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A LETTER FROM THE PUBLISHER

And so we reach the end of the year, a year none of us could ever have imagined as we clinked Champagne glasses at midnight 12 months earlier, fireworks snap, crackle and popping overhead, their dazzling sparks illuminating the mountains, beaches and city skylines where we were all gathered together, arm in arm, to celebrate. But here at *Condé Nast Traveller*, we have neither the time nor the inclination for sombre reflection on what was; we're all about what will be. And it is in that spirit that our December issue was made, its pages leaping with exuberance, alive with beauty, as we continue to celebrate the very best in travel today and look forward to all that 2021 will bring.

To start with, we're tapping into the senses: feast on a foodie tour of Sri Lanka with Fay Maschler (page 76), open your eyes to Melides, Portugal's under-the-radar arty enclave (page 100), and get elemental with incredible photographs of the frozen and bubbling landscapes of the Arctic north and Hawaii (page 66). Indulge your inner magpie with our annual Watch and Jewellery Special, and be sure to squirrel away our editors' picks of the most amazing winter-sun hotels under £150 for future travel (page 88).

Finally, we're delighted to launch our new podcast series this month, *Escape Routes with Condé Nast Traveller*, sponsored by The Turquoise Holiday Company. Sit back, close your eyes and be transported to the world's most enchanting places as our writers and editors recount their adventures. It's travel writing come to life, and the next best thing to actually being there yourself. Visit [cntraveller.com/podcast](http://cntraveller.com/podcast) to find out more.

Enjoy the issue.

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