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Indian Accent's Diwali feast is available now through Oct. 22. (Credit: Indian Accent)

Diwali dinners and specials in NYC: Indian Accent, Rahi, Old Monk and more

The Festival of Lights is almost upon us.

Diwali — a major Hindu holiday — is Oct. 19.

Hindu populations in India and other countries celebrate Diwali by lighting candles and lamps all over homes, buildings and temples; decorating floors with rangoli, an art form where intricate patterns are created with rice, sand and dried flowers, and participating in prayers.

Diwali is also marked by large family feasts with lots of sweets. And several Indian restaurants and chefs in NYC are serving special menus and dishes in honor of the holiday.



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Takeout feast from Indian Accent

The Delhi import has a special takeout feast (\$59/two, \$110/four) for pickup now through Oct. 22 that includes braised lamb shank with anchovy curry; paneer kofta with barberry pulao, and Punjabi panjiri for dessert. 123 W. 56th St., midtown, 212-842-8070, indianaccent.com