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What's Haute: A Los Angeles Guide To New York City

Each year, millions of Angelenos trek nearly 3,000 miles across the city to experience the hustle and bustle of New York City. Without a doubt, Manhattan is exciting. In addition to being one of the most cosmopolitan cities in the world, it's also an epicenter for luxury, culture and entertainment. Here, Haute Living breaks down the best way to take a bite out of the Big Apple during a long weekend away in The City That Never Sleeps.

STAY

UPTOWN: LOTTE NEW YORK PALACE



For those seeking a supremely elegant stay, check into The Towers at LOTTE New York Palace. You'll arrive through a private entrance and be welcomed with champagne when you book one of the 176 Tower rooms or suites, which are located on the top 14 floors of the hotel. Though each space has amenities like marble bathrooms and maître d'étage butlers at your disposal, there's really no more opulent option than the hotel's Champagne Suite, which, as you might imagine, is simply

bubbling over with beauty; its piece de resistance is a gigantic teardrop chandelier that's meant to mimic the bubbles spilling over a champagne flute. You'll find floor-to-ceiling windows that flood the Grand Parlor with natural light, a fully-

stocked

wine cave filled to the brim with Dom Perignon—designed for hosting exclusive tastings led by trained sommeliers—and a black-andwhite wall mural created by French artists Alex & Marine Tatoueurs de Murs. The design of the second floor is inspired by the distinct shades of champagne varietals to create an intricate color story of soft creams and smoky reds, while

the décor of the Master Bedroom Suite is influenced by the refreshing Chardonnay grape with a palette of ecru, cream and amber tones. The light, bubbly color scheme continues into the suite's lavish Master Bathroom, where guests can pamper

themselves in the large walk-in shower or indulgent soaking tub. To contrast these light colors, the Guest Bedroom Suite pulls from the more intense notes of a Pinot Noir with glistening rose-tinted silvers that aerate warm copper and deep, red accents. The suite also features a library, a huge rooftop terrace with its own Jacuzzi spa, a private bar, a wood-burning fireplace and a private elevator. You'll also have the use of a house Maybach car service, an ensuite kitchen and Molton Brown bath products. Conversely, you may also wish to check out the Jewel Suite by Martin Katz, a 5,000-squarefoot romantic palace perfect for honeymooners that showcases roughly \$1.5 million of the celebrity jeweler's stunning creations.

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