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30 LUXURIOUS SPAS THAT ARE WORTH THE DRIVE

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When it comes to rest and relaxation, nothing compares to enjoying an indulgent spa treatment in a [dreamy locale](#). But there's a certain cliché that tranquility-seekers must travel to a far-off land (say, Bali or the Maldives) to experience the [mind and body rejuvenation](#) of an award-winning spa. The reality? There's probably a luxury spa within [driving distance](#) of you. Whether you're hunting for an unforgettable solo experience, shopping for a mother-daughter retreat, or searching for the perfect opportunity to round up your friends for some much-needed pampering, there's a domestic spa destination for you. So mark a weekend on your calendar and prepare for a blissful experience at one of these serene getaways. We promise you will not be disappointed.



Courtesy The Spa at Shou Sugi Ban House

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THE SPA AT SHOU SUGI BAN HOUSE, WATER MILL, NEW YORK

Inspired by the Japanese principles of wabi-sabi and a spirit of openness and exploration, the Shou Sugi Ban spa is rooted in connection to the natural world, offering treatments that draw from the inherent wisdom and curative properties of the ocean, local pine forests, wild flora, and indigenous herbs. As an added bonus, guests are invited to enjoy pre- or post-treatment access to the indoor and outdoor relaxation lounges and solarium deck, featuring landscape design by [Lily Kwong](#).

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