

[Spend a Beautiful Evening in Paso Robles](#)

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When your car arrives under the portico at [La Bellasera Hotel & Suites](#) in Paso Robles, CA, you might become confused. As the doorman assists with the luggage, you'll be tempted to ask him, "Did I make a wrong turn? Am I on the [Mediterranean coast](#) instead of the central California coast?"

With design elements reminiscent of Tuscany and the Mediterranean, La Bellasera Hotel & Suites rivals the luxurious setting of European boutique hotels, with service to match. After walking beside an exterior rock water feature, enter the lobby with its stone floors and comfortable seating. On Friday and Saturday nights, you'll find hotel guests socializing during complimentary wine tastings with local winemakers.

Thoughtfully designed, over-sized guest rooms provide every convenience including a computer with wireless keyboard that also works on the flat panel television. Besides a fully-stocked mini bar, guests have their own refrigerator. Of course the normal luxury touches are present—pillow-top mattresses, high thread count linens, down comforters, plush robes and spa-grade private label bath amenities. With sixty rooms containing a variety of design elements, including fireplaces, whirlpool spas and balconies, choose a room with features that are important to you. La Bellasera has even included a floor plan of each room type on their website to make your decision an easy one.

While traveling on a coastal California road trip with my husband, La Bellasera Hotel & Suites hosted us as we [explored the wine country](#) of Paso Robles. But, I'll be honest, with accommodations where our every need had been anticipated, it was hard to walk out the door each morning.



We stayed in a [king studio spa suite](#) where a large jacuzzi spa tub sat in columned splendor in a corner of the living area. The bathroom included a large walk-in shower with massage shower-head. I appreciated the lights underneath the bathroom vanity which made a convenient night light. And the balcony was the perfect place to share a glass of Paso Robles vinted wine in the late afternoon.

For dinner, why leave La Bellasera when you can dine at Enoteca Bar and Restaurant? Choose a table in front of the fireplace or outside, as we did, on the covered patio. Try Chef Thomason's signature dish, coconut crusted halibut with pineapple curried cream; it's delicious. Enoteca also serves breakfast and lunch.

When it's time to relax after touring all those Paso Robles wineries, swim in the heated pool or lounge in front of the outdoor fireplace. Of course you can always exercise in the fitness room. Plus, spa services are also available in La Bellasera's spa treatment room or in your accommodations.

So you can see why we had a hard time fitting in all that there is to do and see in Paso Robles. We could barely tear ourselves away from La Bellasera Hotel & Suites. The boutique hotel certainly lived up to its Italian name when we returned each afternoon to La Bellasera – a beautiful evening.

If you go:

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