



## Swoon into Spring in Beautiful Tahiti

With direct flights putting the swoon-inducing islands of Tahiti closer than ever before, now is the time to rejuvenate with a visit to one of the world's truly romantic island escapes.

Spread across 118 islands and atolls, Tahiti and her Islands offer a beguiling blend of Polynesian warmth with a hint of French elegance in the home of the romantic overwater bungalow.

Holidaymakers can drift dive the amazing reefs of the Tuamotus, trek the deep valleys of the Marquesas and languish in overwater luxury in the translucent lagoons of beautiful Bora Bora.

Or do all of the above on magnificent Moorea, less than 10 minutes flying time from the main island of Tahiti.

Said to be the island James Michener based his idealised South Seas paradise, Bali Hai, on, Moorea offers the best of French Polynesian worlds with towering volcanic peaks plunging into rainforested valleys in the centre and reef-protected lagoons around the coastline.

Here you can trek, ride or enjoy 4WD tours into the hinterland or head for the water for a surf, sail or dive with manta rays, reef sharks and porpoises. Moorea is laced with stylish resorts, most offering Tahiti's legendary overwater bungalows and friendly fare fetii (family-run pensions), which are available at very affordable B&B rates.

And according to Tahiti Tourisme's Regional Director in Australia, Jonica Paramor, the time has never been better to visit Tahiti and her islands thanks to the convenience of direct flights with Air Tahiti Nui.

"In around seven hours Australians can be in magical, romantic Tahiti deciding whether to hang out in perfect beachside temperatures and conditions or hit the adventure trail for an amazing mix of water and land-based activities."

Tahiti Nui Vacations has released a short holiday package to Moorea, with a seven-night stay from \$2059 per person twin share, plus departure taxes of approximately \$195 per person. The package includes return airfares from Sydney to Papeete on Air Tahiti Nui's new A340 jet service, two nights' accommodation at the Radisson Plaza Resort Tahiti in an ocean view room, ferry transfers between Tahiti and Moorea, five nights at the Sheraton Moorea Lagoon Resort & Spa in a garden bungalow with daily breakfast, return airport transfers and return hotel-pier transfers on Moorea. The package is available for sale immediately and valid for travel between October 1 and December 15, 2005, and between January 16 and March 31, 2006. For more information on conditions and to book, contact Tahiti Nui Vacations on 1300 65 09 65 or at [www.honeymoon.net.au](http://www.honeymoon.net.au).

For more information about Tahiti and her islands visit [www.tahiti-tourisme.com.au](http://www.tahiti-tourisme.com.au).

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