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## AAA Names Top 13 Haunted Hideouts

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Just in time for Halloween, AAA has polled its professional inspectors for their favorite haunted hotels and restaurants.



1886 Crescent Hotel & Spa

From The Mayflower in Washington, D.C. to Hotel Provincial in New Orleans, here are AAA's top 13 spooky destinations:



[1886 Crescent Hotel & Spa](#) in Eureka Springs, Ark.

AAA Three Diamond Lodging

Known as one of [America's most haunted hotels](#), the 1886 Crescent Hotel & Spa is home to several spectral spirits who have long overstayed their welcome, but simply refuse to leave. Four well-documented ghosts have been repeatedly sighted by staff and guests over an extended period of time. Whatever you do,

don't book room 218. Legend has it that during construction of the hotel, a

workman fell to his death from the roof, landing on the future site of this room which is now considered to be the most haunted room in the hotel.

[Bower's Harbor Inn](#) in Traverse City, Mich.

AAA Three Diamond Restaurant

This expansive, two-story mansion sits upon a hill steeped in local ghost lore. Originally built in the 1880s, this restaurant was once a retreat for Chicago lumber baron J.W. Stickney and his wife Genevive. Upon his death, Genevive inherited the property, but his fortune went to the nurse he hired to care for Genevive. After spiraling into deep depression, Genevive met her demise when she hung herself from the rafters of the elevator shaft. Ever since, her spirit has haunted the inn. Guests have even reported the appearance of a blurry female figure in their vacation photographs.

[Buxton Inn 1812](#) in Granville, Ohio

AAA Three Diamond Restaurant

It is said that the ghost of former owner Major Horton Buxton continues to make his presence known at Ohio's oldest continually operated inn still in its original building. As the stories go, Major Buxton can occasionally be seen on chilly evenings occupying his favorite chair by the fireplace. The ghost of his former cat has also been seen slinking around the tavern.

[The Fairmont Algonquin](#) in St. Andrews, New Brunswick

AAA/CAA Three Diamond Lodging

During winter months, you may be greeted by an unexpected bellman at this beautifully scenic castle by the sea. Why unexpected? For one, the hotel doesn't even employ a bellman during the winter and, two, he doesn't match the description of anyone on the hotel's staff. Spooky.