

June 14, 2011

Dear Scott, Lauretta, Kaylyn & Maddison -

Thank you for choosing Explorient. We are delighted to have the opportunity to serve you on your upcoming Thailand Adventure! Please find the below summary of services for your trip. All services have been confirmed at this time.

## **TOUR SUMMARY:**

## 12 Day / 11 Night Ultimate Thai Adventure Package (modified) Package – Land Only

- Economy Class Bangkok / Chiang Mai / Phuket / Bangkok Airfares per itinerary
- 3 nights at Grand Sukhumvit Hotel in Bangkok (Jr. Suite)
- 3 nights at Puripunn Baby Grand Hotel in Chiang Mai (Deluxe Room)
- 1 night Karen hilltribe village stay\* in Northern Thailand
- 3 nights at Katathani Resort & Spa in Phuket (Jr. Suite)
- 1 night at Miracle Suvaranabhumi Airport Hotel in Bangkok (Run-of-House)
- Hotel Breakfasts Daily (except overnight at airport hotel due to early morning departure)
- Other Meals as specified per itinerary (food only)
- Private Tour throughout: Transfers and sightseeing with services of processional guides, except where otherwise noted (Sea Kayak Excursion in Phuket operates on JOIN basis)

## **TOUR OUTLINE**

Day	Activity Summary
Aug. 13	<b>Arrive Bangkok</b> : Upon arrival in Bangkok, you be met and transferred to Grand Sukhumvit Hotel for your next 3 nights' accommodations.
Aug. 14	Bangkok: Full day free at leisure. ***Arrival transfers at Bangkok Airport to be provided for Kaylyn. *** (B)
Aug. 15	Bangkok (Floating Market & River Kwai): After an early breakfast, enjoy a morning tour of the renown Floating Market where for over a hundred years, villagers transport their agricultural products by canals to the center of trading at Damnoen Sauak. This incredible network is a labyrinth of almost two hundreds branched canals lined with ancient Thai wooden houses and colorfully decorated by small wooden boats that contain fresh fruits and vegetables. Continue on to Kanchanaburi for lunch at a local restaurant. Visit the famous 'Bridge over the river Kwai, Allied cemetery of an estimated 9,000 Allied soldiers who lost their lives while building the bridge and constructing the notorious 'Death Railway, followed by a ride on the Death Railway'. Return to Bangkok in the afternoon. (B,L)
Aug. 16	Bangkok / Chiang Mai: Enjoy a morning tour of Bangkok beginning with a long-tailed boat ride on the picturesque Chao Phraya River and klongs (or canals) to see family homes and temples along the waterways. On the return journey, stop at the Temple of Dawn (Wat Arun) whose 79m spire silhouette has become a symbol of Bangkok. Afterwards, visit Royal Grand Palace and its Emerald Buddha, followed by Wat Po (Reclining Buddha) and Wat Trimit (Golden Buddha). Proceed to the airport for your flight to Chiang Mai. Upon arrival, be met and transferred to Puripunn Baby Grand Hotel. This evening, enjoy a Khantoke Dinner & Cultural Show. (B,D)





Aug. 17	Chiang Mai (Sri Lanna National Park): Today's full day excursion takes to you Sri Lanna National Park for a day of adventure and fantastic outdoors activities. Day's activities include: cycle 15-20 km on rural country lanes; paddle a sit-on-top kayak on the lake; Thai lunch at our floating restaurant amidst the peaceful scenery of the park. Return to Chiang Mai in the afternoon. (B,L) ****Note: please meet driver/guide at 8:30am at hotel lobby for tour pick-up****
Aug. 18	Chiang Mai / Hilltribe Village: Enjoy a picturesque drive through hills, plains and steep drops to the North of Chiang Mai, stopping at the Mae Malai local market en-route. Continue on to a hot spring for a picnic lunch before commencing a 3-hour trek through tropical evergreen forests to Karen Hilltribe Village. Dinner and overnight stay in a Karen home. (B,L,D) ****Note: Hilltribe Stay features very basic / primitive accommodations***
Aug. 19	Karen Village / River Rafting / Chiang Mai: After breakfast, begin your action-packed day by trekking to an elephant camp you will take a 1.5 hour elephant ride to a Lahu Hilltribe Village. Enjoy your lunch with Lahu villagers. After lunch begin a 3-hour bamboo rafting trip down the curves and rapids of the twisty Mae Taeng River to Shan Village. Transfer back to Puripunn Baby Grand Hotel. (B,L)
Aug. 20	Chiang Mai / Phuket: Transfer to the airport for your early afternoon flight to Phuket. Upon arrival, be met and transferred Katathani Resort & Spa for your next 3 nights' accommodations. Balance of the afternoon at leisure. (B)
Aug. 21	Phuket (Phang Nga Bay): Enjoy an excursion to Phang Nga Bay to explore the Hongs (sea caves) amid this spectacular scenery by sea kayak. A "Hong" is an open-air, cliff-lined cylindrical tidal lagoon connected to the outside world only through caves. Learn about, the ecosystems of these "secret" places. The tour includes a visit to Lawa Island where you may self paddle canoes, swim or just laze on the beach. Includes lunch. Return to Phuket in the afternoon. (B,L)
Aug. 22	Phuket: Full day free at leisure in Paradise. (B)
Aug. 23	Phuket: Full day free at leisure until your evening transfer for your flight to Bangkok. Upon arrival, be met and transferred by hotel shuttle to Miracle Suvarnabhumi Airport Hotel for your overnight accommodation. (B)
Aug. 24	Return Home: Transfer to the airport by hotel shuttle for your early morning flight home. (B)  ****END OF PROGRAM****

Please review the above for accuracy and feel free to contact me with any questions. We appreciate your business and look forward to having your family on board with us!

Sincerely,

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