



[Le Cadran Solaire](#), Graveson, Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur, France

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Le Cadran Solaire in Provence is a lovely hidden gem in Provence France. The French owners, Elisa and Jean-Claude who retired from careers in engineering and science to run this lovely small hotel could not have been more accommodating or pleasant. They both speak English and were so gracious and helpful in accommodating us with changes in our number of guests and dates. Every time I emailed them they got back to me within a few hours with a solution. They were also personally available all the time to suggest restaurants and supply maps and anything else we needed.

Charming and spotlessly clean, this beautifully decorated French farmhouse dating back to the 1400s (I think) has beamed ceilings throughout, a massive fireplace in the dining room and spacious rooms all impeccably decorated in country French. Bathrooms are all redone with beautiful tiling and fixtures and all amenities. We really could not have been more pleased by the beauty of the hotel both inside and out where we took our morning coffee on the patio surrounded by flowers and old high stone walls which encompass the large property. We had our breakfast inside in the charming dining room.

Don't let the low room rates fool you. This is a very elegant lovely small hotel that I would highly recommend. The only thing I can think of that might be a negative for some is that it is a bit off the beaten track but we liked that. It is a few kilometres to St Remy which has a wonderful market twice a week and great restaurants. It is also close to Arles and Avignon and Le Beaux for great sightseeing.

I can't say enough good things about Le Cadran Solaire. I highly recommend to all and hope to visit this lovely inn again.

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