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New York, New York... The Big Apple, The Empire City, The City That Never Sleeps, or simply, The City... there are a dozen nicknames for this great town, and below are half a dozen reasons why you want to be there.



Hotel Gansevoort, Head of its Class for accommodations & weddings The Dutch name "Gansevoort" means "goose at the head of the flock," but this Manhattan venue is head of its class. Sleek and stylish, the historic Meatpacking District hotel features a cosmopolitan rooftop/event loft with stunning 360-degree river and city views; richly landscaped gardens; outdoor pool with underwater lights; and a Plunge Bar. *Hotel Gansevoort, 18 9th Avenue, New York, NY (877) 426-7386 hotelgansevoort.com*

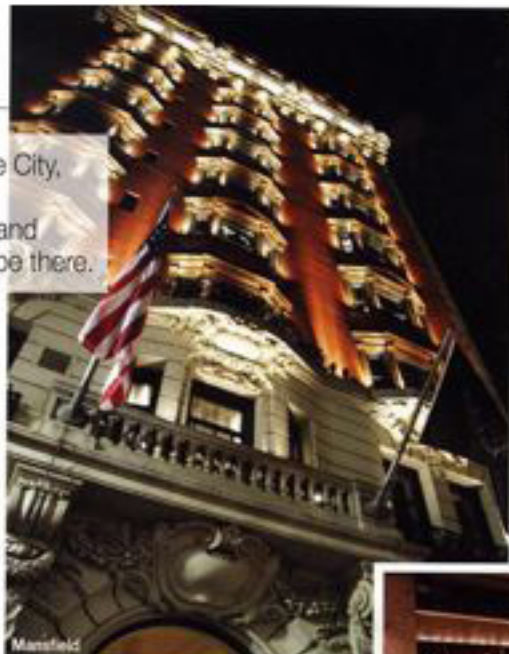
The Gansevoort Spa & Lounge offers a range of experiences including couples' massages in private garden cabanas; Hiro Haraguchi hair salon services including rare Himalayan salts in manicures/pedicures, facials, and soaking treatments. The fitness center features state-of-the-art cardio and weight machines, and locker rooms have full vanities, marble rainfall showers, and trunk cabinetry. *Gansevoort Spa & Lounge, 18 9th Avenue, New York, NY (212) 206-6700 hotelgansevoort.com*

Ultra-nightclubbing: The Marquee The exclusive Chelsea ultra-lounge, Marquee, has been called "the universe's hottest club." The venue combines strong architecture, including the famous wishbone-shaped staircase; privacy, in separate-yet-connected spaces such as ROOM3, a glassed-in VIP lounge and a place to unwind amid the seamlessly flowing crowd of celebrities, jet setters, and VIPs. *The Marquee, 289 10th Ave., New York, NY (646) 473-0202 marquee.com*

Celebrating Large: Le Cirque The legendary Le Cirque restaurant is pure luxury, with Reidel glassware, Villeroy & Boch china, and Greggio and Ricciarelli silverware; a wait staff in designer-created ties; and guests in jacket attire. Le Cirque overlooks Bloomberg Tower's circular courtyard, and a focal point, the custom-designed two-story, white metal and glass wine tower, housing Le Cirque's 2,000 bottles in 700 varieties. *Le Cirque, One Beacon Court, 151 E. 58th St., New York, NY (212) 644-0202*

Classic, with Classic Cocktails: M Bar The elegant hotel, The Mansfield, in a 1904 in Beaux Arts and Second Empire style, still reflect its century of history and classic charm. Its M Bar, with original domed skylight, is known for that charm too. Enjoy classic cocktails, small plates, and live jazz, all in an intimate, romantic atmosphere. *M Bar, The Mansfield, 12 West 44th Street, near Fifth Ave., New York, NY (212) 277-8888 mansfieldhotel.com*

Last, But Not Least: Tribeca Treats Dessert Tribeca Treats, from cupcakes to truffles, provides the definitive wedding-related stress escape. Of course, those are happy stressors, but any excuse to visit Tribeca! Shop at Tribeca too, for invitations, cards, gifts, and cook books, and if yours is a New York destination wedding, order your Tribeca Treats wedding cake and other wedding weekend confections. *Tribeca Treats, 94 Rouse Street, New York, NY (212) 571-0500 tribecatreats.com*



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