

A RECENT STUDY SHOWS THAT GUESTS PREFER A COMBINATION OF A LOWER DISCOUNT + CASH REWARDS

% OF GUESTS THAT CHOSE A 20% DISCOUNT ONLY OFFER

32%

% OF GUESTS THAT CHOSE A 10% DISCOUNT + 15% CASH REWARDS OFFER

68%

Source: 500 Americans, age 25+ who have booked a hotel atleast two times in the past twelve months were surveyed through the AskySuzy research protocol.

AND IT COSTS YOU MUCH LESS (BELOW EXAMPLE BASED ON \$100K OF GROSS REVENUE)

	20% DISCOUNT	10% DISCOUNT + 15% CASH REWARDS
REVENUE LOST TO DISCOUNT	\$20,000	\$10,000
% OF GUEST WHO CLAIM REWARDS	-	25%
COST OF REWARDS	-	\$1,800
NET ROOM REVENUE (WHEN BOOKED DIRECT)	\$80,000	\$88,200

WHY DO OUR PARTNERS LOVE CASH REWARDS?

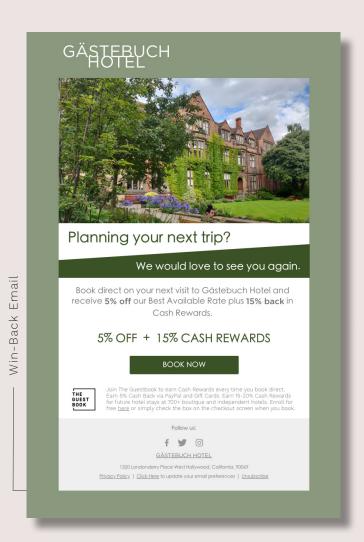
- + GUESTS EASILY UNDERSTAND THE VALUE OF CASH
- + WON'T BREAK PARITY WITH OTAS
- + ONLY A PORTION OF GUESTS WILL CLAIM
- + GUESTS FEEL RECOGNIZED AND APPRECIATED
- + ENHANCES BRAND VALUE
- + LESS DISCOUNTING = HIGHER RATES
- + ATTRACTIVE TO BOTH BUSINESS AND LEISURE TRAVELERS



THE GUESTBOOK BEST PRACTICE

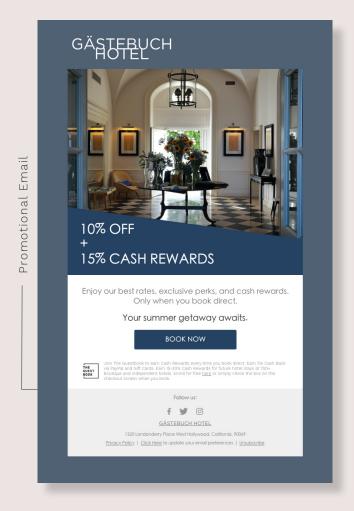
CASH REWARDS IN EMAIL MARKETING

Email is a highly effective way to communicate and build strong relationships with your guests. By simply adding The Guestbook's Cash Reward Messaging into your email campaigns you can boost loyalty, lessen OTA dependence, and strengthen your direct booking efforts.



FOR MORE PROVEN TIPS AND BEST PRACTICES:

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RECOMMENDED EMAIL TYPES

- LIMITED-TIME & PROMOTIONAL OFFERS Discounting isn't your only option. Use Cash Rewards as your main incentive or combine with a conservative discount to increase ROI.
- O POST-STAY / OTA WIN-BACK
 Stop paying high OTA commisions for your repeat guests.
- NEWSLETTERS
 Stay top of mind with your guest database. Share hotel updates, upcoming events, and remind guests why they should choose your hotel for their next trip.

WEBSITE & CART ABANDONMENT

 Put a stop to users shopping around for a better deal after they leave your site. Entice them back with targeted messaging and a clear reason to book direct.