



Tlaquepaque Arts & Shopping Village

SEDONA SHOPPING GUIDE

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Finding the perfect gifts for your loved ones is a big part of the holiday season. If you're searching for a one-of-a-kind or a unique present, Sedona is chock full of colorful boutiques and shops where you can find an array of quality, one-of-a-kind products. Organized by location, here's our Sedona shopping guide.
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Esteban's



Vino Zona

South of the “Y”

Tlaquepaque Arts & Shopping Village

Fashioned after a Mexican village, Tlaquepaque Arts & Shopping Village is filled with more than 50 colorful boutiques. We've spent many hours strolling through this centrally located shopping center wandering in and out of the many stores here and enjoying the window shopping. The setting is charming. Think lush well-manicured landscaping and fountains throughout the property, cream-colored buildings, ivy-covered walls and windows showcasing the beautiful wares inside. Take a closer look inside a handful of Tlaquepaque's shops.

336 AZ-179, 928-282-4838, tlaq.com

Bella Fine Goods' name is an apt description of what you'll find inside. We could literally spend all day just browsing the selection here. Find hand-tooled bags, custom-made benches, luxe candles, high-end furniture, earrings from Ink + Alloy, alpaca throws in a variety of colors and an heirloom cutting board from Larch Wood.

One of Tlaquepaque's newest residents is **BowWow Sedona**, a dog boutique that opened in October. BowWow carries pet apparel, pet care products and accessories. Specific brands you may find include Hurtt outdoor gear, Chilly Dog, Diva Dog, Hip Doggie, Natural Dog and Fox + Hound.

If all that shopping has made you tired, you can perk up with a warm beverage from **The Chai Spot**. Try the traditional Chai or consider ordering one of the more adventurous flavors like Coconut Rose or Butter Chai.

Esteban's opened its doors in 1974, making it one of the very first shops in Tlaquepaque. Esteban's stocks decorative and functional pottery from over 50 different artists that are predominately local. Find handmade ceramic bowls, vases and cups in an array of colorful designs here. Wind bells and wall art complete the inventory. Signs saying “Made in Arizona” sit throughout the shop if you're looking for that truly local present.

It's always Christmas-time over at **Feliz Navidad**. Plenty of the ornaments here have a Southwest spin. Think bulbs painted with scenes of Sedona's red rocks, snowy cactus ornaments and even a Cathedral Rock Polish Glass ornament. This shop has one other location in Uptown Sedona.

Kuivato Glass Art Gallery's name says it all. Expect to find a variety of handmade glass creations here. Discover vases and chandeliers in a variety of colors and styles hanging high from the ceiling. See work from artists including AmusinGlass by Pilisa, Randy Walker, Paradise Glass Works, David Patchen, Jenny Floravita and Melanie Leppla.

Renee Taylor includes a collection of three galleries – all at Tlaquepaque – filled with contemporary, striking artwork. The **Renee Taylor Gallery** features modern artwork in metal, canvas and multi-media formats. See colorful, masterful paintings from Cheryl Martin and steel metal wall art from Peter Skidd.



Vue Gallery

Crystal Magic Sedona



Even if you don't step foot inside, watching Lyman Whitaker's signature wind sculptures spin as the wind blows outside of the **Vue Gallery**, located across from the Renee Taylor Gallery, is always a treat. Inside the gallery, you'll find bronze, steel, copper and canvas artwork in a variety of sizes. You'll also find jewelry in silver, gold and steel under a glass case near the front of the shop.

If you're searching for a bottle of Arizona wine to gift a friend or loved one, consider paying a visit to **Vino Zona**. This shop specializes in small-batch, grape-to-glass wines. The tasting menu rotates regularly, and there's bound to be a bottle that will soon become your favorite. Find limited-edition wines like the 2018 Malvasia Bianca from the Southwest Wine Center in nearby Clarkdale.

Tlaquepaque North

Just across the street from Tlaquepaque is Tlaquepaque North. This is the home of **The Artist's Kitchen Shop**, a place where you can stock up on just about any kitchen accessory you can dream of. Find products from all over the world including Poland, France, Italy, Germany, Portugal and Israel. The variety of top brands here is impressive. Find white trays, cake stands, serving trays and salad bowls from Portugal's Costa Nova. Another highlight is the stainless steel Staub Cocotte – perhaps the most stylish way to prepare and serve slow-cooked meats and simmering hearty stews and soups.

Discover an array of dazzling jewelry under the glass cases at **Renee Taylor Jewelry**. Think striking, gold cuffs from Evocateur; Amethyst, topaz and citrine rings from Fusion Designs; gold rings from Alex Sepkus. But no matter what case you're looking at, there's sure to be a piece that wows you.

Crystal Magic

You'll see crystals galore in just about every size, shape and color at **Crystal Magic**. Find natural, polished and tumbled crystals at this shop that has been in business since 1986. Jewelry, meditation tools, books and home and body products also line this store's shelves. Crystal Magic also has some striking home décor. White and sturdy selenite cylinder tea light holders would look fabulous on just about any coffee table. This shop also offers a plethora of local products including soaps in a variety of scents like Sage & Spirit and Cactus & Sage from Pie Town Soap Co. and jewelry like a turquoise Amazonite Ring from Starborn Creations.

2978 W. AZ-89A, 928-282-1622, crystallmagic.com

Hummingbird House

Every inch of the **Hummingbird House** exudes quaint charm. Located in the Historic Hart Store on Brewer Road, each room of the Hummingbird House is filled with treasures chosen by owner Annemarie Hunter. If you're looking for nods to the building's



A Step Up



Looking West

past, the original water-wall is still on property. Inside, you'll find a carefully curated selection of garden and patio, art, antiques, home décor, bath, body, baby and kitchen items. Over the holidays, you can find festive ornaments, candles and other specialty goods to brighten your spirits.

100 Brewer Road, 928-282-0705,
hummingbirdhouse-sedona.com

Hillside Sedona Shopping Center

Find galleries, restaurants and shops at the centrally located Hillside Sedona Shopping Center. Our favorite thing to do here is to sit outside at one of the public tables overlooking the red rocks. Firepits make this place extra toasty during the chilly months. Here are two of our favorite Hillside shops.

671 AZ-179, 480-998-5025, hillsidesedona.com

Stan Rose Images

Find a variety of breathtaking landscape photography at **Stan Rose Images**. Stan Rose worked in the 1980s and 1990s as an acrylic painter and shifted to photographing epic Western landscapes in the 2000s. After a 14-year career forecasting the weather for the National Weather Service, Stan resigned in 2016 to become a full-time nature photographer. Take home photos of Bell Rock illumi-

nated by a lightning strike, Cathedral Rock lit up beneath the night's sky and purple wildflowers with red rocks in the background.

Dellepiane Burgers

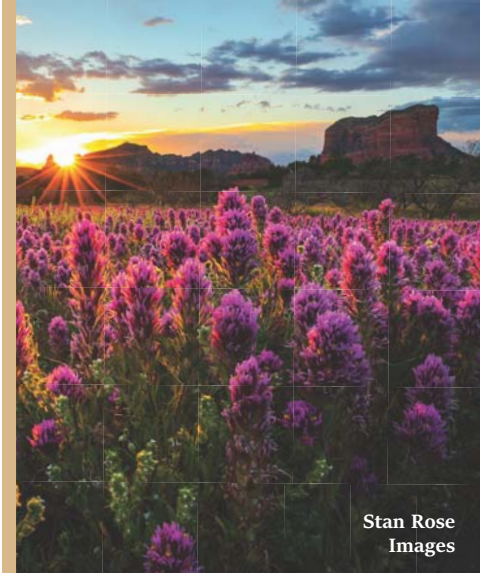
As you may have guessed from this restaurant's name, burgers are the stars of this menu. **Dellepiane** also has another location in Argentina. You can see that Argentinian flair on the menu with items like empanadas.

A Step Up

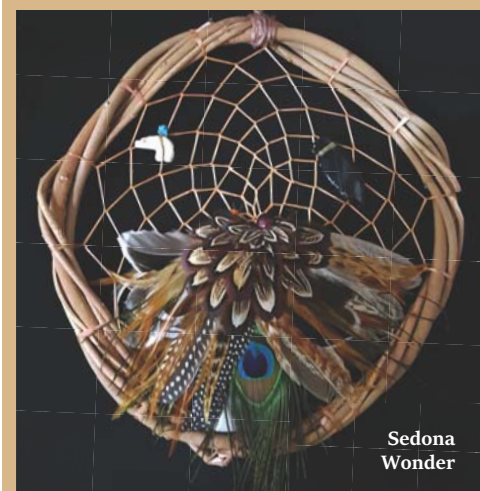
A Step Up offers European footwear that's both stylish and comfortable. Many of this shop's lines including Pas de Rouge, Paul Green, BeautiFeel, Arche and A.S.98 are hard to find—making this the place to stock up on unique shoes. We personally cannot get enough of the vast selections of stylish boots here. The entire staff even bought an ivy-colored green zip-up distressed suede made-in Spain Magritte by Eric Michael with a beaded strap over the laces.

Uptown Sedona

Bustling Uptown Sedona beckons with an array of colorful shops, restaurants and not to mention, red rock views everywhere. Here are some select shops in town worth your time.



Stan Rose Images



Sedona Wonder

Body Bliss
Factory Direct



Body Bliss Factory Direct

Discover more than 300 locally made bath and body products from Body Bliss Factory Direct. Body Bliss actually supplies products to many top area spas. Stock up on Lavender & Blue Chamomile Soothing Hand Soap, Organic Lemon & Pomegranate Nail Serum and Prickly Pear Pomegranate Age Defense Hand Cream. In addition to the bath products, find more than 150 crystals and gemstones and turquoise jewelry.

320 N. AZ-89A, Ste. Q, 928-282-1599,
bodyblissfactorydirect.com

Looking West

Looking West is a women's clothing boutique with Western flair. Find cowboy boots, leather handbags, hats, aviator sunglasses and shawls featuring Southwestern prints. Bargain hunters can find steals here with steep discounts on plenty of rotating inventory.

242 N. AZ-89A, 928-282-4877

Sedona's Tree House

Sedona's Tree House features work from more than 20 artists hailing from Sedona and Arizona. The theme here is Earthy. The best example of this is the centerpiece of the shop is a light-

wrapped artificial tree. Purchase bronze bonsai trees, vases inlaid with turquoise and hand-carved coconut shells.

333 N. AZ-89A, #6, 928-282-0556, sedonastreehouse.com

Sedona Memories Bakery Café

For a quick bite, pop into **Sedona Memories Bakery Café** for one of this spot's signature sandwiches. Find turkey, tuna salad and Italian sammies. Look forward to a daily special. Finish off your meal with a homemade chocolate chip cookie. This spot is open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. from Monday to Saturday.

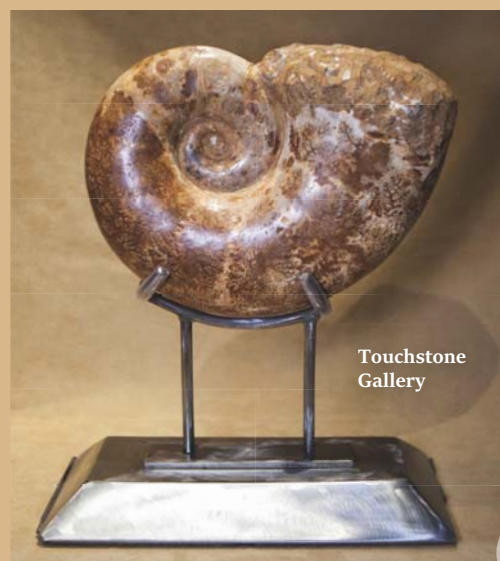
321 Jordan Road, 928-282-0032

Sedona Wonder Gallery & Gifts

Sedona Wonder Gallery & Gifts is easily recognizable by the rainbow-colored benches outside. The products inside this store are equally as colorful and feature affordably priced arts and crafts that are made by artists mostly from Sedona and Cottonwood. The shop works with over 50 creators who craft bowls, earrings and other goods. Bestsellers include night sky photography by Robert Shuman and Day of The Dead art by Dennis Mead. Sedona Wonder is the exclusive Sedona outlet for Dennis's fantasy-style Dia de Los Muertos paintings. During the entire month of December, all customers receive a compli-



Todd Frame Gallery



Touchstone Gallery



One World Collection:
Phoenix Two Moons

mentary toy lizard with purchase. Yes. You read that right. Owner Mike Blevins tells us that some people return annually just to get the lizard. During December, all wire-wrapped jewelry is also 30 percent off. Locals get discounts too.

273 N. AZ-89A, Ste. F, 928-239-5353, SedonaWonder.com

Todd Frame Gallery

Sedona photographer Todd Frame opened his own gallery back in October, the **Todd Frame Gallery**. Located in Uptown Sedona, the Todd Frame Gallery showcases Todd's stunning landscape photography. Throughout December, customers can receive 20 percent off wall prints that are 20 by 30 inches or larger.

390 N. AZ-89A, Ste. 3, 901-273-7188, toddframe.com

Touchstone Gallery

Touchstone Gallery sells a colorful array of natural, artistic pieces that are literally from the Earth. Think fossils, petrified wood and amethyst. Nature-inspired home décor items include petrified wood cocktail tables, hand-carved cave onyx vessels and stunning contemporary glass art vases.

Over the holidays, Touchstone Gallery offers a "free gift" (either

a tumbled green peridot, Arizona's gemstone, or a piece of petrified "rainbow" wood, Arizona's state fossil) with every purchase. The shop also offers special discounts for local residents, military service providers, educators/students and seniors, plus special gift packaging. Our holiday specials include "white glove" service on major purchases, multiple item discounts and a free "real time" personal shopping assistant for virtual visitors and return clients.

320 N. AZ-89A, Ste. 14, 928-204-4405, touchstonegalleries.com

The Shops at Piñon Pointe

The Shops at Piñon Pointe is perhaps best known as the home of Sedona's answer to the Hard Rock Café, Sound Bites Grill. But this shopping area in Uptown Sedona also has a few choice boutiques. Plus, we love the outdoor seating area where you can soak up the sun and red rock views. Learn more about three of the 18 shops at The Shops at Piñon Pointe.

179 AZ-89A, 928-204-8820

On the racks at **Always on Vacay**, you'll see clothing and other items that encapsulate the resort lifestyle that Arizona is known for. Find men's and women's clothes and accessories in this light-filled store



One World Collection

with expansive red rock vistas. Standout finds include eco-friendly designer sunglasses by Blue Planet, Tommy Bahama resort wear, sustainable repurposed military canvas fashion bags and backpacks and Southwestern wall art from local artist Robson Designs.

Find fashions hailing from Bali, Thailand and Morocco at **One World Collection**. One World focuses on lines that are sustainable and help the people and the planet. And there are plenty of unique gems to be found here. The rompers are hard to keep in stock. Leather artist Phoenix Two Moons also has many of her hand-made bracelets inlaid with gems and chic custom organite shoulder bags that can carry a cell phone.

The M.I.C. (or Music Inspired Collection) carries, you guessed it, all things musical-related. Find guitars on the walls and graphic T-shirts featuring iconic musicians. One highlight is handmade clothing from local Christy Fisher. If her name sounds familiar, she plays live music all over town. On her website, she describes herself as “the seamstress for the band” who dressed the likes of Jimi Hendrix. Find limited edition pieces made from fabrics that were destined for the landfills including patchwork asymmetrical skirts, leggings, tunics and bubble skirts that are all made in Christy’s Jerome studio.

Don’t miss the holiday-appropriate apple cider and hot chocolate at the **Starbites Coffee Cafe**, which opened back in March. Starbites serves Starbucks coffee in addition to small bites like muffins, pastries, sandwiches, wraps and salads. •

One World Collection photo courtesy of One World Collection

ADDITIONAL AREA SHOPS

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Hohzo Distinctive Shops and Galleries,
431 AZ-179

Joe Wilcox Indian Den, 320 N. AZ-89A, Ste. J,
928-282-2661, joewilcoxsedona.com

Flagstaff

Flagstaff Mall, 4650 US-89,
928-526-4827, flagstaffmall.com

Downtown Flagstaff, 6 E. Aspen Ave., Ste. 200,
928-275-2655, downtownflagstaff.org

Aspen Place at the Sawmill, 319 Regent St.,
928-213-1088, reddevelopment.com/aspen-place

Old Town Shops, 120 N. Leroux St.,
928-774-3100, oldtownshops.com

Jerome

Nellie Bly Kaleidoscopes and Art Glass, 136 Main
St., 928-634-0225, nellieblyscopes.com

Jerome UVX Center, 403 Clark St.,
928-351-1040, jeromeuvx.com

Cottonwood

Jim and Ellen’s Rock Shop, 1019 N. Main St.,
928-583-4412, jrockshop.com

Desert Dancer, 529 W. Mingus Ave.,
928-634-2882, desertdancer.com

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