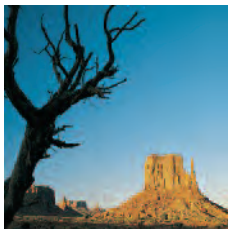


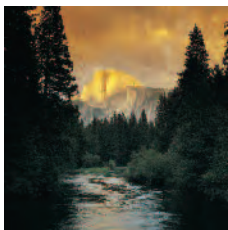


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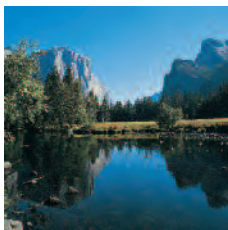
The stunning National Parks of the USA are home to some amazing natural landscapes – the adventure starts here... **Goulding** an area of **Monument Valley** was established in 1923, set entirely within the **Navajo Indian Reservation** on the **Utah** and **Arizona** border. To marvel at the fantastic views head to the **Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park** and travel along the 17 mile **Valley Drive** – a dirt road that weaves amongst towering cliffs and mesas including **The Totem Pole** which is a staggering 300ft high, but just a few metres wide. You'll need a four wheel drive to enjoy the experience fully! **Yosemite** set in the **Sierra Nevada** and designated a national park in 1890 has a number of highlights such as **Yosemite Valley**, **Wawona's History Centre** and **Mariposa Grove** containing hundreds of ancient sequoias. **Glacier Point's** spectacular views of Yosemite Valley and high country; **Tuolumne Meadows** a large subalpine meadow surrounded by mountain peaks should not be missed. **Bryce Canyon** is home to the 'hoodoos' a collection of erosion shaped colourful limestones, sandstones and mudstones formed into a maze of spires and pinnacles. Located along the eastern edge of the **Paunsaugunt Plateau** in southern Utah, you'll witness panoramic views of **Utah**, **Arizona** and **New Mexico** with an astounding visibility approaching 200 miles. **Zion** an ancient Hebrew word meaning a place of refuge or sanctuary is home to the world's largest arch, **Kolob Arch** which has a 310ft span. Covering 229 square miles Zion is located at the junction of **Colorado Plateau**, **Great Basin** and **Mojave Desert Provinces**. The fantastic backdrop to the **Tuacahn Amphitheater** is jaw dropping – so make sure you pop along to see one of the shows during your stay.



Monument Valley



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1000 Main Sreet. Map Ref: 1



Gouldings Lodge

Booking Code: MONGL00001

Located deep in the glorious Monument Valley, Goulding's Lodge offers breath-taking views from its proximity to the Navajo Tribal Park. The rooms here are basic, but spacious and have private balconies to make the most of those views. The Lodge's restaurant; Stagecoach Dining Room is perched on the top of a rock ledge and unique expeditions are offered. The Museum & Trading Post Museum within the Lodge has film memorabilia and Indian artefacts.



OUR OPINION

Each room offers views of the stunning formations of Monument Valley. This is where a number of John Wayne movies were made - a true western experience.

Prices from: £615

Extra night prices from: £29



11136 Highway 140. Map Ref: 2



Yosemite View Lodge

Booking Code: OYSYL00001

Situated in the tiny town of El Portal, close to Yosemite Park's west entrance is this characterful lodge. The rooms are comfortable and many offer kitchenettes, fireplaces and spa tubs. Private balconies may also have beautiful views of the Merced River which runs along side the property. So, if the adventure of Yosemite isn't enough for you, then you'll be able to partake in a spot of river rafting here during season (April – June) or if it's a slower pace you're after, perhaps a bit of fishing.



OUR OPINION

This property is the closest accommodation outside the park to any of Yosemite's four entrances. If you were staying any closer you would be in the park!

Prices from: £619

Extra night prices from: £33



1000 South Highway 63. Map Ref: 3



Best Western Ruby's Inn

Booking Code: BCEBW06736

The proximity of this Best Western Inn to Bryce Canyon is second to none, the rooms here are spacious, whilst the décor is simple and homely. Wooden beams, fireplaces and stone complete the welcoming character and the swimming pool and hot tubs on site give you all the amenities for relaxing after a hard days exploring. Ruby's Inn is also home to the Cowboy's Buffet & Steak Room with a choice of western dining, seafood or buffet and from April to October pizza and fast food is available at the Canyon Diner.



OUR OPINION

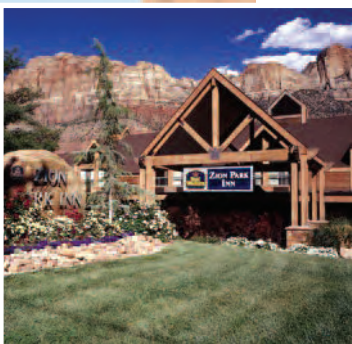
As this property is the closest accommodation to Bryce Canyon National Park, it is the perfect base for exploring southern Utah. Open all year round Ruby's Inn offers the finest accommodation and amenities and is a destination in itself.

Prices from: £565

Extra night prices from: £20



1215 Zion Park Boulevard. Map Ref: 4



Best Western Zion Park Inn

Booking Code: ZIOBW43673

This is the largest complex within Zion Park, standing in the shadows of the towering red rock cliffs of Navajo Sandstone. You'll be just 1.5 miles west of the entrance to the park and the Inn is one of the stops on the complimentary shuttle route, so travel there is easy. In this property the great outdoors meets modern comforts and this ambience runs throughout the Zion Park Inn. The rooms are tastefully decorated and have some stunning views and the Switchback Grille is the perfect place for breakfast. There is also a gift shop, putting green, basketball court and deli on the site.



OUR OPINION

This premier lodging choice offers spectacular scenery, along with excellent amenities and comfortable rooms. The Zion Park Inn is the largest facility within the park.

Prices from: £579

Extra night prices from: £22