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Dubai

Where you can watch the sun set behind the world's tallest building from Dubai Creek Harbour

The Second Home

By Ellen Carpenter



Autumn Serenade

Make leaf-peeping an at-home pursuit at these properties out West



THE LISTING

New York City's Selene

Prefer skyscrapers to trees? This condo at the Selene, a sleek Midtown Manhattan tower designed by Pritzker Architecture Prize winner Norman Foster's firm, Foster + Partners, promises prime views of the City That Never Sleeps through undulating floor-to-ceiling windows. (The unit is part of the building's "sky collection.") The supremely stylish apartment features white oak flooring and Carrara marble counters, while the building's amenities include a 60-foot-long pool, a billiards lounge, and the Michelin-starred Le Jardinier restaurant just downstairs. *Selene, 100 E. 53rd St., Residence 39B, New York City; 1,375 square feet, 1 bedroom, 1.5 bathrooms; \$2.514 million, selenenewyork.com*

THE UPGRADE

Davos Blanket by Loro Piana

Picture yourself on your deck, the sun setting, friends lingering after an impromptu dinner party. It's chilly out, but you don't want the night to end—and a wool blanket would do wonders. Specifically, *this* blanket, made of ultra-luxe, 100 percent virgin wool from Loro Piana, the Italian king of textiles. The autumnal colors and suede border pair perfectly with the season. Maybe buy two? \$1,850, us.loropiana.com

Notion Workshop (Whitetail Club); Williams NY (Selene)

It may not feel like it, but fall is just around the corner—the autumnal equinox is September 23—which means leaf-peepers will soon be venturing out to watch green give way to yellow, orange, and red. Rather than booking a vacation property, why not invest in a home where you can do the peeping from your bedroom window every year?

The Northeast may get all the fall glory, but the West puts on a strong show too. At **Martis Camp**, a private resort community on the California side of Lake Tahoe, aspens and maples stand bright among the firs. Enjoy the splendor while playing 18 holes at the Tom Fazio—designed golf course (it stays open until mid-October) or while mountain biking the property's 26 miles of trails. Currently on the market for a cool \$14.995 million is the striking



modular-designed, seven-bedroom home at 9525 Wawona Court.

Juniper Preserve in Bend, Oregon, is surrounded by 20,000 acres of federally preserved land and offers prime views of the Cascade Range, where the foliage peaks in mid-October. Cozy up at 22887 Ghost Tree Lane (\$1.95 million), which has three bedrooms, a guest casita, and even a secret door leading to a wine cellar. Pour yourself an Oregon pinot noir and take in similar-colored leaves from the covered patio.

Across the Idaho border, in McCall, the private residential community **Whitetail Club** offers phenomenal four-season living. Before the snow falls, autumn is great for trout-fishing in Payette Lake and hiking through the aspen groves in the Salmon River Mountains. Home sites start at just \$415,000, giving you the perfect excuse to design your own autumnal escape.

From top: a view of Idaho's Payette Lake at Whitetail Club; aspens glow yellow at Martis Camp, near Lake Tahoe; a firepit at Juniper Preserve in Bend, Oregon

