



OUT & ABOUT IN SAN FRANCISCO

Castro / Upper Market



Castro, Diamond Heights/Twin Peaks, Glen Park, Noe Valley, Upper Market San Francisco's historic F-Line streetcars are one of the best ways to reach the Castro and Upper Market areas. The Castro, known at the "gay capital of the world," and nearby Noe Valley, offer village-like amenities including pedestrian-friendly streets, Victorian homes in historic Eureka Valley, an array of trendy stores and outdoor cafes for the "see and scene" crowd. The upper stretch of Market Street coils around the lower reaches of Twin Peaks. Noted for their sweeping vistas of the Bay Area, these crests are popular with sightseers. Glen Park on the lower slopes of Diamond Heights has a canyon park and is near a Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) station. "Did you know the exact center of San Francisco is located at 20th and Douglass streets?"







Welcome to the gay capital of the world. Rainbow flags, brightly painted Victorian houses and a vibrant retail, restaurant and nightlife district make the Castro the ultimate LGBT destination.

SEE & DO

San Francisco Gay Men's Chorus The Castro Theatre Cruisin' the Castro Tours SF LGBT Community Center

EAT

Bisou French Bistro Catch Destino Harvey's The Sausage Factory

See the rest of the neighborhood

SHOP

The Levi's Store Diesel Cliff's Variety Body Citizen

YATS

Edwardian San Francisco Hotel Casa Luna SF The Parker Guest House 24 Henry and Village House Guest Houses

DRINK

SF Badlands Midnight Sun The Café Lookout Trigger







South of Market, or SOMA, is an eclectic mix of sleek nightclubs, chic restaurants, world-class cultural attractions, and the nation's most scenic ballpark. A hub for the leather community, the neighborhood also hosts the annual Folsom Street Fair.

SEE & DO

GLBT Historical Society SFMOMA Yerba Buena Center for the Arts Museum of the African Diaspora Contemporary Jewish Museum

EAT

Asia SF supperclub san francisco Chez Papa Resto Town Hall Ame

SHOP

Westfield San Francisco Centre Bloomingdale's Nordstrom Stormy Leather Jeremys

STAY

W San Francisco InterContinental San Francisco Good Hotel Hotel Palomar The St. Regis San Francisco

DRINK

XYZ Bar The Endup Lone Star Saloon Press Club The Stud Bar







While the city's eastern waterfront offers sweeping views of downtown skyscrapers and the Bay Bridge, its crown jewel is the Ferry Building—a foodie mecca featuring a vast farmers market as well as shops specializing in everything from wine to chocolate to cheese.

SEE & DO

Teatro ZinZanni Hornblower Cruises and Events Historic F-Line Streetcars Peter Pan Alcatraz Cruises

EAT

La Mar Cebicheria Peruana One Market Restaurant Chaya Brasserie Waterfront Restaurant The Slanted Door

SHOP

Ferry Building Marketplace Embarcadero Center Ferry Plaza Farmers Market

STAY

Hotel Vitale, a Joie de Vivre Hotel Harbor Court Hotel Hyatt Regency San Francisco Hotel Griffon

DRINK

Gordon Biersch Brewery Americano The Cosmopolitan Butterfly Perry's on the Embarcadero





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