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Eating Napa

Just a stone's throw from the Sun.Sea.Strip lies one of the world's most captivating culinary capitals. This winter, head up north and treat yourself to some of the Napa Valley's famous fare.

Story by CAROLE DIXON

Northern California's local wine country has been making waves on the culinary map since local pioneer Chef Philippe Jeanty first hit the Napa radar with *Domaine Chandon* in the 1980s, up to present day with Chef Thomas Keller's multiple venues in Yountville. With dozens of world-class restaurants just off the vine-covered backroads and highways, gourmards travel here year-round for fine dining and stay in five-star accommodations with spa treatments. The allure is just as seductive now for visitors as sipping and swirling the award-winning wines during the fall harvest and crush season.

Yountville, or Kellerville as some locals call it, is the crowning jewel of

the region and home of Keller's three-Michelin starred *The French Laundry*, as well as his *Bouchon* bistro and bakery and the new family-style *Ad Hoc*. Plans are also underway for Keller to open a burger and bottle (as in wine) bar. While Keller may have seemingly taken over the town, don't overlook other local talent like Chef Richard Reddington at *Redd*, Chef Bob Hurley at *Hurley's Restaurant & Bar* or Jeanty's *Bistro Jeanty*. You can easily walk the town's main street and taste your way through some of best food and wines available within this one-mile radius.

Check local calendar listings with the *Yountville Chamber of Commerce* as year-round foodie events abound, such as the *Mustard Festival* each spring,