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## 5 Washington State hotels that shouldn't be missed

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Like in many places, there are plenty of hotels, both good and bad, in Washington. But this is the Pacific Northwest, where things are a little different. The hotel that you choose from the array of lodging options might be a refurbished roadside inn astride a waterfall that is of spiritual importance for the local native American tribe. Or it might be on a reservation, outright owned and operated by another tribe. There are plenty of historical buildings on both ends of the state that are the site for yet more unique hotels that are worth, at the very least, a stop in to admire.

Of course, there are plenty more notable hotels in the Evergreen State than these five, but this group easily captures the imagination of even the more better-traveled visitors.

## Salish Lodge & Spa, Snoqualmie

Examiner.com [visited this magnificent hotel](#) in February, 2015 and wrote "Drifting off next to a fragrant fire and waking up to the sound of the effervescent falls just footsteps away is a gentle underscore to the notion that this is a very special place." Aside from the falls, which make the entire location and building seem otherworldly, the entire building seems infused with a comforting fragrance of pine, lavender, rosemary, and mint, that haunts long after the stay is over. It's a short 30 minute drive from Seattle and is great for local weekenders, but it's really a don't-miss stop for anybody visit Washington to experience the sights and sounds that will draw one back again and again.

**Pro Tip:** The Lodge serves a famously lavish breakfast, so plan some hiking if you're hoping to indulge.



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