

# NORTH AMERICA

From city breaks to beach escapes, via some unbelievable wilderness experiences, this region has every style of honeymoon covered



## CANADA

✈ 10h | 🇨🇦 Jun–Sept & Dec–Feb

### Fairmont Chateau Whistler

Whistler is justifiably renowned as a skiing destination, but this ski-in, ski-out resort has plenty of appeal in summer, too. There's an award-winning golf course, and a wealth of excursions such as guided tours to swimmable lakes and river rafting. There's a spa to soothe sore muscles after hiking, and several dining options, including fine-dining restaurant

The Grill Room. The Mallard Lounge & Terrace is a Whistler institution, and a wonderful spot for both alfresco cocktails and après-ski martinis. Rooms are elegantly appointed – the new Alpine Suites are particularly suited to romance, with a fireplace and beautiful views whatever the time of year. *From \$799pm\** (approx. £658). [fairmont.com](http://fairmont.com)

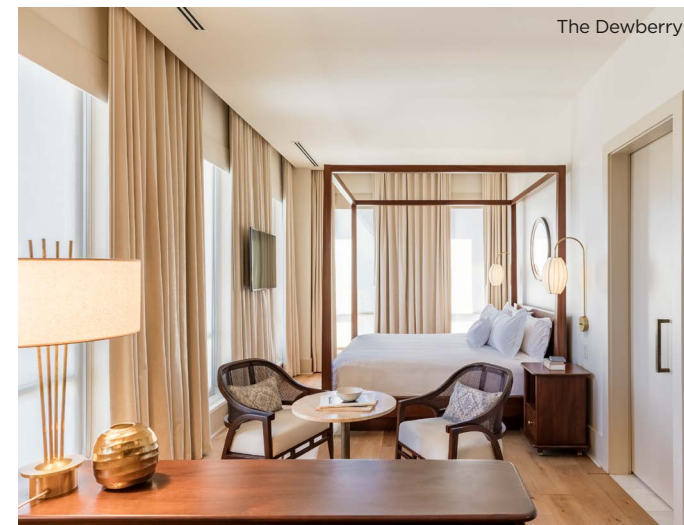
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### Sonora Resort, British Columbia

With its wilderness landscape of forest, mountain and coast, British Columbia is the ideal destination for couples who love the great outdoors. However, the adventure-shy will also find much to admire, particularly if you choose a resort like Sonora, where there are plenty of ways to unwind. Yes, there are grizzly bear tours, ocean kayaking and river rafting; but there are also hot tubs, meditation areas and a spa with wide-ranging treatments. In the evenings, you can tuck into a tasting menu in the dining room, with wine pairings from the extensive cellar and wonderful sea views – a feast for the senses. *From £533.94pp, relaischateaux.com*



Sonora Resort



The Dewberry

### SOUTH CAROLINA

✈️ 9h 30m | 📅 Mar-May & Sept-Nov

#### The Dewberry

Charleston is a delightful destination for a honeymoon that combines culture, excellent dining and plenty of romance. Explore the historic district and admire the pretty architecture; wander iconic promenade The Battery; and enjoy delicious Southern soul food. Then you can retire to this beautiful hotel to spend your nights cocooned in luxury. The design aesthetic brings together chic '60s retro

and contemporary cool, with exceptionally comfortable beds, floor-to-ceiling windows and grand marble bathrooms stocked with the hotel's heavenly signature toiletries. Make sure you get a table at restaurant Henrietta's, which has fast become a Charleston hotspot, followed by cocktails at rooftop lounge Citrus Club. *From £2,800pp for seven nights based on two people spending three nights at The Dewberry and four nights at Montage Palmetto Bluff, incl. international British Airways flights, private transfers and a selection of experiences, scottdunn.com*

### NEW YORK

✈️ 7h 30m | 📅 Year-round

#### The Kimberly

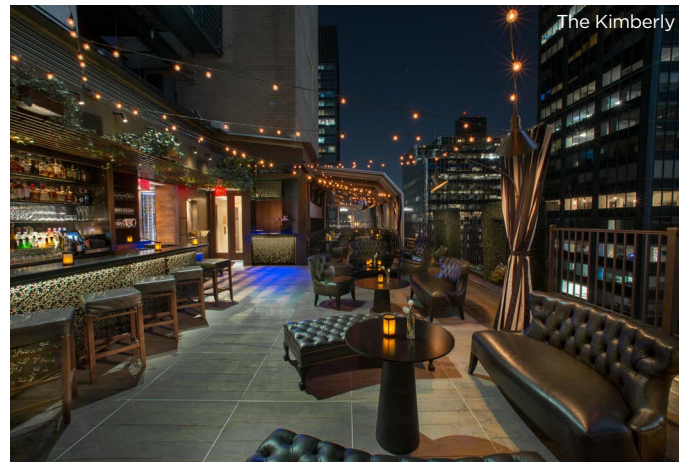
This is probably the perfect location for exploring Manhattan – between the Rockefeller Center, Central Park, museums, shops and fabulous restaurants. The spacious, comfortable suites feature lounge areas and marbled bathrooms. Private balconies overlook the bustling streets and skyline, giving a feel of being in the centre of one of the most exciting cities in the world. Upstairs is the penthouse-level bar and lounge, featuring a retractable all-glass ceiling and walls. Go there to take in the city views amid copious fairy lights and enjoy artisan cocktails. *From \$200 (approx. £160) per room, kimberlyhotel.com*



The Hoxton

#### The Hoxton

From the cool Williamsburg neighbourhood to the Insta-friendly interiors, the first US outpost from this chic British boutique brand couldn't be more on trend. The bedrooms all come with incredible Brooklyn or Manhattan skyline views, and thoughtful touches abound – there's even an individual selection of books curated by local residents. *From \$229pn (approx. £188)\*\*, thehoxtton.com/newyork*



The Kimberly

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The Lodge at Blue Sky

### UTAH

✈️ 10h | 📅 Apr-May & Sept-Oct

#### The Lodge at Blue Sky

Want to get back to nature – but still enjoy some luxe living? Western-inspired outdoor adventures at this 3,500-acre ranch include fly fishing, hiking, clay shooting and horse riding, or in winter, heli-skiing and snowshoeing. And now, there's

a sumptuous hotel where you can unwind after a day full of activity. Whether you choose the tranquillity of a freestanding riverside suite or a light-filled room with an amazing mountain view in the main Sky Lodge, you can spend time in the spa, enjoy the infinity pool and feast on farm-to-table fare and artisan whiskey in one of eight dining spaces. *From \$800pn (approx. £658), room only, aubergeresorts.com/bluesky*



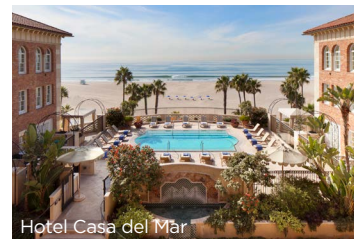
Post Ranch Inn

### CALIFORNIA

✈️ 11h 30m | 📅 Mar-Oct

#### Hotel Casa del Mar, Santa Monica

This gorgeous property combines laid-back California cool with historic grandeur; chandeliers and marble fireplaces plus airy spaces and palm trees. It's worth upgrading to the Ocean View category, so you can wake up to the Pacific each morning – so romantic. *From £1,799pp\* for five nights in a Superior Room, incl. flights with United Airlines, destinology.co.uk*



Hotel Casa del Mar

#### Post Ranch Inn, Big Sur

Seemingly floating above the Pacific Ocean, along California's dreamy Big Sur, the Post Ranch Inn takes seascapes to another level. With floor-to-ceiling windows in your suite (as well as roaring open log fires and spacious hot tubs), you can lie in bed feeling like you're hanging over the edge of the rocky cliff, and while away hours gazing out at soaring condors and the star-speckled night skies. Spend yet more lazy hours on the fabulous pool deck trying to work out where the sky starts and the sea ends or give your eyes a break from the unbelievable sights in the award-winning spa that is nestled among the fragrant pine trees. *From £1,255pp for three nights, incl. accommodation on a B&B basis, carrier.co.uk*

### MASSACHUSETTS

✈️ 7h | 📅 June-Oct

#### Ocean House

Visiting this Rhode Island haven is like stepping into a Ralph Lauren ad – beautiful people and a hushed air of refinement. The setting is utterly spectacular, with breath-taking New England coastline as far as the eye can see. Blissing out

on the hotel's private beach is a must, but there's plenty more to keep you occupied, including croquet, yoga and scenic rides on the complimentary bicycles. It's worth working up an appetite, as the food is also spectacular, from made-to-order doughnuts at the beach to the freshest seasonal dishes in the restaurants. *From \$400 (approx. £319) pn based on two people sharing, room only, oceanhouse.com*



Ocean House

### HAWAII

✈️ 20h | 📅 Apr-Oct

#### Mauna Lani (opening Jan 2020)

In this honeymoon guide, we don't often feature hotels that have yet to open. But such is the anticipation around Mauna Lani, set to open in January 2020, that we had to include it. Located on the Big Island's idyllic coast, the resort will have a stunning infinity-edge pool and several dining options. The design is all about making the most of the setting's beauty and ensuring the perfect flow between exterior and interior. *From \$499 (approx. £410) per room per night, aubergeresorts.com*

### MIAMI

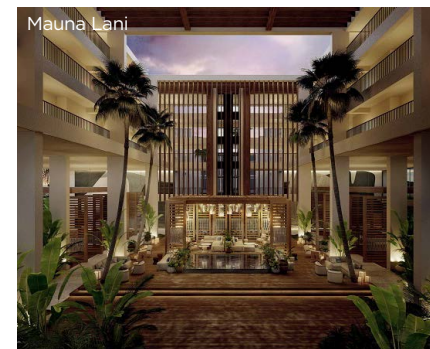
✈️ 9h | 📅 Feb-May

#### The Biltmore

Set in the fabulous Coral Gables area, The Biltmore is renowned throughout Miami for its Mediterranean-influenced architecture and for having one of the largest hotel swimming pools on the East Coast. The suites are sumptuous, with gorgeous views, luxurious bedding and lounge areas. Dine in one of the four restaurants or hire a cabana by the pool and enjoy cocktails on your lounge. Treat yourself to a spa treatment, or perfect your golf on the 18-hole course set in 150 acres of beautiful gardens. *From £176pn in a Superior Room, biltmorehotel.com*



The Biltmore



Mauna Lani