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Best Pizza Places in Salt Lake City

Salt Lake City, 1 Day

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AUTHOR NOTE: Salt Lake may not be known for its pizza joints, but there are plenty of places to grab a tasty pizza. If I had to choose the best pizza place in town I would definitely go with the Pie, but you really can't go wrong with any of these places!

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My List

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tel: +1 801 484 1804
<http://www.saltlakepizzaandpasta.com/>

location:

1063 East 2100 South
Salt Lake City UT 84106

hours:

M-Sa 11a-11p, Su 11a-10p

1 Salt Lake Pizza and Pasta

DESCRIPTION: Located in the historic Sugarhouse, this casual eatery features specialty salads, pizzas and fresh pasta specials daily. Private, cushioned booths and televisions tuned to sports channels make this a great place for lunch or a casual dinner. Come here to eat dinner after a day of shopping in the area, and bring the kids. They will love what is on the menu for them. A variety of local micro-brews are available, along with several imported beers. © wcities.com



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contact:

tel: +1 801 359 2300
<http://www.wasatchpizza.com/>

location:

820 East 420 South
Salt Lake City UT 84102

hours:

Mo to Th from 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM, Fr to Sa from 11:00 AM to 11:00 PM, Su from 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM

2 Wasatch Pizza Company

DESCRIPTION: Come here for a taste of something different in pizza. The owners make their own dough and use fresh ingredients. Try one of their more popular topping pizzas or make up your own special recipe. The prices are competitive depending on the toppings. If you feel like staying in, order by phone; delivery is free. Enjoy that first bite knowing that your pizza is cooked to perfection and you are supporting a local company. © wcities.com



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contact:

tel: +1 801 483 2120
http://utah.citysearch.com/profile/11340872/salt_lake_city_ut/rusted_sun_pizzeria.html

location:

2010 South State Street
Salt Lake City UT 84115

hours:

M-F 10:30a-10p, Sa 5p-10p

3 Rusted Sun Pizzeria

DESCRIPTION: Both booth and counter seating as well as a TV set, make for a homey feel at Rusted Sun Pizzeria. There is plenty of pizza on the menu, of course, along with calzones, pastas, sandwiches and crisp salads. Be sure to order one of the specialty house pizzas, or even create your own with toppings from A to Z. Each pizza is made to order on a New York-style crust and is smothered in whole-milk mozzarella. There is also a handful of different pizza sauces to choose from. Domestic and imported beers are on draft. © wcities.com

contact:

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fax: +1 801 531 7255
<http://www.stonegroundslc.com/>

location:

249 East 400 South
Salt Lake City UT 84111

hours:

M-Sa 11a-11p, Su 5p-9p

4 Stoneground

OUR LOCAL EXPERT SAYS:

The forest mushroom and goat cheese pizza is superb. Portobellos, porcinis, and button mushrooms topped with goat cheese oh my.

DESCRIPTION: In its spacious spot near the downtown library, this pizzeria has an urban-chic feel, with exposed cement and steel, pool tables and a long counter. Owned by native New



Stoneground

Yorkers, this unique, modern pizzeria has attracted a long list of loyal patrons. Big, New York-style pies are served up hot with fresh toppings and the salads and pastas are excellent choices for those who prefer to eat with a fork. For those who like beer with their pizza, several domestic and imported varieties are available at Stoneground. © wcities.com

contact:

tel: +1 801 582 0193

<http://www.thepie.com/>

location:

1320 East 200 South
Salt Lake City UT 84102

hours:

M-Th 11a-1a, F-Sa 11a-3a,
Su Noon-11p

5 Pie Pizzeria (The)

DESCRIPTION: Thousands of signatures and statements spread across the walls of this restaurant and there is always room for one more name if you want to document your visit. This casual eating spot is great for any size appetite, from single slices at lunch to the 23-inch Pie's Combo loaded with pepperoni, salami, green peppers, onions, smoked ham, linguica sausage, ground beef, Italian sausage and mushrooms. The restaurant also offers calzones, hot subs, soups and salad. The University of Utah is nearby, and this pizza place draws a hungry college crowd every night. Beer is served with meals. © wcities.com



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Salt Lake City Snapshot

Local Info

Salt Lake City, Utah's capital, sits snugly against the base of the soaring Wasatch Mountains. These dramatic Rocky Mountain peaks today define Salt Lake City equally as much as its founding by the Mormons in 1848. And though a lot of strange urban legends circulate, the Mormon church (Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints) certainly exerts a much more subdued and positive influence on the city than the fearful would believe.

By any standards, Salt Lake City is a fairly young city—at just more than 160 years old. But it is one of the nation's most historically unique modern cities, having grown up in a territory peppered with sometimes bloody battles between Mormons and "gentiles". Of course this history and cultural background still effect Utah, but so too do many other factors like its magnificent outdoor opportunities and remarkably stable economy. Salt Lake's modern visitors and residents come for all sorts of reasons and enjoy an equally diverse set of opportunities. Located right at the crossroads of I-80 and I-15, and within

five minutes of a major international airport, it could hardly be more accessible.

Salt Lake's downtown sits at the northern end of Salt Lake Valley. With Utah's largest conference centers and guest capacities, the downtown area also has a host of restaurants, bars, and clubs. The majority of music venues can also be found here, as well as art galleries, cafes, and shops. Some of the highlights here include Market Street and its excellent restaurants like Takashi and Market Street Grill. Front and center are Abravanel Hall, home of the Utah Symphony, and the Energy Solutions Arena, where the Utah Jazz often play.

The University of Utah with its research facilities, galleries, and associated business occupies the city's eastern corner. The general public might head up to campus to hike the Bonneville Shoreline Trail or check out the Red Butte Gardens.

Heading southeast from downtown proper is the 9th and 9th region of town; a small collection of boutique shops, multiple restaurants, a cafe, bakery, and yoga studio. Move farther to the south and you'll run into Sugarhouse, the big brother of 9th and 9th. This dense center is home to a

book shop, a Patagonia Outlet, dollar-style Cinemax movie theater, Salt Lake's latest-open liquor store, restaurants and pubs, as well as several big, national retail stores.

As you head south still, the town becomes increasingly residential, though various malls, retail districts, restaurants, and bars pop up here and there. But even as you spread to the perimeters of town, you will continue to find culinary and commercial gems in each of its various neighborhoods. Toward the far southeastern corner of the valley (and the I-215 beltway) are the mouths to Big and Little Cottonwood canyons and their ski resorts, Brighton and Solitude (in Big), Alta and Snowbird (in Little). Look sharp for restaurants, apres ski spots, and hotels in this area.

Regardless of where you're staying and recreating in Salt Lake City, you'll have easy access to all parts of town via the I-80/I-215 beltway that encircles the majority of the urban compact, rendering almost every corner of town within 25 or 35 minutes of each other.

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