

Ocean

500
NEW
LOOKS &
HOW TO
WEAR
THEM

**BEST OF
BEAUTY
TIPS &
TRICKS**

**ELIZA
DUSHKU**

takes cover
in winter's
hottest trends

**SLEEP
PLAY
LOVE**
ocean's

**IT
LIST**



\$4.95 USD \$5.95 CAD \$6.95 AUD





**Catalina Island
Vacation Rentals**
119 Sumner Ave., Suite B
Avalon
800.631.5280
catalinavacations.com
Rates furnished
upon request

Terraced on the cliff-side of Avalon Bay is the dramatic, Mediterranean-style Hamilton Cove. Evoking the romance and luxury of the French Riviera, these condos are available as vacation rentals. Far more accessible than any exotic setting, Hamilton Cove is an easy island getaway, only an hour's boat ride from LA's major docks. While the one-, two- and three-bedroom units are more spacious than hotel accommodations, the property still provides resortlike amenities including an ocean-view pool, tennis courts, a private beach and the best views on the island. Just a 10-minute golf-cart ride into town, Avalon is home to art galleries, one-of-a-kind boutiques and an impressive choice of premier restaurants. With island grocery stores at hand, guests may also enjoy the simple pleasure of cooking together and watching the sunset from a private patio.



Dolphin Bay Resort and Spa
2727 Shell Beach Road
Shell Beach
805.773.4300
thedolphinbay.com
Rates begin at \$325

Just south of San Luis Obispo on the pristine coast of Central California, this all-villa resort is situated midway between San Francisco and Los Angeles on scenic Highway 1. The resort's 63 spacious one- and two-bedroom and penthouse accommodations boast private entrances, living and dining rooms, granite-appointed kitchens, walk-in closets, flat-panel televisions, private terraces and high-speed wireless Internet access. Cooking supplies and private chefs are available for intimate stay-in dinners. Guests may also experience the luxury and ocean views of the Lido Restaurant, which, under executive chef Evan Treadwell, offers California coastal cuisine within an elegant dining room, illuminated by a specially commissioned grand chandelier fashioned from Italian Murano glass. Culinary splendor is not the only attraction, however, as La Bonne Vie Spa, with its modern French décor, accentuates the experience of this luxurious resort. Treatments include massage, body wraps, cellulite reduction, facials, manicures and pedicures, and other services. Beyond the comforts of the resort, the region is a haven for outdoor recreation, including nearby wine country, championship golf courses, surfing, white-sand beaches and the landmark Hearst Castle.



Auberge du Soleil
180 Rutherford Hill Road
Rutherford
800.348.5406
aubergedusoleil.com
Rates begin at \$600

Cascading down a hillside in Napa Valley, California's world-famous wine country, the Mediterranean-inspired Auberge du Soleil is a luxury and culinary destination. A place where all guest, suite and maison rooms feature Italian linens, down bedding and duvets, custom-made bath amenities, plush robes and slippers, and private outdoor terraces, Auberge

du Soleil complements the taste and sophistication of visiting wine connoisseurs. Auberge du Soleil began as a restaurant created by the visionary Claude Rouas more than 25 years ago. Since then, the Auberge has maintained its legacy as a culinary destination, where menus are inspired by the region and thus paired expertly with local wines. The Auberge Spa is not to be missed and provides a unique water ritual, where guests soak in temperate springs overlooking the Napa Valley vineyards and Auberge's olive grove.