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## Incredible Fall Travel Destinations

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Welcome the change of seasons with one of these 10 unique and beautiful vacations.



### A Fall Food Festival in St. Bart's

Winter is considered the prime time to visit St. Bart's, but the island also makes for a sumptuous fall getaway—especially for the culinary enthusiast. From November 2 - 5, a slew of top chefs take over the island for the annual Saint Barth Gourmet Festival.

This year's theme is French gastronomy; its patron chef is Eric Frechon (of the Michelin three-starred restaurant Epicure at Le Bristol Hotel in Paris). Six more acclaimed French chefs will take up residence at six of the island's most opulent hotels (Hotel Cheval Blanc St-Barth Isle de France, Hotel Christopher, Le Guanahani, Le Sereno, Le Barthélemy Hotel & Spa, and the Eden Rock Hotel).

Each will create three multi-course dinners at their respective properties for festival guests. Stay at the chic Hotel Cheval Blanc St-Barth Isle de France, located right on the pristine Flamands Beach—it will have just reopened after an end-of-summer refresh.

*Rooms from \$850; Baie des Flamands; 590-590/27-6181; [chevalblanc.com](#); [stbarthgourmetfestival.com](#). —AS*