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### **SAN DIEGO MARRIOTT GASLAMP QUARTER HOTEL TOASTS NEW YEAR WITH PARTY, SPECIAL RATE**

*"Bottoms Up 2013" to feature midnight toast, unlimited food and drink, live DJs in lobby and on 22<sup>nd</sup> floor of downtown San Diego hotel*

San Diego, CA – San Diego revelers looking to top last year's New Year's Eve plans can take the celebration to the next level at one of the swankiest events in San Diego – then take the elevator home to one of the city's classiest hotels near Gaslamp.

The [San Diego Marriott Gaslamp Quarter Hotel](#) will throw its "Bottoms Up 2013" celebration starting at 8 p.m. December 31. Festivities begin in the downtown San Diego hotel's award-winning Soleil

@k lobby-level restaurant and Latitude lounge with unlimited well drinks, domestic beers and free-flowing champagne, plus an expansive menu featuring salads; artisan pizzas; a seafood bar with king crab legs, lobster, mussels, oysters, clams, poached shrimp and snow crab claws; and a taco bar with carne asada, pollo asada, achiote shrimp, grilled vegetables and a number of salsas and toppings. DJ David Cutler of Hit It Music Productions will keep guests entertained.

As the clock counts down, [the party moves up](#) – up 22 stories to the San Diego downtown hotel's rooftop bar ALTITUDE Sky Lounge with spectacular views of the city's skyline, San Diego Bay and PETCO Park. The drinks will continue to flow along with great food, including a sushi bar with Nigiri and sashimi rolls; carvings stations with roasted tenderloin and turkey breast; and mouth-watering desserts with cookies, truffles, assorted petit fours and a

chocolate fountain. A midnight toast with plenty of complimentary party favors will take place when the clock strikes midnight. DJ Rage, known as the San Diego Chargers' official deejay, will spin partiers into 2013.

Tickets are \$150 per person and can be purchased on the San Diego Gaslamp hotel's special event website at [www.bottomsup2013.com](http://www.bottomsup2013.com). Participants must be 21 years or older.

The Gaslamp hotel will offer celebrants a special room rate starting at \$299 so guests can stay the night in the comforts of one of 291 rooms or 15 suites. Guest rooms feature one king or two double beds with pillow-top mattresses topped with down comforters, cotton-rich sheets, custom duvets and plenty of fluffy down and feather pillows. Rooms at the [downtown San Diego hotel](#) also sport 32-inch LCD TVs to watch celebrations all across the world, plus other high-end amenities such as high-speed Internet access (for an additional fee), Marriott's Plug-In technology, CD players, in-room safes and coffeemakers with Starbucks coffee, lighted makeup mirrors, marble bathrooms and Gilchrist & Soames of London Spa Bath amenities.



The New Year's Eve special room rate includes valet parking for one vehicle, so guests won't have to worry about finding a parking space in the crowded Gaslamp Quarter.

Soleil @k will reopen in the morning so guests can start 2013 with a hearty breakfast of eggs benedict, omelets, fresh bakery items, hot or cold cereal, brown sugar waffles or vanilla French toast. Freshly squeezed juices, tasty smoothies, Starbucks coffee and double espressos also will help awaken the spirits of revelers.

**About the San Diego Marriott Gaslamp Quarter**

The San Diego Marriott Gaslamp Quarter sits in the heart of the city's historic district and is within walking distance of the San Diego Convention Center, Petco Park and convenient public transportation hubs. The boutique-style hotel features 291 rooms and 15 suites, five meeting rooms with 8,375 square feet of flexible space, a full-service business center, state-of-the-art rooftop fitness center with Life equipment and dining at Soleil @k along with Latitude and ALTITUDE Sky Lounge. For information, visit [www.marriott.com/SANGL](http://www.marriott.com/SANGL).