



Fiji Brochure

WEDDINGS AND HONEYMOONS CURATED AND CRAFTED BY EXPERTS

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So you have been dreaming about a destination wedding ever since you met the absolute love of your life in that bar you finally decided to try... or that movie you had been meaning to see...or even by swiping right on tinder (no judgement) & you fell hopelessly in love.

Then it happens and the love of your life gets down on one knee & you can finally start planning... except you have no idea where to start.

The realisation of the time it will take you to plan your dream destination sinks in... You start to feel the sand slipping away, you can no longer taste the banana-berry-licious cocktail or feel the sun on your skin. In a panic you jump onto the internet to find that Destination Wedding company who heard raving reviews about from a friend of a friend & soon realise they are exactly what you need.

We are Viva Destination Weddings and we are here to bring your dream wedding to life!



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ABOUT Us

WHAT WE BRING TO THE TABLE

- ❖ **We are a one stop shop** - We can organise it all from beauty to bucks parties and flowers to flights with our tried-and-tested suppliers worldwide, entirely simplifying the process for you.
- ❖ **We eliminate stress** - We helpfully assist and guide you through all itinerary changes, legal requirements, guest travel bookings and intricate experiences meant just for you - meaning no stress and more time to focus on the fun stuff.
- ❖ **We can help you as much as you need** - We offer options for our wedding planning services – check out our packages [here](#).
- ❖ **We understand how important this is to you** - We want to spend time to understand what your perfect wedding looks like to you and how we can achieve it together.
- ❖ **We think out of the box** - We provide unique and innovative solutions that will have you and your travelling party engaged and excited well before you hop on the plane, and long after you return.
- ❖ **We are at no extra costs to you** - This is one case where your Momma will take back the phrase “nothing good comes free”. We simply work off a small commission paid by each of our trusted suppliers for passing them your business. Ultimately, we will have the best prices because we negotiate directly with the suppliers, while also getting access to special group rates and exclusive inclusions.



OUR CREDENTIALS

- ✓ Member of the exclusive Travellers Choice group
- ✓ Fully ATAS accredited Travel company
- ✓ Verified member of Skal (International Association of Tourism and Travel Professionals)
- ✓ Travel Agency with 75 years of experience combined
- ✓ Members of local and international industry networking groups



“Mandi is amazing, we are not long back from our wedding which I could not have done without her. She did everything we needed, and not in “island time” (yes it is a real thing). Mandi is back to you instantly and if not will let you know when she can get that answer to you. I seriously would have lost it without this woman, she is an angel in disguise” (Kayla Maree Kava – previous bride)

DESTINATION WEDDING

We know every wedding is unique and we take the time and attention to ensure that each one is perfect. We have two levels of wedding planning packages. The first one, valued at \$500 but **absolutely free**, comes with our dedicated wedding planning services and professional advice. There are a range of digital offerings you can choose to select at an additional cost.

Our second, Diamond Package is perfectly suited to medium to large sized weddings. At only \$500 but valued at \$1,700 our digital offerings including a dedicated weddings website, and digital app are included, as are a range of other added benefits including upgraded transfers, resort credits and more. Check out our different packages on the following page.



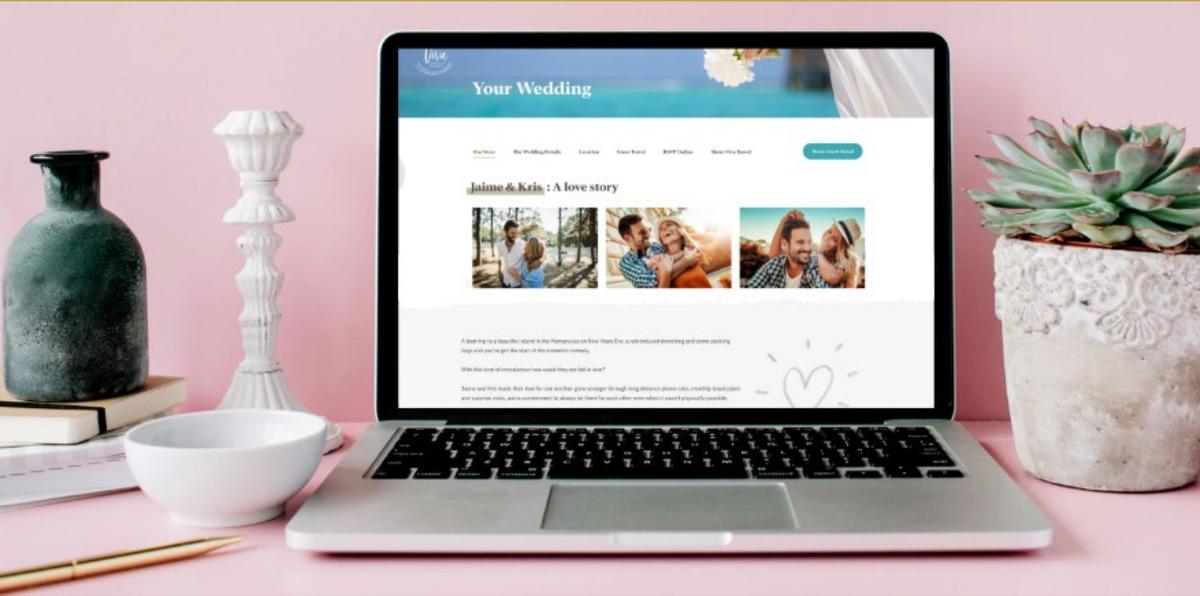
WEDDING PLANNER OPTIONS

	Gold Free Valued at \$500	Diamond \$500 Valued at \$1,700
Wedding planning		
Full wedding planning and assistance	✓	✓
Helpful wedding questionnaire	✓	✓
On site management and coordination of event with a senior Viva planner	✓ (at additional cost)	✓ (at additional cost)
Professional advice		
Recommendations for every wedding vendor category, including, but not limited to: wedding venue, hair and make-up artists, photographer, videographer, styling, additional flowers, DJ & entertainment, additional lighting, cakes & catering, celebrant	✓	✓
Communications		
Main point of contact with the Vendors / Vendor Management	✓	✓
Liaison with on-site wedding coordinator for finer details	✓	✓
Distribute payments to all vendors and suppliers	✓	✓
Emergency 24 hour contact	✓	✓
Unlimited Email Communication & Scheduled Phone Calls	Unlimited during business hours	Unlimited
Event design and Preparation		
Event Design & Concept Consultation	✓	✓
Advice on Invitation Etiquette	✓	✓
Event Timeline - Construction & Management	✓	✓
Digital offering		
Creation of personalised wedding website helping your guests find the information they need, RSVP and book guest travel (valued at \$100)	\$100.00	✓
Creation of Viva exclusive app to enable easy communication and sharing of photos with all guests both prior to and during the holiday (valued at \$50)	\$50.00	✓
Guest Management		
Management of all guest travel requirements, flights, accommodation, transfers, negotiation for group bookings, room blocks	✓	✓
For every adult guest that books with Viva, you will receive a credit (or local currency equivalent) to be used at the resort in the manner of your choice	×	✓ AUD\$25 per adult
Transfers		
Upgrade to private car transfers at your location	×	✓
Door to door transfers from your home to your nearest airport*	×	✓

*conditions apply

Valued at (based on 30 person guest list)

ABOUT US



WEDDING WEBSITE & GROUP BOOKINGS

Are you sitting there thinking, I can barely organise something for dinner, let alone manage 50+ peoples travel arrangements to Fiji?

Well don't worry, we got you!

PERSONALISED WEDDING WEBSITES

- Showcase your love story & welcome note
- Digital RSVP system to track guests attending
- All guest accommodation & flight information
- Detailed wedding event itinerary
- Gift Registry
- Information to contact Viva Destination Weddings to book

ONCE YOUR GUEST LIST HAS BEEN FINALISED, WE CAN ORGANISE:

- ✓ Guest accommodation
- ✓ Guest flights & transfers
- ✓ Additional pre & post travel arrangements
- ✓ Additional tours & experiences
- ✓ Depending on how many guests book through us, we can offer group discounts. *Note: Guests who book direct will not be included, and will minimise discounts available*

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SUPPLIERS

There are some amazing, highly trained and professional suppliers over there. World-class photographers, hair and make-up artists who have trained with the best in the USA and Australia etc.

You can be sure that any of the vendors we recommend will be of an amazing standard. Ask us for our hand-picked Supplier Guide

WEDDING & HONEYMOON OPTIONS

This showcases a wide variety of locations and resorts in Fiji. If you would like an expert to produce a personalised guide, specific to your unique wedding requirements please contact us.

We have selected a variety of packages but most resorts will have multiple options, or we can create tailor made packages, so these are a guide and may not be the cheapest option.

As a romantic destination, Fiji is the perfect place to celebrate your honeymoon!

We have selected just a few resorts, however there are many more options available, so please ask us.

- Sample wedding – here's one we prepared earlier!
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HERE'S ONE WE PREPARED EARLIER!



We were really honoured to have planned the wedding of the gorgeous Cameron and Ashton Massey at the Outrigger Resort, as well as booking the travel for many of their guests.

This is an idea of the package we started with for them, and then added all the additional components and suppliers to create their perfect day.

WHAT THEY SAID – FROM ASHTON MASSEY

You know you have the most amazing person as your wedding planner / travel agent, when you send an email at 9.20 at night by 9.25pm she has answered the question & the more that I just asked her.

Thank you Mandi, you have cut my stress in half!!!

OUTRIGGER FIJI BEACH RESORT

At the Outrigger Fiji Beach Resort, we embrace you with a gracious Bula welcome in an exquisite seaside setting reminiscent of a time-honoured Fijian village. We pamper you with signature Talai butlers, traditional bure bungalows, and Meimei nannies.

We inspire you with sweeping views from hilltop Bebe Spa Fiji. And we delight your entire family with children and teen activities, a magnificent tropical pool, and our Kids Eat Free special. We think there's no better escape on earth for romance, family togetherness and authentic Fijian hospitality.

Our opinion:

Absolutely brilliant for families, kids facilities are fantastic! Definitely have a spa in the stunning setting of the Bebe Spa – so amazing! Adults also have a sunset drink in the Kalokalo Bar, high up overlooking the ocean!

DREAM WEDDING PACKAGE – FROM A\$6,500

Includes:

- Personal wedding coordinator
- Beach or chapel venue hire
- Marriage licence/Celebrant or Church Minister
- Wedding venue set up
- Bouquet for bride and buttonhole for Groom
- Choir and serenade
- Wedding dinner set up
- Wedding cake (1 tier)
- 3 hours beverage package
- 4 nights accommodation for the bride & groom in a Deluxe Ocean View Bure including sparkling wine & fruit platter
- One 60-minute couples massage
- Daily breakfast lunch and dinner



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ABOUT FUJ

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What

We will have the **best** **personalized** **greeting** from the moment you step off the plane. They call it the "Aloha spirit" and it's what we're all about. **"Happiness is where you travel."**

There are also the **most beautiful** **scenic** **views** **anywhere** **you** **will** **find** **in** **the** **world**. It is the reason that has made Fiji one of the most popular destinations for Australians.

Fiji is the **most popular** **destination** **for** **weddings** **and** **honeymoons**. It's not only the most beautiful, but it's also the most romantic and unforgettable.

Fiji is a beautiful place to get married. There is plenty of choice, but to make sure you pick the right place for you, it makes sense to speak to an expert. Fiji is a little different and you are likely to have most guests staying at the resort the entire time so they are **very convenient**. All in their own. The only thing is important to make sure we get you what's right for you.

From **handy** **handy** **views** **through** **to** **exclusive** **views** **and** **handful** **views**. Or as much as as little as you like. With white sand beaches, swimming and diving, a **private** **view** **experience** **and** **a** **variety** **of** **views** **to** **enjoy** **yourself**. It's there's something for everyone.



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What does it mean to have a destination wedding?

When you choose to have your wedding destination, it means an entire or parts of the wedding, including your ceremony, reception and more.

What are the advantages for wedding?

Save money and stress

When you have a destination wedding, you can save money on many things, such as travel, food and drinks, and more. You can also have a more intimate wedding with fewer guests.



What are the locations like?

Destinations and resorts are especially in the and with so many beautiful resorts, you can choose the most romantic and high-end resort in the world.

There is a wide range of beautiful locations and resorts to choose from. **Beach, resort, garden, island, and more.** You can choose the location that is best for you.



What is the culture like there?

From the moment you step off the plane, you will be greeted with a warm and friendly atmosphere. You will see the local culture and traditions, and you will be able to experience the best of the local culture.

The culture is the most beautiful with a mix of modern, traditional and local culture, as well as the best of the local culture.



Is it for family members?

The **Agave and Agave** resort is a beautiful resort with a mix of modern and local culture, and you will be able to experience the best of the local culture.

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WHEN IS THE BEST TIME TO GO?

The "best" season is officially December to March, but if there is going to be any really, serious weather it is usually December - January.

There are the biggest waves in December and March. **December to January is the best time to go** before holidays and most hotels, resorts, the water and Christmas will generally have higher prices.



IS IT AFFORDABLE?

The cheapest of the week is often **Monday to Friday**. From whatever you can afford to spend, we can help you make what you need of the best price.

Most resorts are open for 12 months, but some are only open for 6 months or less.



ARE THERE LOCAL SUPPLIERS OVER THERE?

Mostly, there are some **local suppliers** who have been open for many years, but you will need to check with the local suppliers in the area you are going to.

You can be sure that you will find the best local suppliers at **our suppliers**.



IS IT LEGAL TO GET MARRIED THERE?

Getting married is **legal and recognized** in all states.

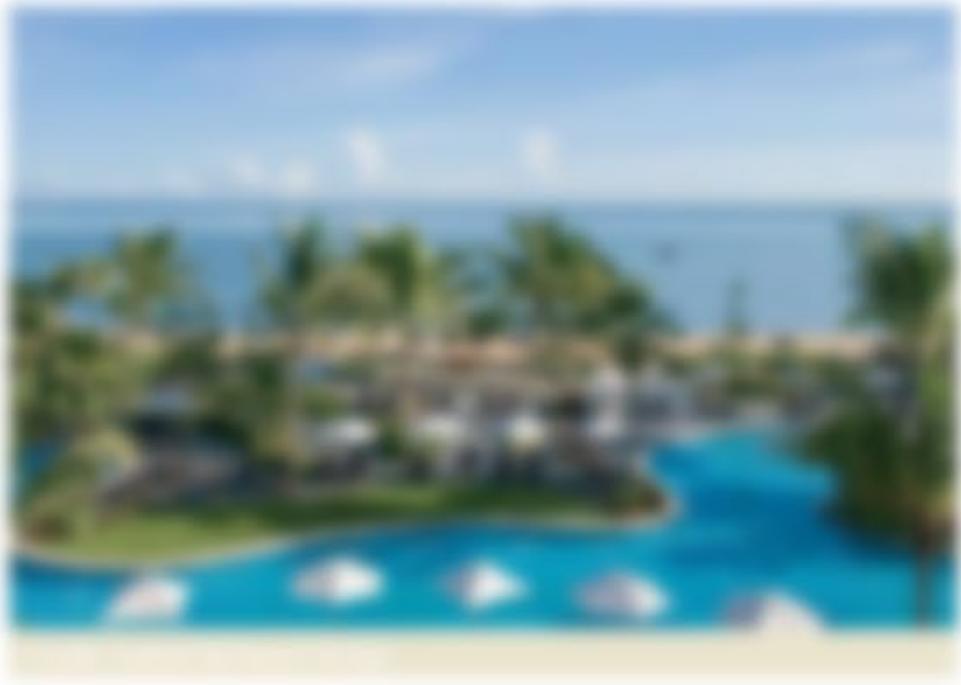
There are **many options** and we work with some of the most professional and experienced local wedding coordinators to ensure you are getting the best information.



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Overview

Denarau is a man-made island surrounded by a lagoon and just **15 minutes from the airport**.

Most of the resorts in Denarau are close to the marina where the island ferries go from, so Denarau is a **great place to stay before heading off to the island**.

The resorts there are all international chains such as Sofitel, Radisson etc and the difference here is that they are all within close proximity, giving you **flexibility in dining and staying** etc. Plus you have the marina itself where there are many restaurants at the marina as well as choice for dining.

The beaches are not amazing white sandy beaches but more **black sand and coral** so it is a swimming pool area built on a coral reef area. So if you are after convenience it is great but if you want a white sandy beach it may not be for you.

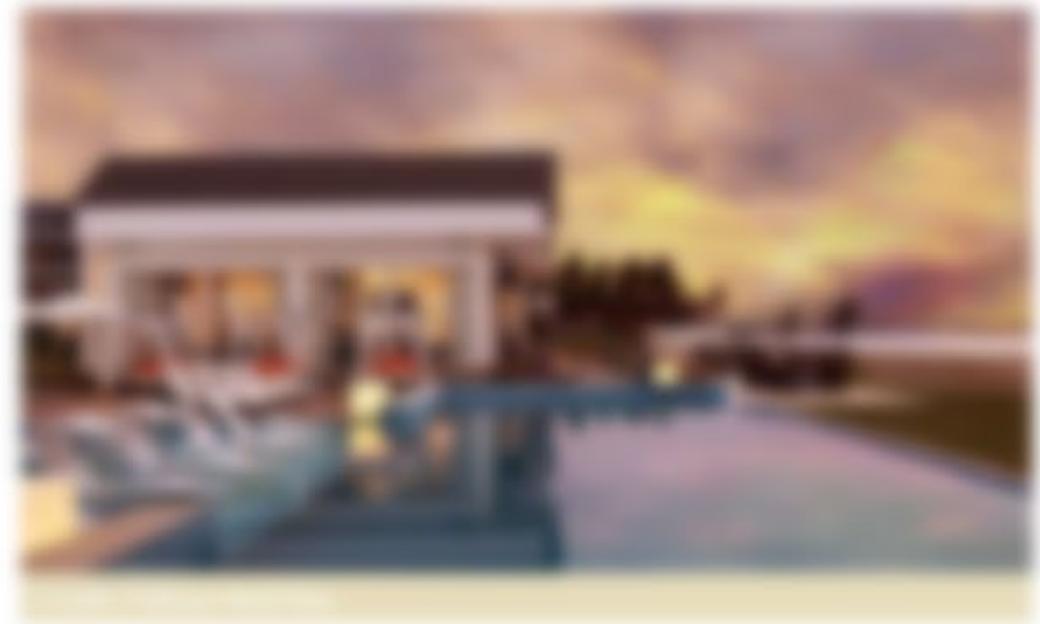
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Maximum Beach Day:

If you don't like it here, there is another area called **Marlinas Beach Day** which is about **15 minutes from the airport**. Marlinas has a couple of nice resorts there, specifically the **Palms** which is brand new.

If it is a quiet beach away from Marlinas, then there are some nice restaurants along the beach that have a **great sunset view** for before or after the wedding. If you just want to go somewhere and eat and drink outside of the resort, it is really a **casual and nice evening place** for both.

If you have people going on a budget, there are **some smaller local places** nearby as well as a **bar/restaurant**, but they all share the same beach so it is really easy to get together.



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Costa Rica

The majority of the resorts are located on the Costa Coast. Resorts are located along the coast, but as there can be significant distances between them, you can see [Costa Rica map](#) from again. Major western style resorts here although there are some smaller places for those on tighter budgets.

The resorts also offer an [eco-tourism](#) experience and you can see and learn although it is better the Costa Coast for a reason. They will do not usually have that beautiful blue water and white sandy beaches, with a couple of small exceptions.

Look for a [Costa Rica map](#) and a great beach experience.

Make sure you do need transport for resorts or out to the islands such as [Manuel Antonio Island](#).

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Private Islands (Bora Bora, Huahine & Raiatea)

Bora Bora - Known as the **Overseas Capital of the Pacific**, Bora Bora is about 2 hours drive from the airport, but worth a beautiful white sandy beach, a world class golf course, a truly cultural scene and some great scenery.

Huahine - Home to Marapea Beach, Huahine is approx 2 hours drive from the airport on the opposite side of the island. Perfect for those wanting a **quiet escape** from everything, just you and your loved ones together in the sun.

Raiatea - Home to the home of the **traditional and authentic life** with all of the stress. Raiatea is fabulous for those who are looking for some real culture or something like the **French Polynesia**. Another option is to take over a whole island with Tahiti as island Bora.



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Islands & Resorts

How to make island visits, including the family-friendly Hawaiian Islands, there are many islands to visit, only islands like Tahiti and Moorea, and the luxury islands such as Bora Bora which has five five and six bedroom bungalows.

Which island will suit you will be depending on your budget, mainly, but the islands are the surrounding by, with the **best of both worlds**

Our biggest tip is

Combine with the island visit to the other islands. The islands are in the islands, they are linked up in a network with all flights, so recommending either an overnight on the mainland or water taxi. If you choose an island we strongly suggest that you do not book flights without checking with us first as you get all the best offers, so we can ensure it all works.

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Island Beauty

Further up are the Mainland Islands, and the former island islands, where they think that suggest that there are **islands with amazing beaches**, you can swim with the sharks here as well.

At the far end, and reached by private jet, is the gorgeous island island island, which is another beautiful island.

Because of the rugged and sometimes, this is a **great place for staying at the island island island**.



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Important note

All original documents are required to be brought to the venue and signed by your wedding coordinator. All original documents cannot be scanned. All government forms will be accepted. Signatures can be made after all information is completed on the back section of the name forms.

Is it a legally recognized marriage?

Your marriage is recognized and legal worldwide. Both partners and the legal age is 18. In the US, you must be 18 to get married. The legal age is 16 in the UK.

How do I change my name then?

You cannot do an official name change when they get back to the venue which is when records in both books and the legal. We suggest that when you receive your marriage certificate get around a "first" name certified by a JP and take them with you. You will need a certificate you will need to apply to try to change the name.

Books and credit cards etc will need a copy of the certificate and the original. Apply to the relevant authority for your new name and it is done and then official to do a name change.

What is required to produce a Certificate of Single Status?

All applicants are now required to produce a Certificate of Single Status. You will need to go to your local British Consul and the legal and apply to you. They will check the records and issue a certificate saying that as of date there is no record of a marriage in that name. This will be done on very short notice if you are ready.

What is the legal age we can marry in the UK?

The legal age is 16 years, otherwise under consent is required from parents with confirmation from a JP.

How long before my wedding do I need to arrive in the UK?

Unfortunately we can no longer guarantee applications as we need to check in our consulates. The reality is you need to be there to get a legally official during the working week. Ideally 7 days before the date.

There is no legal requirement, however we do suggest arriving at least 2 days prior to allow you to meet with your wedding coordinator, visit the Registry Office during the working week and have all paperwork and preparations. We have to check by JP. We have to bring your legal arrangements and show at the Registry Office. It is highly recommended to arrive 2 days before the date.

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WEDDING OPTIONS

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Don't let your dream wedding slip away!
Talk to us about other options such as: Planning your own event, a small and intimate pop-up
reception, or going the best of both worlds through the islands.

WEDDING VENUES

- Antigua Beach Club

WEDDING SERVICES

- Antigua Beach Club



HONEYMOONS

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For anyone looking for that **amazing sun beach honeymoon destination**, you can't beat Fiji.

Fiji has always been very popular with newly weds looking for that romance and beauty - after all, this is a **very special time in a lifetime** (right?)

Here you can find it all - from the lovely weather, beautiful places to stay, and as much or little privacy or activities as you wish.

There are **so many options** - honeymoon get included, which only all inclusive or private island style resorts, where the staff get to know you and often remember your favourite drinks after the first time. **Plus** there are so many beautiful family friendly resorts if you are travelling with your little ones.

We **are truly experts** in all the resorts, so we can advise you on the perfect place that will suit all of your requirements.

Fiji **truly is amazing** for that romantic escape!



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10 Days of Romantic Bliss in a Stunning Location This is our choice for the top romantic island in the world. Adults only.

Maldives Romantic Escape

Perfect for honeymooners, couples retreats, anniversary getaways, and romantic breaks. Includes a 5-day island hopping experience. Adults only.

Maldives Beach Bliss

An island retreat and one of the most exclusive honeymoon resorts. Includes a 5-day island hopping experience. Adults only.

Maldives Island Paradise

Small and intimate, this offers the most privacy in any of our island retreats and is the most romantic. Includes island hopping. Adults only.

Maldives Beachfront Bliss

Stunning beachfront location for the world's best service and luxury accommodations. Includes a 5-day island hopping and beach retreat experience. Adults only.

Maldives Beachfront Bliss

Stunning beachfront location with private pools, gourmet dining, and amazing beach views. Includes a 5-day island hopping experience. Adults only.

Maldives Beachfront Bliss

Set in the beautiful tropical island with incredible beaches and stunning views. This is an island retreat with a rich history. Adults only. (Child seats available)



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