



THAILAND

THAI GULF ISLAND HOPPING (TOUR CODE: 11887)

STARTS AND ENDS

Bangkok to
Koh Samui

TRAVEL PERIODS

28 Jun 23 - 31 Oct 23

EXPERIENCE

Beach

TRAVEL STYLE

Independent Holiday Packages

Unwind at the gorgeous white sand beaches, mingle with locals & sip cocktails at a beachside tiki bar as you go on an Island Hopping trip.

Highlights

- Experience a **5-star dining experience** as you join a **2-hour dinner cruise** along Chao Phraya River.
- Daily Breakfasts included
- Discover the **three stunning islands of Thailand - Koh Samui, Koh Phangan and Koh Tao**
- Explore the best of Bangkok **aboard the famous Thai rickshaw**.
- Visit the **Damern Saduak Floating Market including lunch to a local restaurant**.

Island hopping has to be one of the best things to do when travelling to Thailand. Bangkok has always been a popular city for tourists. Start your journey by visiting some of its famous tourist attractions such as historical sites, temples and floating market. You will then fly to the beautiful island of Koh Samui where you'll discover stunning beaches and plenty of activities such as visiting the Ang Thong National Marine Park or exploring the Big Buddha temple.

Continue your journey to the charming and wild island of Koh Phangan! Known for its lush tropical jungle interior and white powdery sand beaches, you can definitely soak up the beauty of nature. Your last stop is the tropical island of Koh Tao, also known as the "Turtle Island". The island is a perfect destination for scuba divers and boasts one of Thailand's best coastlines with pristine white sand beaches and sparkling blue seas.



- ✓ ENTIRE Cooling-Off Period
- ✓ ENTIRE Change of Mind
- ✓ ENTIRE On Ground Support
- ✓ ENTIRE AUD Prices
- ✓ ENTIRE Industry Accredited
- ✓ ENTIRE Australian Owned

INCLUSIONS

- 3 nights in Bangkok at Anantara Riverside Bangkok Resort - 5*
- 3 nights in Koh Phangan at Santhiya Koh Phangan Resort & Spa - 5*
- 3 nights in Koh Tao at Koh Tao Montra-4*
- 4 nights in Samui at Sareeraya Villa & Suites - 5*
- All Private land transfers as per Itinerary
- Shared shuttle speedboat transfers between Koh Samui and Koh Phangan
- Return shared shuttle ferry boat transfers between Koh Phangan - Koh Tao - Koh Samui
- Daily Breakfast
- 2 Lunches and 1 Dinner as per Itinerary
- All tours as per Itinerary w/ English speaking guide accompanied during sightseeing tours
- Admission fees as per Itinerary

ITINERARY

Day 1 Bangkok

When you arrive at Bangkok airport, you will be welcomed by our airport representative. Then, transfer you to your hotel for check-in. In the evening, a private chauffeur driver will pick you up at the hotel for a luxury rice barge journey and 2-hour dinner cruise along the Chao Phraya River. See the sights of Bangkok from the water as you enjoy a 5-star dining experience on the only original antique teakwood rice barge on the river in Bangkok.

Drifting along the **Chao Phraya River**, you will admire such magnificent landmarks as the Temple of Dawn, the Temple of the Emerald Buddha, the Grand Palace, and the display of the royal barges. You will also see some of the oldest buildings in Bangkok, including some dating to the earliest Portuguese settlements in the capital. Guests are provided with a description of the dishes and the regions from which they originate.

Overnight stay at **Anantara Riverside Bangkok Resort** in a Deluxe Room

Dinner



DINNER CRUISE ALONG CHAO PHRAYA RIVER

Day 2

Bangkok

After breakfast, you will go on a half-day Bang Krachao (Bangkok's Lungs) and Rickshaw tour. Your driver will wait for you at the reception of the hotel to escort you to the starting point of the tour. Your first stop is a local neighbourhood temple. **This Buddhist site** offers a glimpse of the typical spiritual practises of many Thai residents. Take a taxi boat across the **Chao Phraya River**, and you'll head into what appears to be a virtual jungle of fruit trees bearing tasty-looking coconut, mango, and papaya. It's a strange sight to find in what is known as one of the world's biggest cities. Just nearby, you'll visit a beautifully manicured park, offering a chance to take a break and feed the fish in the pond.

Continue your Bangkok excursion aboard a "samlor" (Thai rickshaw), stopping by a historic temple before dropping you off at a local restaurant for lunch. Enjoy a tasty Thai-style meal with a view before transferring by public river taxi boat back to Bangkok's more modern surroundings and to your original starting point. Upon arriving at the Bangkok Pier, you'll be transferred back to your hotel.

Overnight stay at **Anantara Riverside Bangkok Resort** in a Deluxe Room.

Breakfast, Lunch



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Bangkok

After breakfast, a representative will pick you up at your hotel at around 6:30 AM. Enjoy a drive to the south of Bangkok for 85 km. Here, take a local train ride from **Na Kwang station**; on the way, pass through the salt field. Just as you arrive at the train track market, you will see the vendors closing their umbrellas and the train passing right through the market. The roof of the market will simply open for the train to pass through, while all goods have to be moved away to make way for the train.

After that, we will continue driving to visit **Damnoen Saduak**, a floating market. Lunch will be served at a local restaurant. Drive back to your hotel in Bangkok. The rest of the day is at your leisure.

Overnight stay at **Anantara Riverside Bangkok Resort** in a Deluxe Room.

Breakfast, Lunch



Bangkok Koh Samui

Breakfast will be served at the hotel. Check out of your room and transfer to *Bangkok Airport* for your morning flight to **Samui**. Upon arrival at the Samui Airport, you will be welcomed by our representative, who will then transfer you to your hotel for check-in. The remainder of the day is at your own pace.

Overnight stay at **Sareeraya Villa & Suites** in a Sareeraya Suite.

Breakfast



CHAWENG BEACH, KOH SAMUI | CREDIT: TOURISMAUTHORITY OF THAILAND

Day **5-7** Koh Samui

Breakfast will be served at hotel. Time at leisure to explore the island.

Overnight stay at **Sareeraya Villa & Suites** in a Sareeraya Suite.

Breakfast



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Day **8** Koh Samui Koh Phangan

Breakfast will be served at the hotel. Transfer to Petcharat Pier and take a speedboat to **Koh Phangan**. Upon arrival at the pier on Koh Phangan, you will be greeted by the hotel's representative and transferred in a private vehicle to the hotel. Spend the rest of the day either relaxing or exploring the island.

Overnight stay at **Santhiya Koh Phangan Resort & Spa** in a Supreme Deluxe.

Breakfast



CREDIT: SANTHIYAKOH PHANGAN RESORT & SPA

Day **9-10** Koh Phangan

After breakfast at the hotel, the rest of the day is free to be spent at leisure.

Overnight stay at **Santhiya Koh Phangan Resort & Spa** in a Supreme Deluxe.

Breakfast



CREDIT: SANTHIYAKOH PHANGAN RESORT & SPA

Day **11** Koh Phangan Koh Tao

Breakfast will be served at the hotel. After checking out, you will join the land transfer and ferry to **Koh Tao**. When you arrive on Koh Tao Island, you will be met by a joint local transfer to the hotel for check-in and the rest of the evening is at your leisure.

Overnight stay at **Koh Tao Montra** in a Deluxe Room with Sea & Pool View.

Breakfast



CREDIT: KOH TAO MONTRA

Day 12-13

Koh Tao

After breakfast at the hotel, spend the day at your own leisure.

Overnight stay at **Koh Tao Montra** in a Deluxe Room with Sea & Pool View.

Breakfast



KOH TAO | CREDIT: TOURISMAUTHORITY OF THAILAND

Day 14

Koh Tao

After breakfast at the resort, embark on a local transfer provided by the hotel to the pier and take another catamaran cruise to **Koh Samui**. Upon arrival at the pier on Koh Samui, you will meet our representative and be transferred in a private vehicle to Samui Airport for departure.

Breakfast

ACCOMMODATION

Anantara Riverside Bangkok Resort

Bangkok

Located on the west bank of the Chao Phraya amidst 11 acres of greenery, Anantara Riverside Bangkok Resort offers urban serenity twinned with authentic discoveries. Spread across three low-rise buildings, the guest rooms and suites reflect simple yet elegant contemporary Thai style. Discover a wealth of culinary indulgences by water's edge. From barbecue and Thai dance, to sunset cocktails, to a cruise down the Chao Phraya, take advantage of a magnificent riverside setting at the hotel's restaurants.



Koh Tao Montra

Koh Tao

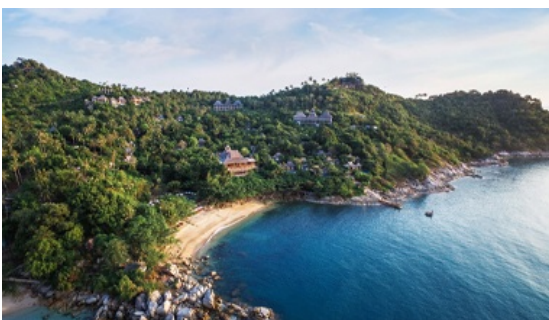
Koh Tao Montra is a 4-star beachfront dive resort on Koh Tao near Mae Haad pier. All of the Beachfront Villas, Junior suites, Deluxe and Superior rooms were designed for your enjoyment. The large and spacious room and bathroom are our guest most favorite and features uniqueness. The resort has a beachfront restaurant, a pool bar and a jacuzzi for guests to enjoy while soaking in the sunshine!



Santhiya Koh Phangan Resort & Spa

Koh Phangan

Stretched over 18 acres of glorious tropical landscapes, Santhiya Koh Phangan Resort & Spa is a traditional Thai-Style Luxury Beach Resort and an eco-chic natural hideaway with glorious teakwood accommodation and world-renowned service and hospitality. All gorgeous rooms are located on the cliff and we provide free shuttle service to all guests in the resort.



Sareeraya Villa & Suites

Samui

The Oriental Chic Tropical Luxury Resort - A legend in the making, in tune with the very soul of Koh Samui. Effortlessly experience the zenith of Thai hospitality expertise while steeped in "Oriental Chic" tropical luxury. Step out of the ordinary into an inspired level of excellence rarely found in such an exclusive resort in such a desirable location. A special place where each moment is a celebration of the finest qualities of life.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

Thai

LOCAL CURRENCY

Thai Bhatt

- We work with a selection of hotels in each location. All bookings are subject to availability, which means our team will confirm your specific hotels upon confirmation and payment of deposit. The package price is based on 4-star accommodation. This itinerary is bookable in reverse.

Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.),
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package