



The Beach Garden

By Ben Gillingham

Only 45 minutes from Phuket Airport, Bann Krating Jungle Beach is a boutique resort beside two private beaches set in a tropical forest on Phuket's southern tip.

At the boutique resort **Baan Krating Jungle Beach**, the tagline is "A mix of jungle and seaside experience" - and this is no over-statement. This is a beach resort that maintains the core characteristics of Thai hospitality with the added flexibility of private home living rather than a restricted hotel atmosphere. It is the ideal setting for a relaxed, lazy sojourn.

With 30 private and comfortable villas featuring ocean-view balconies, the atmosphere here is as exclusive as it is natural. With a focus on privacy, guests can enjoy the day on a private beach, relax by the pleasant private swimming pool, or lounge under the shade-inducing verdancy of the private tropical garden. The pool incorporates a children's area and petite sun deck.

Cosy villas include satellite television, refrigerator and mini bar, tea & coffee making facilities and herbal bathroom amenities. Out of the villa into the resort-proper, fine dining and bar facilities will tempt the peckish and sociable. Krating's open-air bar and dining facility is the centre of the

resort, and guests can socialise here after a day at the beach. Both traditional Thai and Western cuisine are served from 7.00 am to 11.00 pm.

All facilities overlook the ocean and the sunset viewing of Prom Thep Cape is spectacular. The two private beaches here offer white sands and warm tropical sun, especially between November and March. Snorkelling equipment and sea kayaks are available for rent to gain maximum enjoyment of the sea. Post-exercise, Thai massage is available upon request.



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Baan Krating Resorts were originated from a concept of the two founders, Mr. Adisorn Charanachitta, a hotel entrepreneur and Mr. Vijit Chinalai, a leading Thai hotel architect. They wished to create a unique network of small boutique resorts in Thailand that maintain the essence of Thai hospitality.

As the friendship between the two founders grew, so did their resort chain. From the Phuket resort - their signature property, new venues were completed on mountainous Chiang Dao, near Chiang Mai; in the up and coming rustic village of Pai near Mae Hong Son; and in the tsunami-hit province of Khao Lak, where their hotel was undamaged by the waves. Expect new properties in Koh Samui, Koh Chang, and Koh Kor Khao.

Until then, hasten down to the beach to experience some blissful jungle living. 🌿



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