

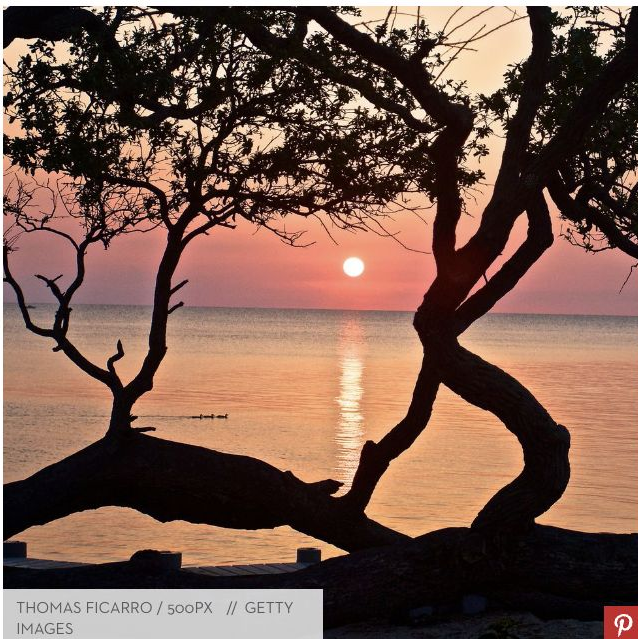
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30 Most Romantic Valentine's Day Getaways in the United States

Plan a whole weekend away or spend the day at one of these top destinations.

How did you celebrate last Valentine's Day? Don't remember? We thought so. For many couples, it's become just another day. Instead of overpaying for a dozen roses, why not surprise your boo with a trip? You still have time: Many hotels have availability on Valentine's Day itself or the following weekend. And while you could road-trip somewhere wonderful, February airfare prices are looking good, so don't discount the possibility of jetting off for a long weekend. (After all, the Monday after Valentine's is President's Day.)

To pick the spots on our list of the best Valentine's Day trips, we chatted with travel experts and our own colleagues who have been traveling the country for the [Good Housekeeping Family Travel Awards](#).



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Beaufort, North Carolina

Along [North Carolina's Crystal Coast](#), Beaufort is the third-oldest town in the state, with a vibe that feels plucked right out of a romance novel — literally. It's the setting of two of Nicholas Sparks' novels, *A Walk to Remember* and *The Choice*. Explore the historic downtown waterfront and try your hand at fishing side by side. (You've already got the best catch of them all!) Stay at the [Pecan Tree Inn](#), a charming bed and breakfast near downtown.

PLAN YOUR GETAWAY