

## Sanctuary Camelback Mountain Resort & Spa

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Coming in November, Sanctuary introduces a new Artist in Residence program featuring the work of gifted Santa Fe sculptor Michael Peralta.

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Along with enjoying a dinner and gallery presentation in his honor, guests can stay for the weekend and learn from the artist personally during a hands-on sculpting demonstration.

Artist in Residence Dinner

Saturday, November 17 at 6:30pm

Praying Monk at Sanctuary Camelback Mountain

Three-course dinner by Chef Beau MacMillan  
\$65 per person, plus tax & gratuity  
Reservations at 888.642.8073

The evening offers an opportunity for local art lovers to discover Peralta's work -- which is currently featured in Taos and Santa Fe galleries as well as others in the Midwest. This will be held at Praying Monk, which features spectacular views of Paradise Valley lighting up for the night.

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Make A Weekend Of It

Enjoy a memorable getaway, from the Friday evening reception where Native American hoop dancers set the stage for a Southwestern-themed weekend, through Sunday's two-hour sculpting demo by the artist with our Artist in Residence package\* including:

- Two nights in a spectacular Mountain Vista casita
- Complimentary upgrade to a suite (based on availability)
- "Meet the Artist" reception with hoop-dance performance Friday evening at 5:30pm
- Saturday night reception, three-course dinner and presentation at 6:30pm
- Sunday sculpting demo at noon including an artist-tool gift to take home where Peralta will show firsthand how he works in clay and bronze
- 4:00pm late checkout Sunday to enjoy the weekend to the fullest
- \$699 for two including room tax, dining tax & gratuity
- Stay Sunday for an additional \$199 rate.

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Be sure to request the "Artist In Residence" package when making reservations at 888.642.8073. Package from \$699 for two includes room tax plus dining tax and gratuity. Does not include \$20 nightly resort fee. Subject to limited availability November 16-18, 2012. Must stay Friday and Saturday night to receive Sunday \$199 rate.

### Other Works of Art

Sanctuary is constantly changing the art on display throughout the resort, which may be viewed at the main entrance and elements restaurant as well as in the spa courtyard, meeting areas, guest casitas, and men's and women's spa areas.

Works of art chosen to enhance the natural setting and Asian-inspired architecture are presented in an innovative "Art Partnership" with the Calvin Charles Gallery of Scottsdale, enabling guests who fall in love with a particular work to purchase it for enjoying at home.

To learn more, visit [www.sanctuaryoncamelback.com](http://www.sanctuaryoncamelback.com).