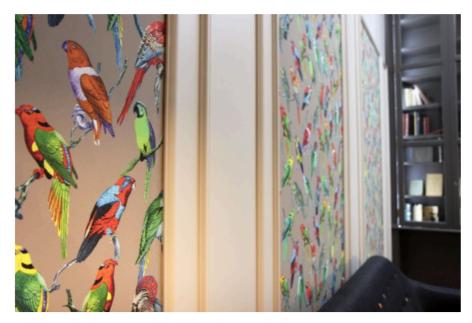


Literary Hotel Gustave Flaubert

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Ideally located in the historic area of Rouen, near Place du Vieux Marché.



The Gustave Flaubert hotel pays tribute to the writer in the city that he was born in and where he spent most of his life. Just like the owner did with Le Swann Paris, the goal is to create a literary hotel in Rouen dedicated to Gustave Flaubert and to share with the guests the passion for the man and his work.

The decoration of the hotel was designed by the architect Aude Bruguière, assisted by Aleth Prime. The floors of the hotel are organized on the theme of the travels that were dear to him. Each floor offers a quote that can make them want to read or to learn more about one of the greatest masters of the French novel.

The rooms are customized around a work, a person, a place or a close friend of Flaubert: Emma Bovary, Frédéric Moreau, Megara, Guy de Maupassant, etc.

An original watercolor signed Jean Aubertin revisits the chosen theme, and Helen Lacoste text gives the guests the wish to know more about the details and quotes from the writer.

Exhibited in the hotel entrance are the original editions of Gustave Flaubert's works and a valuable set of his most famous works.

You can see the first edition of Madame Bovary (Michel Lévy, 1857 with the offending dedication to the lawyer Sénard, spelled Sénart) and Salammbô (Michel Levy, 1863). Then it's L'Éducation sentimentale (Michel Lévy, 1870), La Tentation de saint Antoine (Charpentier, 1874) and Trois contes (Charpentier, 1877).

The library also has original editions of some re-editions, many of which are wonderfully illustrated, as well as exciting studies of René Dumesnil, Henri Guillemin and others.

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