



Intimate Encounters

Send your sweetie's pulse racing with cheeky finds from local intimate boutiques.

HOPE CHEST

A long-time staple in suburban Haverford, Pa., Hope Chest recently opened a second location in Center City. Stocking high-end designers like Cosabella, Wacoal, Hanky Panky, PJ Salvage (whose nightie is shown above) and Only Hearts, bra-fit specialists work with each client to find the right size and style for every body. *1937 Chestnut St., 215.665.9169*

COEUR

Who says bigger is always better? Located in a modest space off of Rittenhouse Square, Coeur satisfies customers with its impressive selection of lovely upscale lingerie. *132 S. 17th St., 215.972.0373*

DELICIOUS BOUTIQUE & CORSETERIE

Custom-designed and ready-to-wear corsets are the specialty at this quirky, circus-inspired shop. *212 E. Girard Ave., 215.413.0375*

PLEASURE CHEST

From party favors to unmentionables, the Pleasure Chest carries a huge range of adult intimate merchandise and toys. Popular with locals and visitors alike, this locally owned adult store has been helping clients find their heart's desire since 1974. *2039 Walnut St., 215.561.7480*

THE VELVET LILY

Shoppers needn't be intimidated to express desires at this Northern Liberties spot. The environment caters to both novices and experts. *1040 N. Second St., 800.328.5459* —AC