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**ROCKPORT'S EMERSON INN BY THE SEA NAMED TO BEST  
UNDISCOVERED INNS FOR ROMANCE LIST**  
*Restored Grand Hotel, named among top inns for romance  
offers the gift of getaway for Valentine's Day*

Rockport, MA – The Emerson Inn by the Sea was named among the Best Undiscovered Inns for Romance, according to the official 2006 list distributed by BedandBreakfast.com (<http://www.bedandbreakfast.com/about/press.aspx>). The Emerson Inn by the Sea was among four inns mentioned in New England, and the only Massachusetts inn to make the esteemed BedandBreakfast.com Best Undiscovered Inns for Romance list. According to editors at BedandBreakfast.com, who made their selections after visiting inns throughout the country, *“This restored grand hotel offers a seaside respite with enclosed balconies, spa tubs, and fine dining, plus gorgeous Atlantic Ocean views. Special packages make winter and spring perfect times for affordable romantic getaways.”*

“It was a privilege for our editors to have the opportunity to visit Emerson Inn by the Sea, and include this restored inn on the list of Best Undiscovered Inns for Romance,” said Sandy Soule, Editor of BedandBreakfast.com. “We look for the real gems for this annual list, and Emerson Inn by the Sea was a great choice among New England inns,” finished Soule.

This Valentine's Day, it may be cold out side, but romance is burning at the Emerson Inn by the Sea. Those seeking the perfect romantic getaway for Valentine's Day can take advantage of Emerson Inn by the Sea's Valentine's package including two nights overnight accommodations (must include February 11 or 14), a bottle of sparkling beverage, chocolate covered strawberries, a four-course special Valentine's Day dinner for two at The Grand Cafe and a deluxe continental breakfast for two the next morning. Rates for the overnight package range from \$344.00 to \$672.00 per couple depending on room type. For those who'd rather make just a night of it, the four-course Valentine's Day dinner will be served February 11 and 14 to inn guests and the public by reservation for \$55 per person.

Can't make it over Valentine's Day? Emerson Inn by the Sea gift certificates let you to WOW your Valentine now, and plan your getaway for a quieter time. Give the gift of romance at Emerson Inn by the Sea to your Valentine who loves the finest things in life.

The Emerson Inn by the Sea is Cape Ann's only grand bed and breakfast hotel. Overlooking the Atlantic Ocean, this lovely historic resort offers amenities for the perfect romantic getaway, vacation, conference or function. Appealing to everyone from intimate couples to corporate travelers, the inn offers 36 lovely guest rooms, fine dining in The Grand Cafe, and with Rockport's first liquor license, full-service function capabilities and a wide selection of popular wines and spirits. Adjacent cottages reveal

ocean-view accommodations with amenities for families, small corporate groups or reunions. Today, Emerson Inn by the Sea offers vacationers and business travelers a respite with the quality and legacy of America's finest philosopher. For more information on Valentine's Day dinner or overnight getaway packages at Emerson Inn by the Sea, visit [www.emersoninnbythesea.com](http://www.emersoninnbythesea.com) or call 800-964-5550 for reservations.

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