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## 3 of my Favourite Little Spots in Sydney

Having lived in Sydney almost two years, I still feel like I've only experienced a fraction of this city. With its breathtaking harbour and bustling city streets, choosing my very favourite places is a tough call, but if I dreamt up the ideal Sunday afternoon, it would probably include these three little gems.

## Cremorne Point

When I came to Sydney, I was ecstatic about living close to the ocean. I imagined getting up early every morning for a dip in the waves, but after settling in I realised that one of my favourite water wonders in Sydney is actually the saltwater pools that sit on the foreshore, with the ocean waves splashing in at high tide. MacCallum Pool at Cremorne Point can get very buzzy during warm weekends, but head to the pool during business hours or on a cloudy evening and it's likely you'll have the pool all to yourself. Just next to the pool is the Cremorne



Point Reserve, which has stunning harbour views and the perfect spot for a picnic in the sun.

## Hickson Road



Most people have a favourite colour, or animal, or song. But me? I have a favourite wall, and it's right in The Rocks of Sydney. Walking up Hickson Road, you're surrounded by tall concrete walls, which at some points are speckled with little plants, and at other points are completely covered with vines. The vines have crept all the way to the top, but carved from the leaves are these perfect little triangles. I just love the way that is seems that nature has slinked in and conquered the city, not to mention the Instagram opportunities.

## Angel Place

If I'm being honest, sometimes I find myself avoiding the centre of Sydney. I find the green foreshore outside of the CBD to be slower paced and a bit more my style, but the bustle of the city certainly has its own draw. Angel Place is one of my favourite streets in Sydney. Keep your eye to the skies as you walk down, as birdcages have been hung whimsically above the alley. This place reminds me of childhood books and fantasies, especially at dusk when shadow is just starting to fall over the laneway.



Next time you visit Sydney, I'd recommend adding these spots to your bucket list. They won't be on Trip Advisor's 'Top Sydney Activities,' but they are sure to be charming and give you a little taste of the Sydney you won't find in the tourism brochure.