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Lodging (and Art) in Marfa

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The Hotel Saint George has a bookstore. Casey Dunn

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Marfa, the small West Texas town with a big art reputation, has a new place to house its culture-seeking travelers, the just-opened Hotel Saint George. The 55-room hotel takes the place, and the name, of an original 1886 property on the site. The new four-story version features minimalist design, all the better to show off its nearly 300-piece contemporary art collection. Sheepskin rugs, white bedding and original paintings by Mark Flood soften the rooms, which overlook the surrounding desert plateau. A bookstore, restaurant and bar are on the ground floor, and this summer the property will open Farmstand, including a diner, taco stand and farmers' market stalls located across the street, with a pool to be added next year. Rooms start at \$195. ELAINE GLUSAC