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ELEGANT VILLAS OF MARTINIQUE

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The Martinique Tourism Authority is thrilled to announce that the island's villa rental offerings are attracting more American visitors than ever in 2014. The new popular trend allows visitors to have more independence and privacy. Ranging from cozy beachfront cottages to high-end villas, there is an option for all budgets.

From elegant properties on top of the hill to quaint residencies toes in the water, Martinique's villa rental offer is expanding. Villas of Martinique attractively combine creole charm, warm hospitality, well equipped living spaces and superb outdoors. In most instances, there are adorned by a private pool... remember, Martinique is the Island of flowers.

When Hollywood scripts call for an exotic, colorful and distinctly Caribbean setting, there's no better choice than Martinique. This vibrant slice of France in the Caribbean combines inspiring natural wonders and a rich cultural heritage, with sublime gastronomy and an ultra-modern infrastructure to create the ultimate Caribbean film location.

Indeed, the critically-acclaimed movie *The Thomas Crown Affair* was filmed on location in Martinique in a villa located in the charming town of Le Vauclin. Visitors wishing to follow in the footsteps of Pierce Brosnan and Renée Russo can rent the villa today.

For more information about villa rental options:

Martinique Tourism Authority

<http://www.martiniquepro.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/06/Vacation-Villas.pdf>

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www.locations-vue-turquoise.com

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www.gites972.com

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www.bungalows-martinique.com

About Martinique (www.martinique.org)

*The Caribbean island with French flair, The Isle of Flowers, The Rum Capital of the World, The Isle of the Famed Poet (Aimé Césaire) – by any one of its many names Martinique remains one of the most alluring and enchanting destinations in the world. It was named “Top Caribbean Island for Delectable Dining” in 2009 by *Caribbean Travel + Life*, and “Best Caribbean Destination” (2010) by About.com. The bay of Fort-de-France, the capital city, is among the most beautiful bays of the world. Martinique is an overseas region of France that stirs the passions with distinctive culinary delights, awe-inspiring natural beauty, a rich cultural history, warm smiles and so much more. Napoleon’s bride, Empress Josephine, was born and raised in Martinique. The Majestic Mt. Pelée volcano and St. Pierre, The Pompeii of the Caribbean are found here. Martinique also offers a dynamic art scene and a wide array of local products. A special place, to be sure, with so much to offer – Martinique c’est magnifique!*