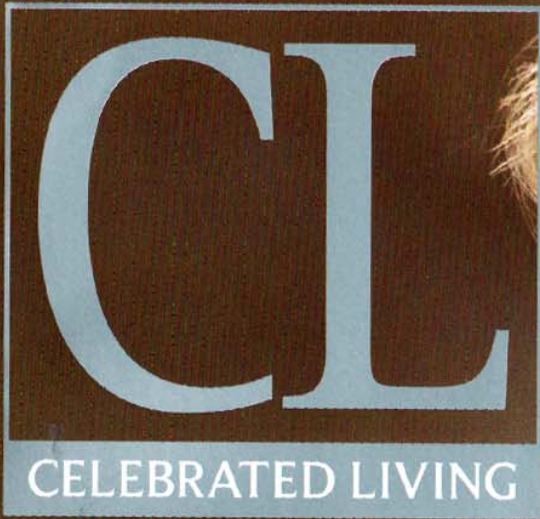


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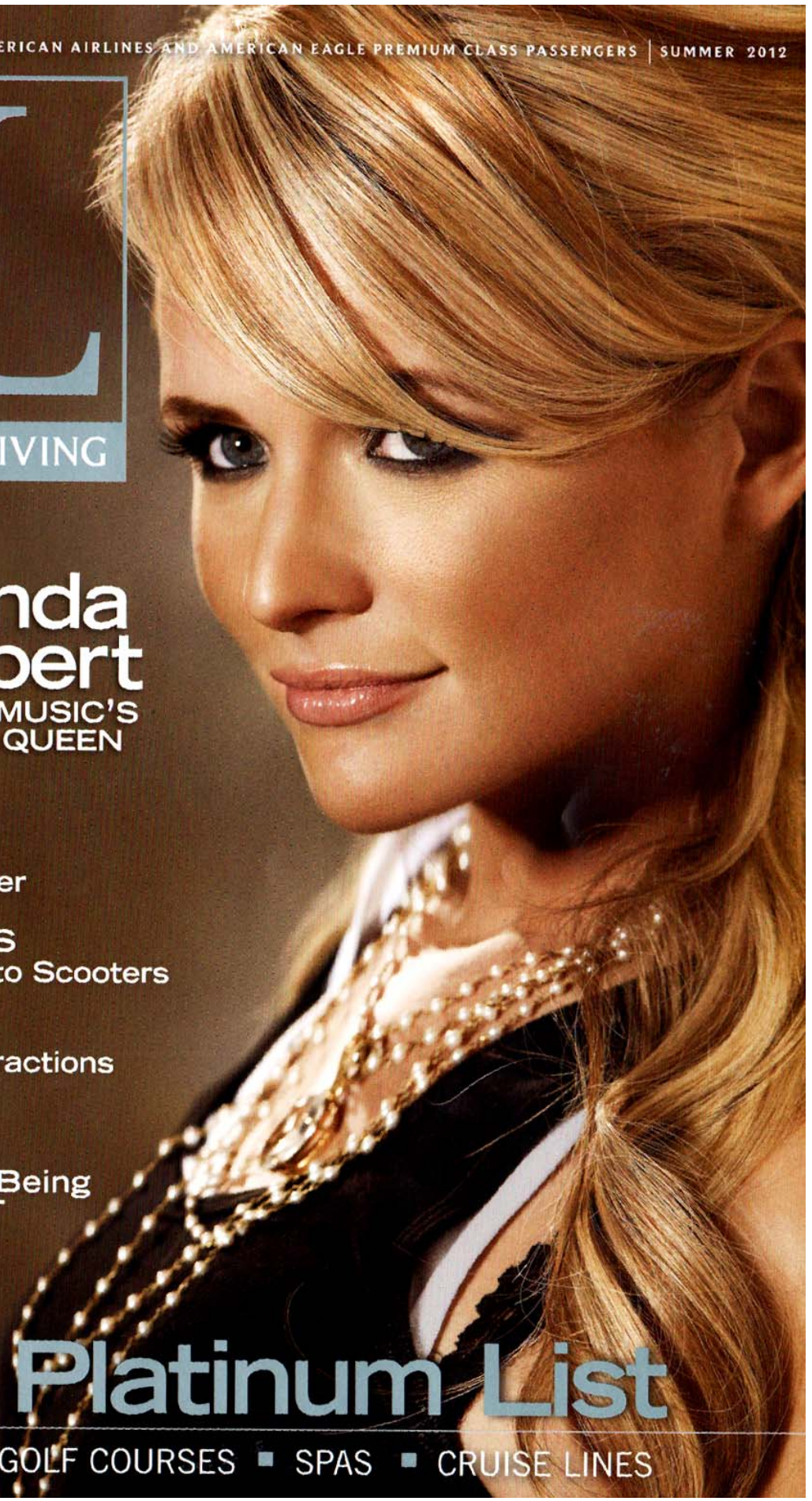
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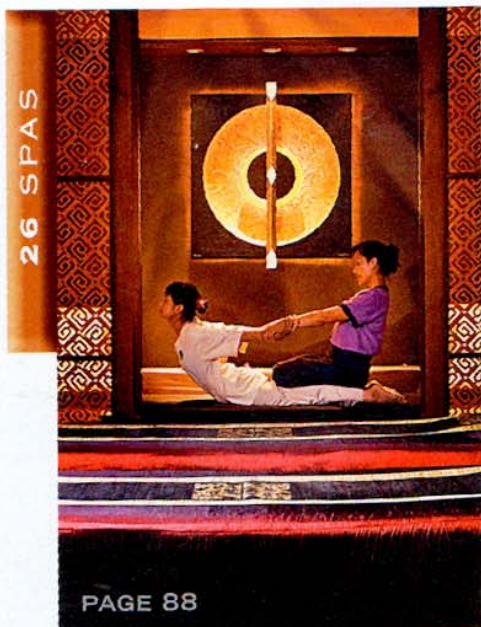
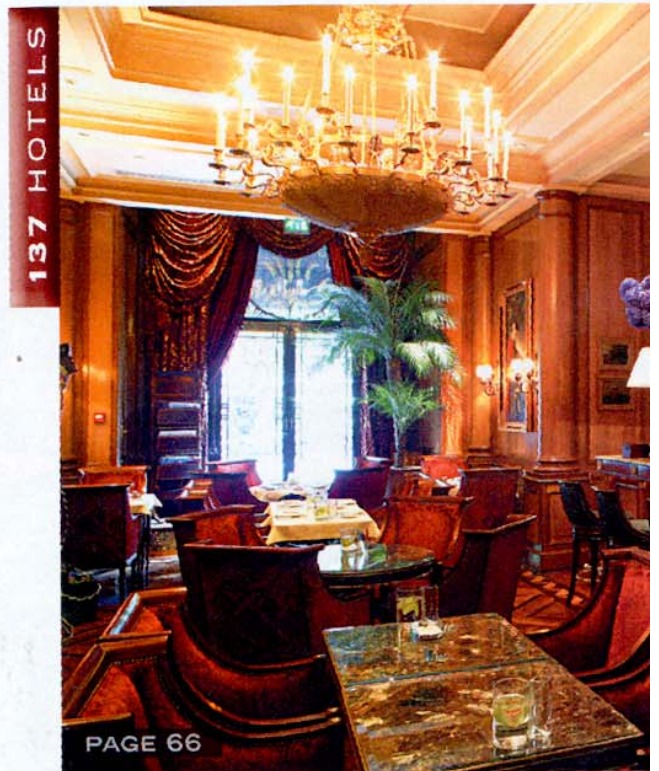
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Here it is: *Celebrated Living's* Readers' Choice Platinum List, an annual compilation of the best hotels, golf courses, spas, and cruise lines as chosen by you — our travel-savvy readers. No matter where in the world you are headed next, for business or for pleasure, this comprehensive guide will help you get there in style. ▶

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Readers' Choice Platinum List

The Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise

from chef Daniel Boulud, and a new location in trendy Yorkville.

For the Latin American favorite, the **JW MARRIOTT CANCUN RESORT & SPA**, sense of place is equal parts climate and culture, the focuses, respectively, of two new initiatives: the palapa-covered Beach Bar, which serves ceviche and fish sandwiches, along with margaritas, and Mayan-inspired spa treatments including a healing massage and ground-corn exfoliation. Down the beach, **THE RITZ-CARLTON CANCUN** newly offers chef-led market tours, followed by a Yucatan cooking lesson in the culinary center.

Culinary changes at several Four Seasons Hotels and Resorts,

including the **FOUR SEASONS PUNTA MITA**, which just opened a Latin coastal grill from chef Richard Sandoval, feature restaurants that are more casual than in the past, with a flair for local flavors.

"We need to make sure it's not just hotel guests, but that we attract local audiences," explained the Four Seasons' marketing chief Susan Helstab.

Linking guests with the best in the business, be it in the culinary area or on the fairways, is another trend driving high-end hotels. In Los Cabos, **ONE&ONLY PALMILLA** recently unveiled its PGA Tour Academy, featuring private, group, or family lessons. ▶



JW Marriott Cancun Resort & Spa

HOTELS

## Top 5 Canada

1. **The Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise**  
(866) 540-4413,  
fairmont.com/lakelouise
2. **The Fairmont Chateau Whistler**  
(800) 606-8244,  
fairmont.com/whistler
3. **Four Seasons Hotel Toronto**  
(800) 819-5053,  
fourseasons.com/toronto
4. **Four Seasons Hotel Vancouver**  
(800) 819-5053,  
fourseasons.com/vancouver
5. **The Fairmont Banff Springs**  
(800) 257-7544,  
fairmont.com/banffsprings

## Top 10 Mexico/ Central America/ South America

1. **JW Marriott Cancun Resort & Spa**  
(888) 813-2776,  
jwmarriottcancunresort.com
2. **Alvear Palace Hotel, Buenos Aires**  
011-54-11-4808-2100,  
alvearpalace.com
3. **The Ritz-Carlton, Cancun**  
(800) 241-3333,  
ritzcarlton.com/cancun
4. **Four Seasons Hotel Buenos Aires**  
(800) 819-5053,  
www.fourseasons.com/buenosaires
5. **One&Only Palmilla, Los Cabos**  
(877) 472-5645,  
oneandonlypalmilla.com
6. **Copacabana Palace, Rio de Janeiro**  
(800) 237-1236,  
copacabanapalace.com.br
7. **CasaMagna Marriott Cancun Resort** (tie)  
(800) 228-9290,  
casamagnacancun.com
7. **Las Ventanas al Paraíso,  
A Rosewood Resort, Los Cabos** (tie)  
(888) 767-3966, lasventanas.com
9. **Inkaterra Machu Picchu  
Pueblo Hotel, Peru**  
(866) 242-2889, inkaterra.com
10. **Las Brisas Acapulco** (tie)  
(800) 223-6800, brisas.com.mx
10. **The Ritz-Carlton, Santiago, Chile** (tie)  
(800) 542-8680,  
ritzcarlton.com/santiago