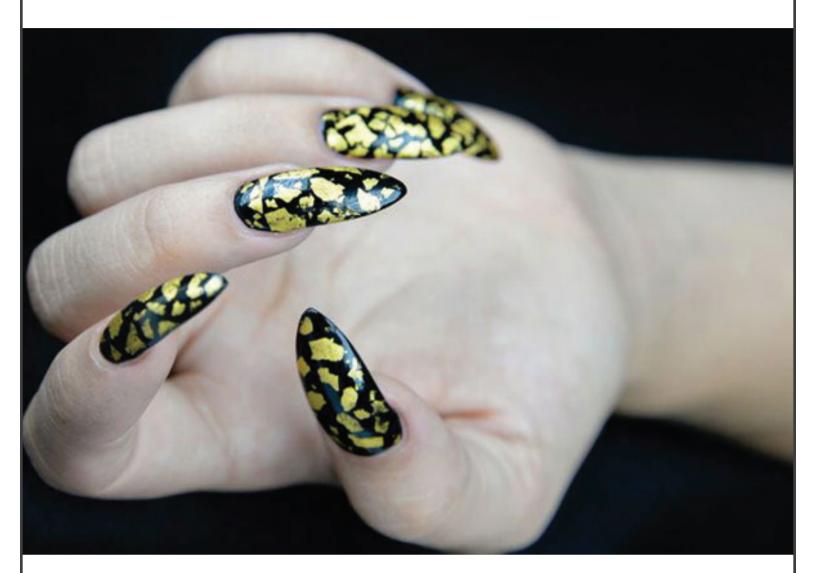


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Not a joke: \$25,000 manicures DO exist

Some people have cars that cost less than what a luxury nail salon in Newport Beach is charging for a manicure and it's for real. Images Luxury Nail Lounge just launched a new menu of nail services that start at \$500 and go up to \$25,000.



This Newport Beach nail salon offers 24 karat gold nails with a price tag that ranges in the thousands. (Photo courtesy of Images Luxury Nail Salon)

Tony Nguyen, the general manager of Images Luxury Nail Lounge said the menu is based on actual client requests and that some women really love to splurge.

The salon opened last year and offers manis with diamonds on the menu, priced at between \$500 and \$600 for a full set.

For between \$2,500 to \$10,000, you will get a private room, with a diamond manicure, plus use an exclusive Models Own Gold Rush polish, which retails for \$100,000 per bottle. The bottle is diamond encrusted and has 24-karat gold flakes.



The interior of Images Luxury Nail Salon in Newport Beach. (Photo courtesy of Images Luxury Nail Salon)

For between \$10,000 and \$25,000, you can get real fancy with the "Glitz & Glamicure": They'll close the entire salon for your treatment, which includes everything mentioned above, plus a personal jeweler on hand to help you choose the best diamonds for your nail art and hair and makeup services.