

Taking an ocean liner from Southampton to New York was the height of chic in the 1930s.

It's still a classic way to arrive in the city - but even if you travel by plane, you don't need to stint on style once you get there.

Here are four new hotels that make

Manhattan even more of an upmarket destination. Get booked in quickly before their rates soar.

East Side, this hotel opened earlier this summer and is keeping its low introductory prices for the next couple of months. You're just round the corner from some of the best

THE DEAL Rooms from £200 a night.



Riff Chelsea

Back in the 1980s when Madonna stayed here, it was known as the Chelsea Star and was a genuine New York fleapit. Now it's channelling an Eighties vibe in a more 21st century way with a performance space on the ground floor. It has 44 rooms. THE DEAL Rooms From £170 a night. riffhotels.com



Archer Hotel

Head to the rooftop pool of this new hotel in the Garment district and you'll get great views of the Empire State Building and the Chrysler Building. You'll find a posh restaurant on the ground floor and 22 storeys of rooms.

THE DEAL Rooms from £180 a night.

archerhotel.com



Hotel Hugo

On the edge of groovy Soho and close to the Hudson River, this hotel has already seen rates rise but it's still worth a splurge. Rooms are a bit bigger than the norm and there's a glass-enclosed rooftop bar to make the most of the views.

THE DEAL: Rooms from £260 a night batel huseny. Comments and the still huser th hotelhugony.com



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