

OUR FAVOURITE PLACES

Where we stayed, and loved, this month

CORNISH TIPI WEDDINGS, BODMIN

After walking through winding woodland paths and past a beautiful brook, the Willow Pavilion was revealed – the ultimate outdoor wedding venue. Here you can say your vows surrounded by nature and wander up to the main marquee to party until you're ready to fall into your own village of eco-chic tipis. We loved swimming in the ridiculously beautiful on-site lake – the perfect location for photos. Starting prices for a two-night stay for wedding guests is £152 for a couple in low season. cornishtipiweddings.co.uk



**BEST FOR A
WOODLAND
WEDDING**



**BEST FOR AN
ITALIAN
GETAWAY**



PALAZZO MANFREDI, ROME

Situated between the ruins of Nero's palace and the Colosseum (it's a stone's throw!), Palazzo Manfredi is the epitome of Italian chic. We stayed in an opulent Family Suite with stunning white baroque styling, but the real show-stopper of this hotel is on its roof. Home to the Michelin-starred Aroma restaurant, the terrace boasts the best view of the city (the Colosseum, the Roman Forum, the Altare della Patria!) and is the perfect spot to sample the seven-course tasting menu. From around €700 B&B for two. palazzomanfredi.com

SIGN OF THE ANGEL, LACOCK

Set in the heart of the historic village of Lacock, (a filming location for *Downton Abbey* and *Pride and Prejudice*), a stay in this characterful 15th-century inn feels a lot like stepping back in time. In the rooms, the combination of wooden beams, duck-down bedding and chunky oak furniture made us feel like we'd totally escaped the modern world. Downstairs we loved the dining room with a locally sourced menu and hearty dishes. Rooms from £110 a night including breakfast. signoftheangel.co.uk



**BEST FOR A
COSY
MINIMOON**

