9 Hotels with the Most Beautiful Wallpaper Designs

We circled the globe to unearth top hotels with the most beautiful wallpaper designs

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If these walls (and their wallpaper) could talk, these would be their stories. Wallpaper—once considered an almost retro choice for grandmothers and great-grandmothers—has had a renaissance. Hotels, in particular, have embraced these eye-catching patterns in their décor, from the Asian styles of de Gournay to the banana leaves of Dorothy Draper. On these nine vacations, the souvenirs are certain to be home inspo.
JARED COFFIN HOUSE (NANTUCKET, MASSACHUSETTS)

“The Little Grey Lady of the Sea” boasts this historic inn and its Daniel Webster House—a fine example of the aesthetic of Nantucket, Massachusetts (once a center for whaling). The wallpaper, for example, is reminiscent of the written accounts of a whaling boat’s captain.
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Nothing says fall like New England—however, these are the region’s experiences to top them all. From Boston to New Hampshire’s White Mountains, here’s where to head next.

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10/10 Have Nantucket to yourself

Now summer has officially wound down, consider escaping to Nantucket—you’ll have this isle of historic lighthouses, sand dunes, cranberry bogs, and late-eighteenth-century seaport cottages all to yourself. The beaches are delightfully quiet, as is the restaurant scene: Base yourself at The White Elephant Hotel, located along the harbor in the boutique-lined downtown neighborhood, and venture out from there. For maximum time on the island, New Yorkers should consider flying direct from the private terminal in White Plains on Tradewind Aviation, which flies regularly to Nantucket all the way into early December.