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The 8 Most Beautiful Places in the World to Travel This August

From Bermuda to Norway, these bucket list destinations should be on your radar this summer.

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Even though summer *officially* ends in late September, Labor Day Weekend signals that evenings [grilling alfresco](#) and beach weekends are soon coming to an end for most people in the Northern Hemisphere. However, we think August is actually the ideal time to end the season with a bang before the kids go back to school and life gets hectic again—so why not take one more leisurely vacation to soak up the final few dog days of summer?

Here, we've compiled the best places to travel in August around the world. From Maine to Turkey and Bermuda to Norway, here are some of the most beautiful and culturally rich destinations to visit in August.



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Charlottesville, Virginia

Whether you want to spend a day on the [Monticello Wine Trail](#), play golf on one of the nearby championship courses, or take a private sunset flight over the Blue Ridge Mountains, Virginia's idyllic countryside is a treat in the late summer.

There's so much history and culture here to take in—three founding fathers have homes in Charlottesville and there are incredible museums and historical sites honoring the legacy of Native American and African American people from the region. The area is also home to [Michie Tavern](#), a colonial-era tavern where you can still eat and drink today (the menu features authentic southern recipes that were actually served during the 18th century).

WHERE TO STAY: KESWICK HALL