



SOUTHEAST ASIA  
EXTRAORDINARY  
EXPERIENCES





# ULTIMATE PRIVATE YACHTING, KAYAKING, CAVES, HELICOPTERS AND ISLANDS IN PHUKET

An ultimate bragging rights trip from Phuket to Phang Nga Bay. Removing all transfer times and instead opting for views from the sky and more time to enjoy the unmatched scenery of Southern Thailand, we have secured private landing access and worked out all logistics to replace all land transfers with ultra-exclusive helicopter hopping.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Private Helicopter Transfer
- Helicopter Journey Over Phang Nga Bay
- Private Yacht for the Day
- Sea Kayaking with Pro Kayaking Instructors
- Private Gourmet Beach Picnic
- Sunset Kayaking Through Remote Caves
- Elegant Dinner On-Board Private Yacht



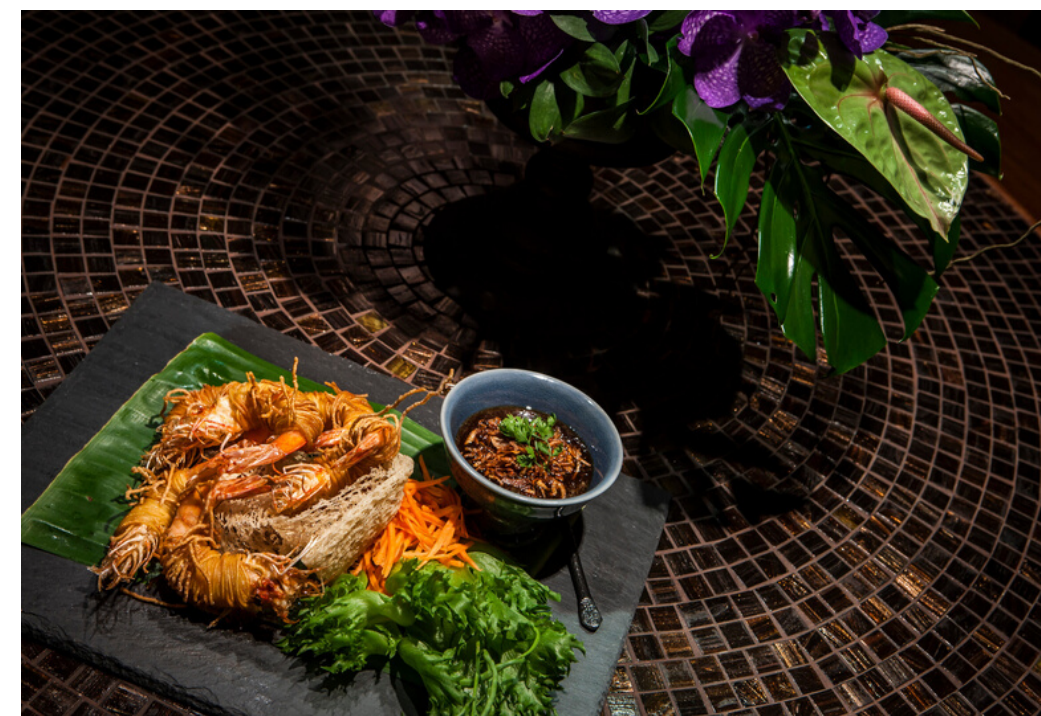


# ULTIMATE THAI EVENING IN NORTHERN THAILAND

Recommended as a grand finale evening in Northern Thailand, an extravagant gala dinner exuding local Thai culture entwined with luxury sets the perfect scene for a romantic evening.

Set within a private villa, the evening is complete with traditional Thai dance performances and a northern Thai sky lantern launch. Guests are welcomed to a traditional Thai Lanna-style villa illuminated with small lanterns. Luxurious Thai-style clothes can also be purchased ahead of time for guests as a souvenir to take home with them and attire for the evening.

A decadent meal is complemented by a series of traditional Thai dances that highlight the culturally-rich region. After the meal, guests will have the opportunity to engage with the performers for a one-on-one exchange. To end the exceptional evening, the local staff will join the couple for a traditional Thai-style lantern launch to send off good wishes into the star-filled sky.





# DINNER ATOP A BANGKOK ROOFTOP HELIPAD

Enjoy the best views in Bangkok! Exclusive access allows us to set up a romantic evening one of Thailand capital city's rooftops for a once-in-a-lifetime experience dining on a helipad. For this evening, Bangkok's skyline is your backdrop. Exceptional Thai or local cuisine will be arranged to suit the guests' palates.

Guests will feel quite literally that they are "on top of the world" as the lights of Bangkok illuminate around them. We can arrange private performances or music to accompany them during their evening. The world is the guests' oyster here - where we can tailor everything to their desires. This is the perfect option for a first night or last night in Thailand.

Very special occasion? Throw in some fireworks and a cabaret show!





# GOLDEN MOUNT TEMPLE WITH PRIVATE MONK BLESSING CEREMONY

Wat Saket, also known as the Golden Mount Temple, is one of Bangkok's most unique temples. Originally built just beyond the city walls of the Old City over 200 years ago, Wat Saket's gilded stupa is perched on top of an artificial mountain which offers amazing panoramic views of the city.

The temple's design, atop a hill with surrounding forests and water, is meant to reflect a microcosm of the heavens in traditional Thai cosmology.

This will be a great experience to learn about the intersection of religion and everyday life in Thailand, as well as Buddhist cosmology and architecture. We will arrange to meet some of the resident monks who will perform a private blessing ceremony.





# HELI-HIKING AT DOI MAE SALONG

The highlands of northern Thailand provide some of the most memorable characters and magnificent scenery in the country. Charter a luxury helicopter for a spectacular 20-minute trip up to one of the Kingdom's most stunning destinations – Doi Mae Salong.

This region was settled first by indigenous hilltribe groups such as the Akha, and more recently by Chinese who fled the Communist Revolution in China in 1949. Once opium country, Doi Mae Salong is now home to Thailand's premier Oolong tea production.

We'll sample some tea at a family tea house then hike through terraced plantations and hilltribe footpaths. For lunch we'll bring a soiree of local dishes to dine near Akha settlements, an intimate setting to learn about their way of life over a meal.

Return transport is by helicopter to Chiang Rai or your Golden Triangle accommodation.





# LUXURY LIQUID BANGKOK ADVENTURE WITH LOCAL EXPERT

Travel the river by elegant mahogany river boats with a surprise champagne moment.

Discover the original Bangkok riverside neighbourhoods which are the foundation of the city's early development. Chinese, Portuguese, Muslim and European influences blend with Thai communities along Bangkok's famous Chao Phraya River.

Using the waterway as our launch point, we'll walk in the steps of early Bangkok merchants, exploring the architecture, neighbourhood mercantile and commercial identities, as well as significant temples well off the usual beaten track. Several longtail boat starts and stops take us through Thonburi, Thailand's capital between the Ayutthaya and Bangkok periods, visiting old artisan villages, markets and art communities.

Guests have the option to be hosted by a local experience who has spent most of his life learning about Bangkok's river district.





# HILLTRIBES & TWO-COUNTRY VIEW PICNIC AT DOI CHANG MOUNTAIN

This morning, begin with an early start as you head out to the Golden Triangle to take in some hill tribes. Learn about the local culture and traditions of the northern Thai natives who still live utilizing practices that seem years away from the modern lifestyles of most.

After learning about and exploring the local village, we travel along a spectacular road that straddles the Thai-Myanmar border on the top of Doi Chang Mub, one of the province's highest mountains.

Awaiting the guests is an exclusive picnic at a military base camp with stunning views across the frontier of Thailand's Northern neighbor.

Lunch atop Doi Chang Mub, with a dual-country view, is a perfect way to take in the last of the stunning mountainous vistas that attract so many to Thailand's Northernmost province.





# SAK YANT SPIRITUAL TATTOO WITH A EXPERT

A remarkable day for those interested in the art of Thai traditional Sak Yant tattoos. We'll visit an authentic samnak where the resident ajarn is well known for the intricacy of their tattoo craftsmanship. Sak Yant tattoos are believed to offer power, protection, fortune, charisma and other benefits for the bearer.

This is your insider access to Thai art and culture. If a more permanent memento of your trip to Thailand is desired, you have the option (not required) to have traditional Thai Sak Yant tattoos applied using bamboo needles.

Guests will be accompanied by a local expert, Joe Cummings, a Thai culture expert with a focus on arts and textiles is one of Bangkok's most prominent residents and hosts, having shown the city to celebrities including Mick Jagger and Steven Tyler.





# HELICOPTER DAY TRIP TO KANCHANABURI

Thailand's third largest province is covered in evergreen forests and is sparsely populated. Winding secondary roads, in excellent condition, curving through the hills and river valleys are ideal for motorcycling. There are also plenty of hiking trails and waterfalls.

The 13th century Prasat Muang Sing temple complex, one of the country's most well-known Khmer sites, marks the westernmost reach of the Khmer Kingdom and is well worth a visit. During the fall of Siam's ancient capital of Ayutthaya, the Burmese invasion route cut through the province, as did, later on during World War II, the infamous Death Railway.

The day is fully customizable program will be designed as a day trip taking in all these fascinating sights, with transport to and from Kanchanaburi by helicopter.





# AFTER HOURS ACCESS TO RECLINING BUDDHA AT WAT PHO

Wat Pho, also known as the The Temple of the Reclining Buddha, is a must-visit for travelers to Thailand. One of the country's oldest temples and the birthplace of Thai massage, the complex is widely known for its pavilion that houses the Reclining Buddha.

This, however, isn't any visit. Avoiding the crowds, we head to Wat Pho after the doors close for a special exclusive-access visit. Just as the lights turn on for the evening you find yourself alone at Wat Pho - a magical moment.

With the pavilion to yourself, your guide will share with you the history of the Buddha and the temple without distraction.

Combine this special access with a night on the town in Bangkok, led by an expat or local expert who will share some of the city's secluded jaunts. Seeing the city after dark you will certainly experience the Thai capital like a local.





# LUXURY PICNINC AT PRASAT PONG KEOY TEMPLE

In the Kingdom of Koh Ker, when the empire was ruled by the usurper Jayavarman IV a network of temples was built deep in the forest. Now lost in the jungle and only reached on foot or by oxcart. Pong Keoy Temple will be the setting for for a luxury lunch - a dining room that is 1100-years-old.

Our advance team is sent ahead to prepare a helipad, hack a path through the jungle, install and dress the table. The whirl of rotors hummed in the distance as the spec in the sky appeared as a helicopter bearing our guests who we met with oxcarts.

Cold towels and chilled coconut water awaited at the temple entrance before a champagne toast to lunch amidst the Angkorian ruins.

Cuisine can be customized to be Western, Khmer or fusion and linens and dining setting can be customized to each client.





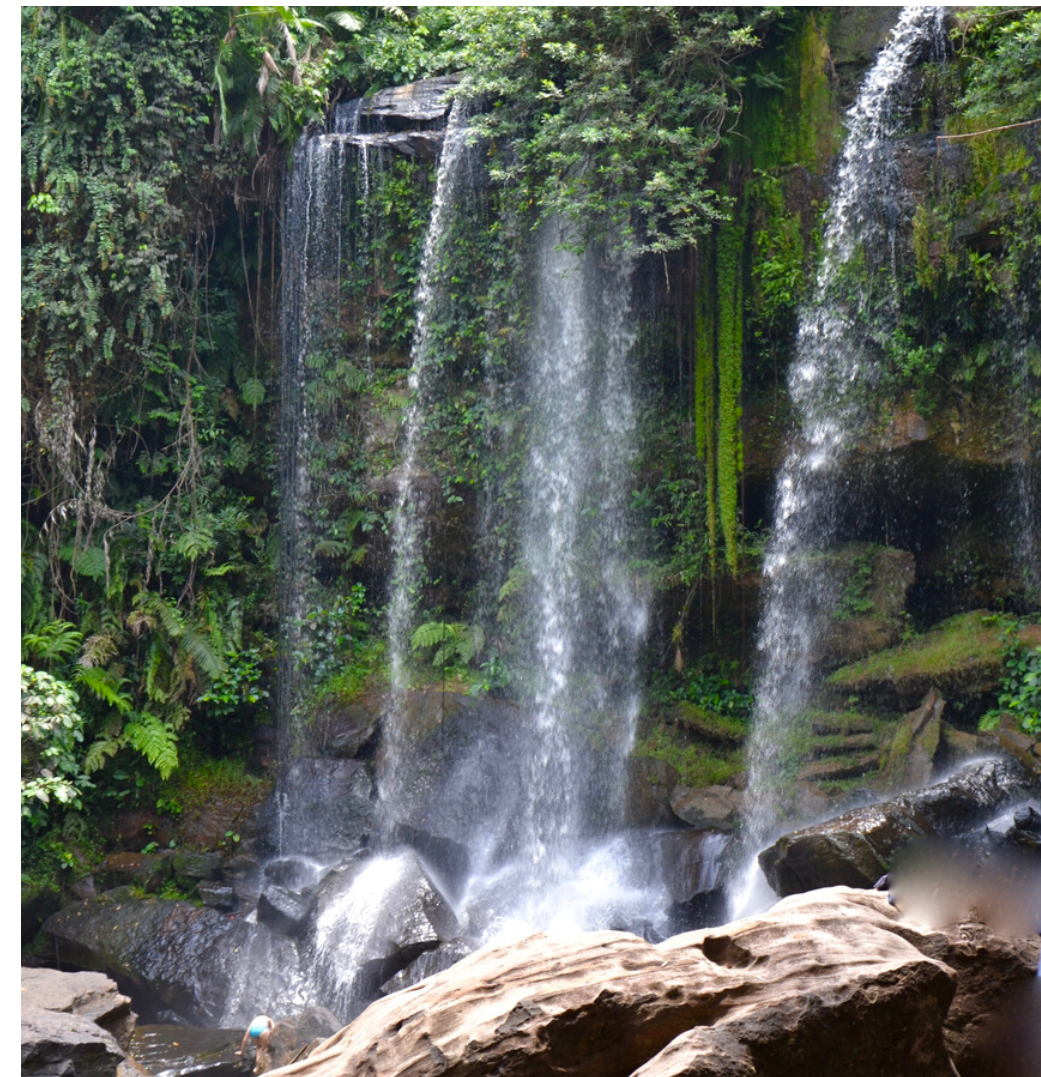
# PHNOM KULEN TEMPLE DISCOVERY BY HELICOPTER

Travel to explore the hidden jungle of Cambodia's north for a remote luxury adventure. This day takes explorers to uncover the cultures of remote hilltop villages, into national parks to spot indigenous wildlife and more.

It was at Phnom Kulen over 1,200 years ago when Jayavarman II declared himself king over all kings of the rapidly expanding Angkorian Empire. During his reign Kulen was covered by a city of which only the stone ruins of temples remain.

Overgrown and hidden in jungle, the temples of Kulen become a beguiling expedition of discovery. Cool coconuts, iced beer and lovely picnics beside swimming pools in the river or temple lunches set up within the old stone walls, will be waiting for the intrepid explorer.

The day's experience is completely customizable to be adventured on foot, by mountain bike or moto.





# LUXURY DINING EXPERIENCES



Here are some samples of luxury dining experiences we've hosted across Thailand, Cambodia, Vietnam and Myanmar in the past.







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THE DOTS, WE CREATE THEM, AND DELIVER  
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