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## 2012 Top 10 Romantic Inns

Dana Point, Calif.--February 10, American Historic Inns and iLoveInns.com announce the 19th Annual Top 10 Romantic Inns. If you are looking for the right bed and breakfast inn for a romantic getaway, look no further. These Top 10 Romantic Inns provide landmark locations, landscapes for lingering, lavish accommodations, luxurious settings and legendary hospitality. All you need to do is bring the love of your life. Deborah Sakach, iLoveInns.com founder and 30-year bed and breakfast enthusiast remarks, "These inns share a deep commitment to excellence. They make it easy for couples to celebrate their love and create memorable moments."

The 2012 Top 10 Romantic Inns:

- The High Pointe Inn, West Barnstable, Massachusetts
- The Inn at Sunrise Point, Lincolnville, Maine
- Henderson Park Inn, Destin, Florida
- Rosemary Inn, North Augusta, South Carolina
- Foxfield Inn, Charlottesville, Virginia
- The Villas at Gervasi Vineyard, Canton, Ohio
- Inn at Irish Hollow, Galena, Illinois
- Johnson Mill Bed & Breakfast, Midway, Utah
- Eden Vale Inn, Placerville, California
- 1906 Lodge at Coronado Beach, Coronado, California

## Northeast

The High Pointe Inn in West Barnstable, Massachusetts is a romantic, ocean-view Cape Cod bed and breakfast inn sitting high on a hill overlooking the dunes of Sandy Neck Beach. Indulge in a pampering package that includes a deluxe guest room or spacious fireplace suite, chilled bottle of Champagne, chocolates, candlelight breakfast, couples massage and a three-course gourmet dinner for two. The local area offers a variety of attractions that couples will enjoy experiencing hand in hand.

The Inn at Sunrise Point in Lincolnville, Maine is a secluded waterfront hideaway on more than five coastal acres where the mountains meet the sea. Luxury accommodations are inviting retreats with an incredibly pampering amenity assortment and a three-course gourmet breakfast. A delightful romance package includes a two-hour sailing trip for two on a schooner, a welcome bottle of Champagne, strawberries, fine chocolates, the inn's favorite bubble bath, two in-room aromatherapy massage treatments, fresh flowers and a secret gift when departing.

## South

Henderson Park Inn in Destin, Florida is a highly acclaimed seaside escape hidden on the edge of Henderson State Park with beach access. This delightful adults-only boutique hotel offers all-inclusive luxury with unrivaled service that anticipates guests' needs. The spectacular setting boasts incredible views of the Gulf of Mexico. Romantic ideas can be customized to include an ultimate picnic lunch and candlelight dinner on the beach, in-room spa experience, soft music, bottle of wine, grapes, roses and chocolates.

Rosemary Inn in North Augusta, South Carolina is a romantic distraction from everyday life that invites couples to focus on each other. Breathtaking beauty, rich history and peaceful tranquility add to the amenities that interest men and women alike. The inn offers romance packages that are customized to fulfill your dreams with services, niceties and necessities that will pamper and please. Be actively engaged in bike riding, golf or attending a theatre performance; or relax with a spa treatment, soft music, garden walks and afternoon tea.

Foxfield Inn in Charlottesville, Virginia graces horse country at the base of the Blue Ridge Mountains with panoramic views of Shenandoah National Park. The romantic setting with a gazebo and park-like landscape is popular for outdoor weddings. Honeymoons and getaways are enhanced by in-room fireplaces, two-person Jacuzzis and fresh flowers. The secluded hot tub under the moon and stars invites relaxation. There are artisanal breweries, wineries and hiking trails nearby.

#### Midwest

The Villas at Gervasi Vineyard in Canton, Ohio include 55 breathtaking acres with vineyards, a spring-fed lake, walking paths and yard games. Tuscan-inspired fireside guest suites exude luxury from the setting and style to the service and special details. The Ultimate Romantic Escape includes a topiary arrangement of a dozen roses, decadent chocolates, credit towards dinner in the spectacular Bistro, Salute wine gift box set with Gervasi wine, engraved glasses and a marble bottle stopper, and continental breakfast delivered to your villa.

Inn at Irish Hollow in Galena, Illinois spans 500 gorgeous countryside acres with picturesque wandering trails and secret garden spots created for couples. Everything at this inn was designed to be experienced as a duo from showers and whirlpool tubs to snowshoes, bikes and binoculars. Romantic meals include a seven-course feast and a Bathrobe Breakfast in a private cottage, or dine in a secluded grotto and enjoy campfire picnic sites for two. Every thoughtful detail invites partners to be immersed in each other.

#### West

Johnson Mill Bed & Breakfast in Midway, Utah paints a pretty picture as it sits on a high mountain valley with 25 acres surrounded by a crystal blue lake and meandering river and is adjacent to a 300-acre nature preserve. Romance is this inn's middle name, with picturesque picnics by a cascading waterfall, evening canoe rides, naps in a hammock, sunset strolls by the water, and fairytale weddings in the gazebo on the lake. Lavish accommodations come with endless pampering and amenities, and there are many local activities to experience nearby.

Eden Vale Inn in Placerville, California offers numerous romance packages from passionate to pampering. Gracing the rural destination location in the Sierra Foothills Gold Country, this ten-acre bed and breakfast boasts modern accommodations that were designed to enhance romance with exceptional service and amenities, extensive landscaped gardens, a spring-fed pond for swimming and a fire pit for star gazing. Five rooms have outdoor private deep soaking tubs for couples. Indulge in massage treatments with warm rock therapy and steamed towels in the Spa Studio.

The 1906 Lodge in Coronado, California designed lavish accommodations with seaside romance and relaxation in mind. In fact, the main reason people choose to stay at this luxurious personal hideaway is for a romantic getaway. A unique Message in a Bottle package includes notes composed by the guest or selected poems handwritten by the innkeepers and rolled up in a bottle with tiny seashells to be given to that special someone at a designated time. Another original package features a photo of the couple in the inn's signature handmade ceramic frame.

Click for a quick view of photos on the Top 10 or use your iPhone and the free InnTouch application. Also featured are Top Ten Romantic Inns for each of the past 19 years. Free night certificates are available for radio show callers. The Web site lists 21,000 B&B inns with many full descriptions, photos, video clips, thousands of travelers' reviews and Web links. Many of the properties are also in the best-selling bed and breakfast guidebook *Bed & Breakfasts and Country Inns* with a Buy-One-Night-Get-One-Night-Free Certificate. ILoveInns also offers Bed and Breakfast Gift Certificates.

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