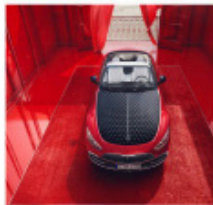


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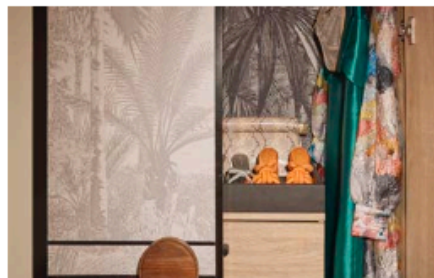
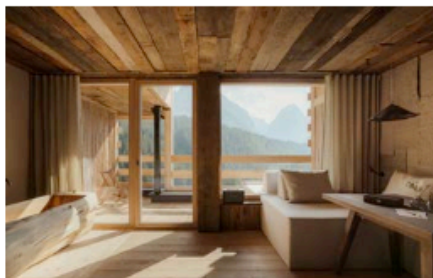
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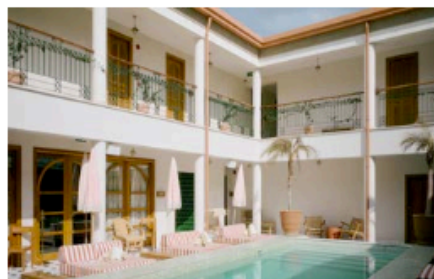
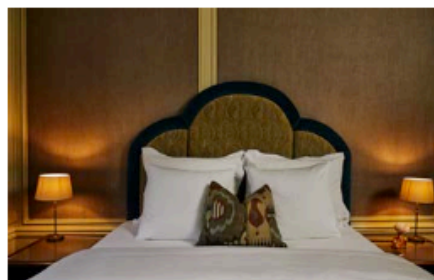
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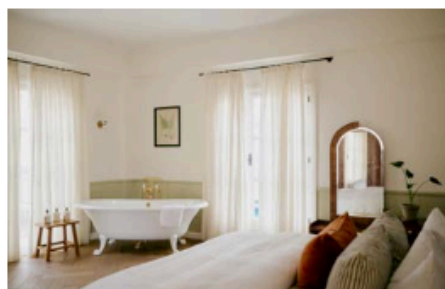
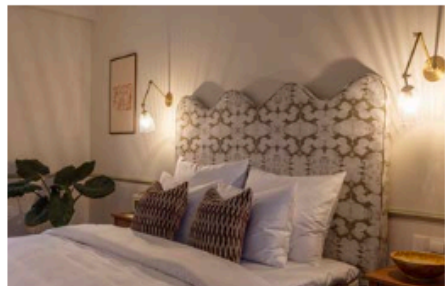


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## THE AGORA HOTEL

LEFKARA, CYPRUS



Set within the village of Lefkara in Cyprus, The Agora hotel sits within the winding cobbled streets of the ancient village – situated at the foot of the Troodos Mountains, 650 meters above sea level. The town is imbued with a deep sense of history and is influenced by centuries of Italians, Greeks, Turkish, and Venetian merchants, making it feel both familiar and at the same time a new place to discover.

Agora translates to ‘a place to gather’, and as a former marketplace the owners have created a new gathering spot in this adults only luxury boutique hotel of 18 rooms. The hotel remains anchored to the community while welcoming travelers who wish to explore Cyprus and delve into the magic of this corner of the island.

The design of the hotel respects the heritage of the

building and surrounding village yet offers interiors that feel like you have stepped into the home of a well-traveled friend. Guest rooms provide a deeper sense of low-key luxury with thoughtful details. There is a touch of colonial style elements using materials like rattan, bamboo and wood, while terracotta and limestone accents create a cozy yet airy feeling.

“Luxury is in the smaller more refined places, a less extravagant more detailed approach. We wanted to create a place where you really feel at home and where we can spoil our guests in a personal way,” says owner Emilie Green Novél who designed the hotel.

The hotel offers three types of rooms: Petite Rooms are a snug home base, while Demi Rooms offer a more spacious experience. Grand Rooms are the largest and boast a free-standing cast iron bathtub in

the room. To ensure the best possible rest, mattresses are from the renowned Swedish bed manufacturer Duxiana.

Bed linens are private label organic satin cotton from Portugal and plush towels are thick organic cotton. Each room is furnished with a 43’ inch TV, wooden shutters, and FRAMA self-care products made of natural, hand-picked ingredients. The design borrows from the local accents and colors that are always a hallmark of a destination such as the sea green hand sewn accents on robes.

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