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dusitD2 Hotel Constance

dusitD2 Hotel Constance offers a boutique hotel experience with traditional warm hospitality and the latest in technology. Guest rooms feature custom designed beds, pillows and linens. Dining options include Constance Perry's offering Cal Asian cuisine with a lounge for craft cocktails. Local shopping, restaurants, and museums are a Tuk Tuk ride away in an open air electric powered vehicle.

928 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-898-7900 hotelconstance.com

Hilton Pasadena

Perfectly situated in the heart of Pasadena means you are minutes from L.A. and two blocks from the Pasadena Convention Center and Old Pasadena. This boutique hotel and renowned brand boast luxurious rooms, modern amenities, two delectable restaurants, Wi-Fi, 24-hour fitness, and complimentary shuttle service within 2 miles. 168 S. Los Robles Ave 626-577-1000 pasadena.hilton.com

The Langham Huntington, Pasadena

A Pasadena landmark for more than 100 years, the hotel captures the grace and elegance of classic Southern California. Located on 23 acres with grand historic ballrooms and gardens, the hotel features world-class dining and an award-winning spa offering treatments inspired by



Traditional Chinese Medicine, combined with cutting-edge skin care technology. Features 380 guestrooms, including private cottages. 1401 S. Oak Knoll Ave.

626-568-3900 pasadena.langhamhotels.com

Old Pasadena Courtyard by Marriott

A prime Pasadena location, this upscale full-service hotel in the heart of Old Pasadena features 314 expertly appointed guestrooms and an updated modern lobby, bar, and restaurant. On-site fitness center, pool, and Jacuzzi. Complimentary Wi-Fi. 180 N. Fair Oaks Ave. 626-403-7600 marriott.com/laxot

Sheraton Pasadena

Effortless travel, the Sheraton Pasadena is the only hotel adjacent to Pasadena Civic Auditorium and Pasadena Convention Center. Perfectly situated across the street



Courtyard pool at the Saga Motor Hote

from Paseo Colorado and around the corner from Old Pasadena. Features 311 oversized guestrooms with Sweet Sleeper™ beds, Restaurant Soleil, Charlie's Bar, Sheraton Club, Outdoor Swimming Pool and Fitness Center. Complimentary Wi-Fi and shuttle service within 3 mile radius. 303 Cordova St. 626-449-4000

sheraton.com/pasadena

Residence Inn Pasadena

The all-suite Residence Inn by Marriott in the heart of Pasadena offers a comfortable, stylish retreat featuring 144 spacious suites, complimentary Wi-Fi, as well as many other amenities. Walking distance to historic Old Pasadena and many area attractions. 21 W. Walnut St. 626-204-9220 residenceinnpasadena.com

The Westin Pasadena

With 350 guestrooms and 26,000 square feet of meeting space, The Westin Pasadena offers exceptional service, upscale amenities, and elements of comfort. Rejuvenate in a state-of-the-art workout facility, relax by the outdoor pool, or decompress in a Heavenly Bed[®]. Located in the heart of downtown. 191 N. Los Robles Ave. 626-792-2727 westin.com/pasadena



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Comfort Inn 2462 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-405-0811 choicehotels.com

Green Tree Pasadena Inn 400 S. Arroyo Pkwy. 626-795-8401 greentreepasadenainn.com

Hotel Le Reve Pasadena 3321 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-796-9291 hotellerevepasadena.com

Howard Johnson Pasadena 1599 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-304-9678 hojo.com

Pasadena Travelodge 2131 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-796-3121 travelodge.com

Ramada Inn 2156 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-793-9339 ramada.com Features 75 guestrooms, elevator, pool/spa, refrigerators, microwaves, flat-screen TVs, fitness center, and business center. Complimentary breakfast and free Wi-Fi. Rodeway Inn & Suites 2860 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-792-3700 choicehotels.com

Saga Motor Hotel 1663 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-795-0431 thesagamotorhotel.com

Super 8 Motel 2863 E. Colorado Blvd. 626-449-3020 super8pasadena.com The Westin Pasadena

Vagabond Inn Executive Pasadena 1203 E. Colorado Blvd. Features 54 guestrooms, including business-friendly rooms and pet rooms. Free Wi-Fi, complimentary deluxe breakfast, swimming pool heated yearround and free parking. AAA three-diamond rating. 626-449-3170 vagabondinn.com



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nthony Bourdain famously said: "Context and memory play powerful roles in all the truly great meals in one's life." Pasadena shares that exact sentiment. The culinary scene is an inspiring paradise for palettes. It's a breeding ground for emerging young chefs and the stomping ground for seasoned veterans. Restaurants in Pasadena are so original, foodies drive in from the furthest bounds of coastal regions. With more than 500 restaurants, there's everything you can imagine here. Fine dining. Festive brunches. Authentic Mexican. Creative sandwich shops. Food trucks. Vegan joints. Hipster hot spots. Juice bars. Bustling cafes. Historic mainstays. Undiscovered gems.

A new upscale Mexican restaurant has been the talk of the town, it is called Maestro and it opened in Old Pasadena earlier this year. The chef, Daniel Godinez is a native of Acapulco, Mexico, his menu—inspired by a backpacking trip to all of Mexico's 31 states— pays homage to the various regional cuisines of Mexico. Godinez's specialty, chilaquiles, is on the brunch menu featuring layers of crispy tortilla chips, omeletstyle eggs, seven pepper red sauce, cotija cheese, sour cream, avocado mousse and fresh pico de gallo. Maestro's interior design





blends Modernist and Art Deco elements of Los Angeles with a rustic color palette and materials of Mexico. The same attention to detail is reflected in their craft cocktail program with inventive concoctions that highlight mezcal, a spirit made of agave (similar to tequila) that tends to be smokier. A real standout that helped spearhead Pasadena's contemporary dining revolution is Union. Helmed by James Beardnominated Bruce Kalman, Union has instantly become a leading restaurant with one of the most famous faces behind the kitchen (Bruce appears on food shows like Chopped). An intimate, yet casual, 50-seat restaurant, Union dishes out imaginative Northern Italian cuisine with a California twist, focusing on farm fresh ingredients. Equally decadent, Ración brings the Basque region of Spain (once home to the world's best restaurant, El Bulli) to Pasadena, where diners can indulge in exotic dishes like housemade squid-ink pasta or beer braised octopus with dandelion salsa verde.









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Lost at Sea is a newcomer to Pasadena's culinary scene, it is the result of a former fishmonger and a former sommelier coming together. While the ambiance at Lost at Sea feels much more chic than a Chart House, Chef Tim Carey's approach is decidedly classic and French rather than rustic. The restaurant's wine selection carries just as much weight as the food, Santos Uy-who was Silver Lake Wine's first employee and served as sommelier at AOC—assembled small production and natural wines.

An oldie but goody is 1960s institution Pie 'n Burger, a fun little diner with wood paneled walls and long, laminate lunch counter with colonial revival counter stools. People come from afar for their award-winning hamburger with cheese. Make sure to bring cash because they do not accept credit cards.



Should you want to tap into your inner hipster, Lincoln, in a previously abandoned, warehouse-ish building, perfected delicious things in a bowl (from eggy breakfast bowls to colorful shrimp bowls), with some of the best pastries (freshbaked cookies, scones, cinnamon rolls) this side of the Arroyo Seco. It's the type of place where young millennials Instagram their meals all day long. We don't blame them. Lincoln is #nomnom.

Lincoln's Citrus Buttercream Cake