

Mount Vesuvius, Pompei, Italy



Mount Vesuvius is a famous volcano near Pompeii, in Italy. It is very beautiful in Pompeii. It is an old city with lots of old buildings and farms.

Mount Vesuvius is not a very high volcano. It is only about 1280m high. It has many layers (地層) of hard lava, so it is called a composite volcano. It has unique scenery (獨特的風景) and many people go hiking around the volcano. But, they have to be very careful!



Mount Vesuvius is an active volcano (活火山) and can erupt (爆發) at any time. The last big eruption was in 1944. Many houses

were damaged (被損壞) and 27 people died. Many animals also died during the eruption.

Mount Vesuvius is a very powerful and dangerous volcano!