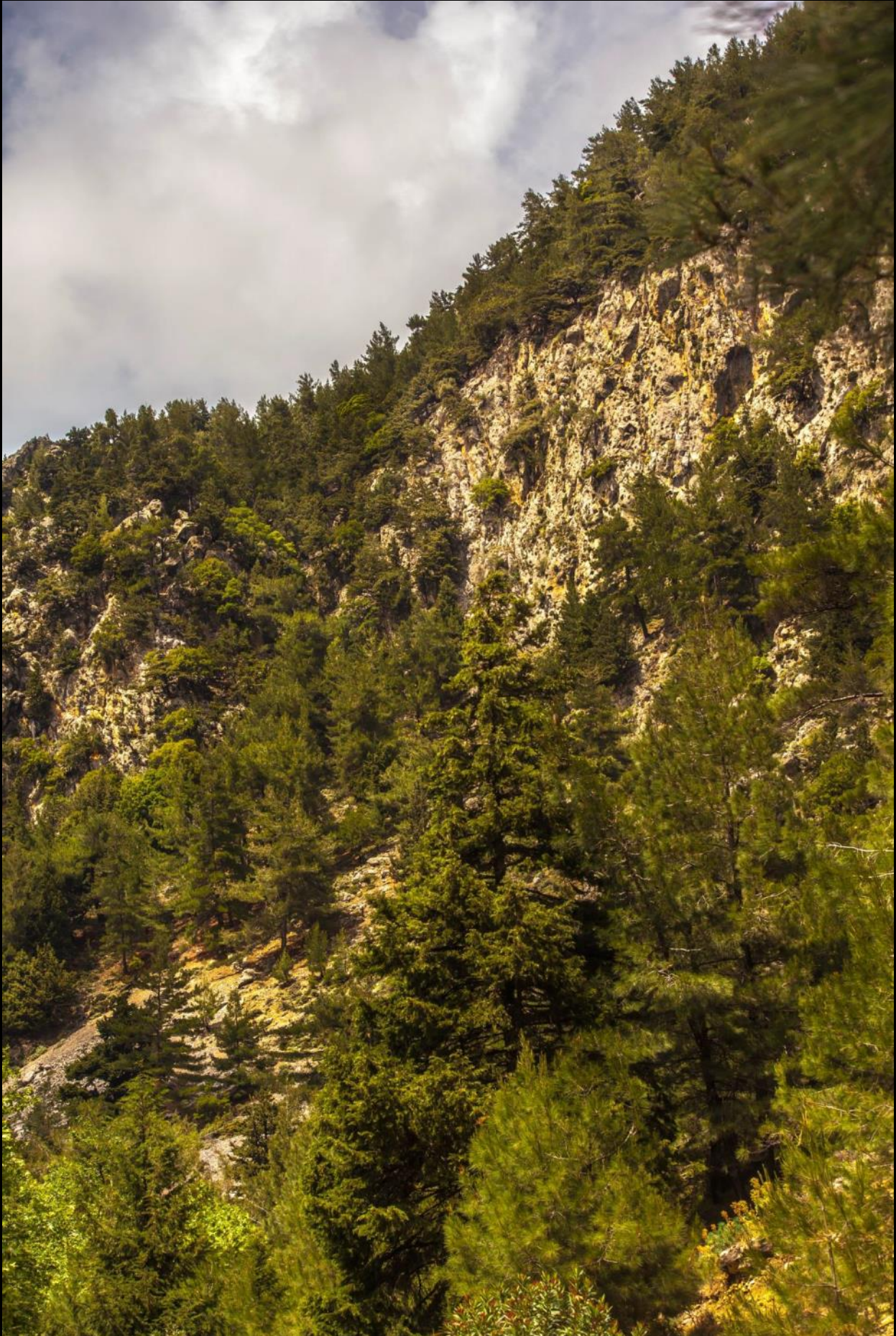


The kiwifruit "*Actinidia deliciosa*" is native to Northern China, here as flowers. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



The trail through Irini gorge.

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Irini gorge with it's rock walls.

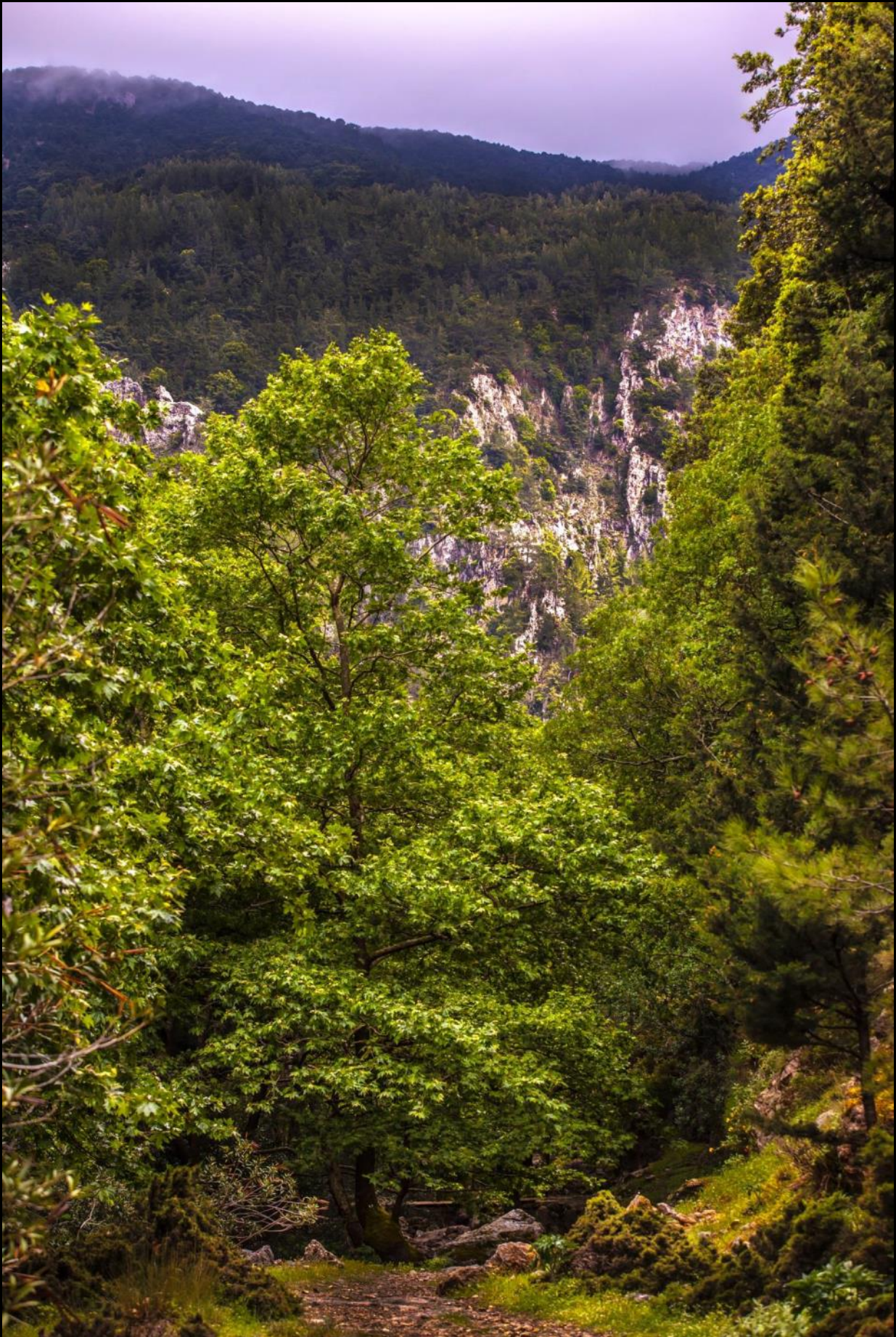
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A flowery meadow high in the mountains of Crete. Filled with *Tassel Hyacinths* “*Muscari comosum*”
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A Cretan mountain village or small town high up in the mountains. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



A small bridge deep in the Irini gorge.

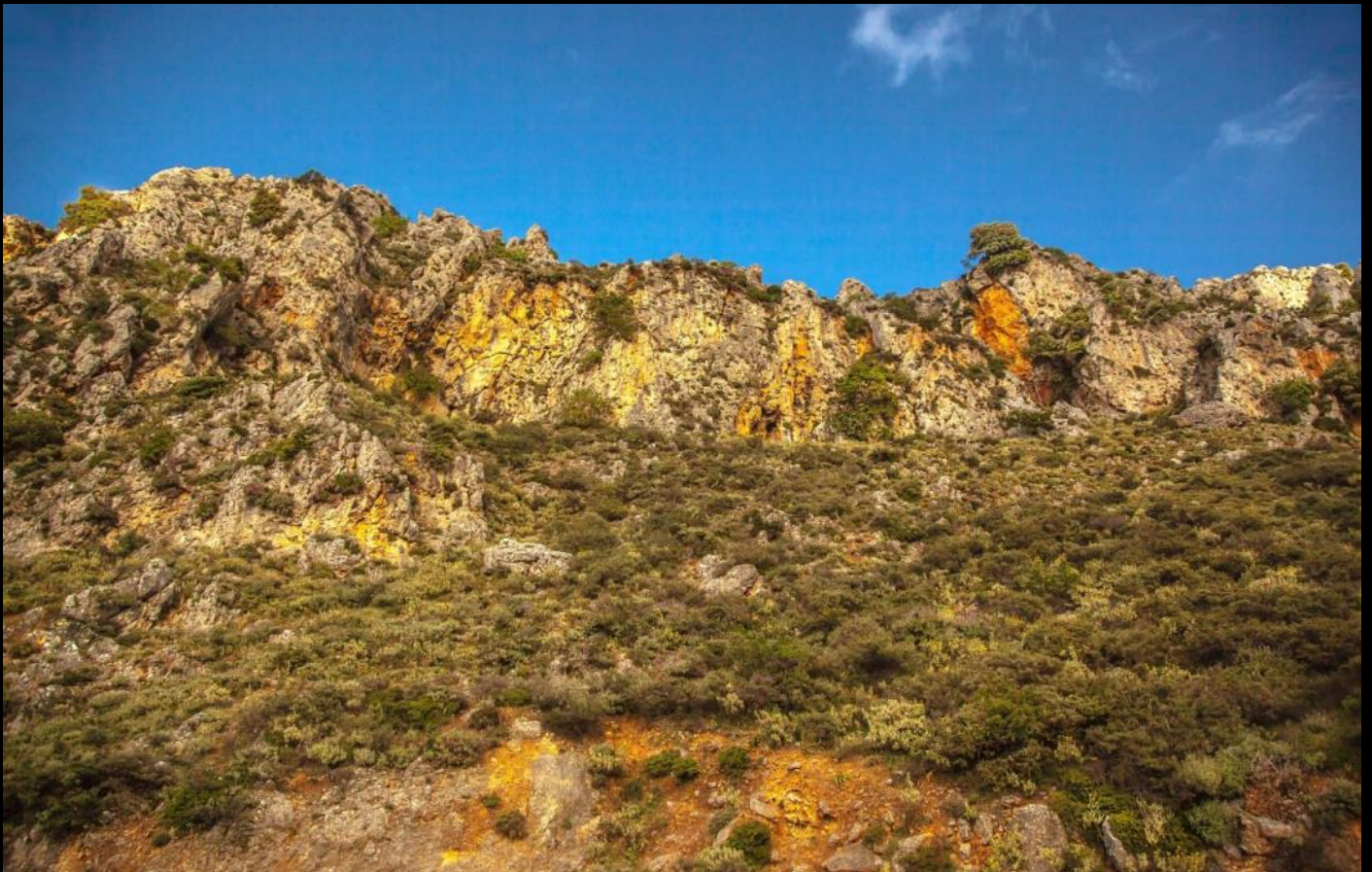
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This opens up the Samaria gorge. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



The same building . Unfortunately, the rain was pouring down on this day, which hindered the trek here. We have to try this another time. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson



Typical mountain vegetation where one can see Crested Larks.
©Nils Kristian Nilsson



Funny way to grow for a tree this high up.
©Nils Kristian Nilsson



The coastal town of Kissamos.
©Nils Kristian Nilsson



There's many beautiful and strange plants growing in strange places on Crete. ©Nils Kristian Nilsson

Greece the spring 2006

Alexandroupolis- Αλεξανδρούπολη



Photo: ©Leif G. Westrín



On the locality for the Turkish Viper (*Montivipera xanthina*) near Alexandroupolis. ©Leif G. Westrin



A black Stork in the sky (*Ciconia nigra*) Alexandroupolis.



The first snake to find was a big Eastern Montpellier Snake (*Malpolon insignitus* under a board.



Angry Malpolon in the tube. Alexandroupolis. Greece.



In our biggest tube and angry it was!



The head of the big Malpolon insignitus. Alexandroupolis, Greece.



Alexander shows the big venom tooth of Malpolon



A tortoise on our path (*Testudo hermanni*)



Testudo hermanni.



A specimen with aberrant colour of Testudo hermanni.



The back of the same specimen.



European Glass Lizard (*Pseudopus apodus*)



Locality for *Montivipera xanthina*. Alexandroupolis, Greece.



Here we saw a big Turkish Viper disappear in the bush. On the mountain in the background another viper occurs - The southern Sand Horned Adder (*Vipera a. meridionalis*).



A locality for *Vipera ammodytes meridionalis*. Alexandroupolis, Greece.



European Roller (*Coracia garrulus*) Alexandroupolis, Greece.



An European Roller (*Coracia garrulus*) on the wire.



The classical European locality for the protected Turkish Viper.



A killed Turkish Viper we found beside the dirt road.



Turkish viper (*Montivipera xanthina*) Alexandroupolis, Greece.



And nearby in the middle of the dirt road we found the skull of a ram.



GardenTiger Moth (*Arctia caja*) Alexandroupolis, Greece.



Golden Oriole (*Oriolus oriolus*) Alexandroupolis.



A juvenile Green Lizard (*Lacerta trilineata*)



An adult Green lizard in the sun.



A Hoopoe (*Upupa epops*) with its prey.



A Woodchat Shrike (*Lanius senator*) with prey.



Spanish Sparrow (*Passer hispaniolensis*) Alexandropoulis, Greece.



Common fig (*Ficus carica*)



Our last evening near Alexandroupolis

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