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5 STEPS TO THE CREATE YOUR PERFECT CAMBRIA GETAWAY
Explore the ultimate year-round retreat

CAMBRIA, Calif. (January 1, 2019) – Cambria is well-known for its towering Monterey pines, splendid coastal views, some of the region’s best wineries and tasting rooms, charming antique, arts and specialty shops, farm-to-fork restaurants, world-class cycling routes, and endless outdoor activities. Cambria is a little-known gem on the Central Coast—which is why thousands flock to enjoy it year-round. It’s only a four-hour drive from the San Francisco and Los Angeles areas, making it the perfect weekend getaway—and the perfect place to meet friends and family, no matter where they live. Download the **Visit Cambria app** on iOS and Android to find more details about activities in Cambria and create your own perfect itinerary.

1. Embrace the farm-to-fork philosophy.

Cambria is renowned for its restaurants and wineries. From elegant, fine dining establishments to intimate cafés, Cambria is a food lover’s delight. With locally-sourced row crops, fruits and nuts, meats, olive oil, honey and more, the Central Coast is a veritable wealth of agricultural riches. Many local chefs like to take advantage of the region’s bountiful farms and ranches to create mouth-watering dishes that tempt your pallet. This farm-to-fork philosophy ensures that meals are created using the freshest, locally-grown ingredients and that diners experience fresh-off-the-farm dishes that delight the senses.

2. Take a romantic stroll along the beach.

If you like kicking back on the beach with a good book and the feel of sand between your toes, Moonstone Beach is a great place to slow down and savor your surroundings. Pack a picnic lunch and spend the day reading and relaxing while taking in the awe-inspiring Central Coast scenery. Search for moonstones and other hidden treasures while beach combing and exploring the tide pools. Moonstone Beach beckons to those looking for a lazy day of rest and relaxation.

3. Explore the great outdoors.

Cambria is the perfect place for adventure. From hiking and biking to kayaking and horseback riding, Cambria provides an incredible backdrop to your outdoor adventure. Nature lovers can horseback ride on some of the most spectacular scenery along Highway 1. Ride along the rolling hills and among oak groves, enjoying stunning panoramic views of the Pacific from Fiscalini Ranch Preserve. If you prefer to travel by foot, Cambria’s hiking trails along the scenic coastline through sloping hills and pine forests are the perfect place to get away from it all. If you prefer sea to land, kayaking provides a unique vantage point for coastal exploration. Cambria is part of the Monterey Bay Sanctuary, one of the largest and most spectacular marine-protected areas. Kayaking in the Sanctuary is a great way to experience nature’s beauty and wildlife up close.

4. Visit Hearst Castle.

If you listen close enough in the afternoon atop an enchanted hill four miles from Cambria, you can hear waves lapping along the expanse of coast below and exotic zebras grazing in nearby meadows. This is La Cuesta Encantada, or “The Enchanted Hill,” which is home to one of America’s greatest chateaus: Hearst Castle. Tour this famous mansion and step back in time. Explore the 165 rooms and more than 125 sprawling acres of gardens, terraces, pools and walkways. You will not want to miss Hearst Castle’s breathtaking views at sunset.

5. Take a drive up scenic Highway 1.

The Pacific Coast Highway offers some of the most majestic scenery and breathtaking views you’ll ever see. The 123 miles of twisting, cliff-hugging curves along the picturesque Central California coastline stretches from Morro Bay through Cambria to Monterey. Cambria is the perfect starting point for a romantic daytrip along this scenic pathway. From sheer mountain cliffs to redwood forests to pristine sandy beaches, this stunning section of the California coastline is a must see for everyone, but be warned... the drive is not for the faint of heart!

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About Cambria

With its village charm, delicious flavors, natural wonders, and vibrant culture, the pine-studded coastal hideaway of Cambria, California has attracted those seeking rest, recreation, and renewal for over 150 years. Located along world-famous Highway 1, within minutes of Hearst Castle, Big Sur, and Paso Robles Wine Country, Cambria offers the perfect destination on the Central Coast with outdoor opportunities, boutique shopping, antiques, food and wine, history, art, and romance. To learn more about how to hide, seek, and find yourself in Cambria, please visit www.VisitCambriaCA.com. Your getaway awaits..