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3 of the Best Places to Stay in Santa Barbara Right Now



Travel may be changing, but that doesn't mean you need to forgo taking an adventure forever. Check out three distinct hotels in Santa Barbara that are waiting for you to come and have a happy and healthy vacation well spent.

The Hotel Californian

The Hotel Californian opened its doors in 2017, ushering in a new era of luxury in town. Sophisticated, classic, and totally refined are all the right adjectives to use to describe the Hotel Californian. With its superb location near the town's train station, it makes for an easy getaway from Los Angeles.

The 121-room hotel is a favored destination for international visitors, A-listers coming up from Hollywood, and travel lovers alike. And really, it's no surprise why. The gorgeous space, designed by Martyn Lawrence Bullard, is bright, airy, and everything you're looking for in a quick escape from the city. But the

Moroccan meets Spanish lobby interior is just the beginning. Each of the hotel's luxurious guest rooms provides a unique experience for visitors. The hotel also comes with its own rooftop pool and expansive Pacific views. It's ultra-glam and ultra-cool, and a truly perfect place for a dip.

Around the area: While here, go visit the hotel's neighbors, [Bettina](#), for a delicious slice of pizza. The upscale pizza joint features fresh, local ingredients and is conveniently located near the beach so you can take your pie and sit right in the sand.

Hotel price: Starting at \$499/night