

CASA MANNI ROMA

The Ultimate Roman Lifestyle

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On November 2009, Armando Manni will unveil Casa MANNI Roma, an exclusive penthouse for two in the historic heart of Rome that offers the best of modern comfort and design by world-renowned architect Adam D. Tihany. Located atop a picturesque 17th-century palazzo in Via di Pietra, a pedestrian street three minutes' walk from the Trevi Fountain and the Pantheon, it provides guests with what no 5-star hotel can: an authentic experience of Rome tailored to their every need, unparalleled access to the city's top arbiters of culture and style, and absolute privacy.

Manni is an award-winning film director and an avid collector of Italian art and wine; he is also creator of the acclaimed MANNI extra-virgin olive oils. With Casa MANNI, he has designed a new kind of luxury hospitality in Rome for friends and special guests who seek the highest level of elegance and refinement. "Over the years," says Armando Manni, a Rome native and resident, "clients and friends have often asked me for advice as they plan trips to Rome. They want the secrets to an authentic experience—Rome for Romans, not for tourists. That was the challenge of Casa MANNI Roma, and we have made it more than a place to stay. It's the ultimate insider experience of Rome and the best of its lifestyle."

The team behind Casa MANNI offers guests unparalleled access to their own Rolodex of individuals who define the best of Roman life and culture: the finest art experts, chefs, tailors, historians, sommeliers, lifestyle and shopping experts, and more. That translates into such unique extras as an appointment with Rome's most acclaimed tailor (who will complete a suit in two days), invitations to private sales and ateliers, insider-treatment at Rome's most fabulous spa (right in the neighborhood, of course), or a house-call from a Michelin-star chef, as well as any number of customized tours and tutorials to explore the worlds of art, archaeology, food, and wine.

The exquisitely decorated penthouse measures nearly 900 square feet (84 square meters), with living room, bedroom, and fully equipped kitchen. The *terrazzo* offers breathtaking views of old Rome, but every window of Casa MANNI looks at history. The shower, with a mosaic by Tihany, looks spectacularly on the Column of Marcus Aurelius. Fresh flowers are brought in daily, as is a traditional Roman breakfast of warm *cornetto* (croissant) and frothy cappuccino.

Casa MANNI is more than a place to stay in Rome. Casa MANNI is an *experience* of Rome.

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