



*H.E. The Ambassador of Greece
and Honorary Chair of Pillars of Greek Culture
Mr. Vassilis Kaskarelis*

*in collaboration with Costa Navarino
and Dean and DeLuca
cordially invites you to a presentation on*



The Greek Orthodox Easter Traditions, Regimen and Products

April 5, 2012 6:30-8:30p.m.

Experience first hand the magic of Greece, its people, culture, history and rich culinary traditions. Learn about the Greek Orthodox Easter traditions and meet **Joan Nathan**, acclaimed cook-book author and regular contributor to *The New York Times*, *Food Arts Magazine*, and *Tablet Magazine*, among other publications. Ms. Nathan will talk about the benefits of the Greek Diet and how to incorporate Greek products into your own dietary regimen. Joining Joan will be representatives of the distinguished food retailer **Dean & DeLuca** who will highlight their fine Greek food selection which includes 18 authentic products from **Navarino Icons'** small producers in **Messinia**, Greece.



PILLARS OF GREEK CULTURE

The Pillars of Greek Culture is a non profit 501(c)(3) charitable organization dedicated to promoting Greek Arts, Letters and Sciences and to fostering a greater understanding of the impact of ancient and modern Greek culture on the world. An introduction of the organization will be presented at the event.

JOAN NATHAN

Joan Nathan is the author of ten cookbooks. An inductee to the James Beard Foundation's "Who's Who in American Food and Beverage", she has also received the Silver Spoon Award from *Food Arts* magazine. In addition, Ms. Nathan received an honorary degree from the Spertus Institute of Jewish Culture in Chicago and the Golda Award from the American Jewish Congress.

COSTA NAVARINO

Costa Navarino is the prime, sustainable destination in the Mediterranean, located in the Greek region of Messinia in the southwest Peloponnese. The Navarino Icons are a series of high quality food products inspired by the history and culture of the Messinian region and the Peloponnese. The products are available exclusively at Dean & DeLuca stores in the United States. See attachment for more information.