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la lanterna

Without doubt the best place for eating in Rio, acknowledged as such by the locals, and if you make reservation you can book one of the few tables outside overlooking the harbour. This is particularly spectacular in the evening as the sun goes down. After your meal you can take a long lingering stroll around the harbour and sit dipping your feet in the dark cool waters of the Med by the light of the moon. We had Bean Soup and Clam Soup, followed by Catch of the Day - Sea Bass - covered in a tomato and pesto sauce. Absolutely delicious. On another visit the seafood platter was the most magnificent I've ever seen - a huge prawn, a langoustine, a whole sea bass, two fillets of squid all fresh straight from the sea and on to your plate. One of the really majestic places in the world to eat, and it cheap too. Vital. M

