

A TAUCK JOURNEY THAT'S REGAL IN EVERY WAY

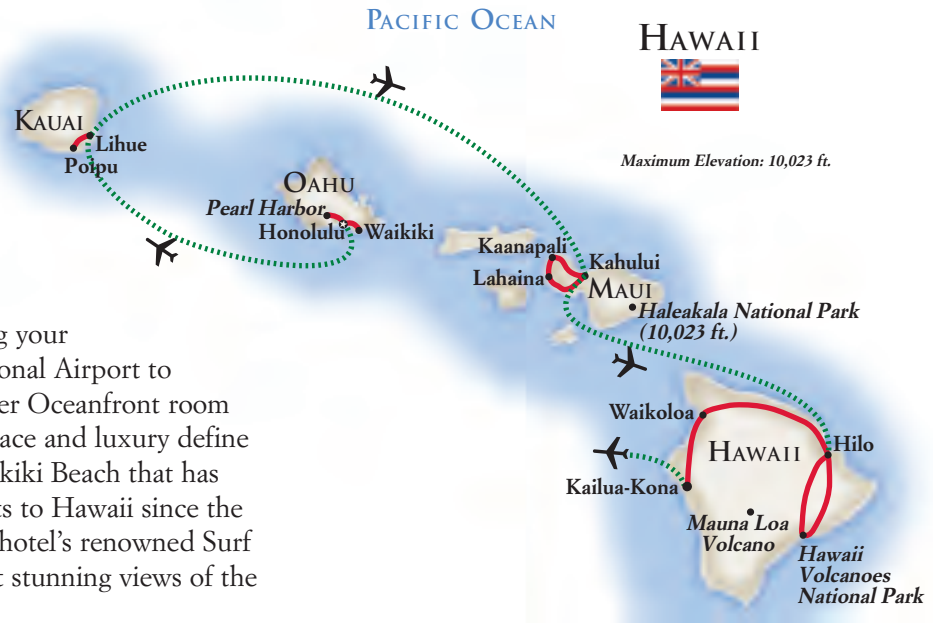
- ◆ Limousine service and lei greeting upon your arrival at Honolulu International Airport
- ◆ Premier Tower Oceanfront rooms at The Royal Hawaiian
- ◆ Grand Club ocean-view rooms at the Grand Hyatt Kauai and Regency Club ocean-view rooms at the Hyatt Regency Maui Resort & Spa
- ◆ Ocean-view rooms on the Fairmont Gold Concierge Floors at The Fairmont Orchid
- ◆ Limousine service to the airport in Kona on the Big Island



Indulge the senses from ocean-view rooms at The Fairmont Orchid



THE BEST OF HAWAII: ROYAL DEPARTURES



1. ARRIVE HONOLULU, OAHU Tour begins: The Royal Hawaiian.

Our limousine service will be waiting your arrival at Oahu's Honolulu International Airport to whisk you away in style to your Tower Oceanfront room at The Royal Hawaiian. Elegance, grace and luxury define this legendary "Pink Palace" on Waikiki Beach that has welcomed celebrities and royal guests to Hawaii since the turn of the last century! Dine at the hotel's renowned Surf Lanai Restaurant this evening amidst stunning views of the beach and sea. **Meals D**

2. PEARL HARBOR / PALACE

Rise early for a sightseeing excursion of city landmarks. Your first stop is a visit to Pearl Harbor, site of the poignant memorial to the *USS Arizona*, where the events of December 7, 1941 will never be forgotten. Drive through the capitol district of downtown Honolulu this afternoon, seeing the historic sea captain's mansion and former governor's residence at Washington Place, and the grandiose state capitol building. A special evening awaits

when you attend a reception and private dinner at Iolani Palace. Built in 1882, this National Historic Landmark reigns as the only official state residence of royalty in the United States. **Meals BD**

3. NATURAL TREASURES OF OAHU

A sightseeing tour of Oahu includes the panoramic views of the windward side of the island at Nuuanu Pali

Tauck Value Includes:

- **Exclusive small group departures!** Every departure limited to 26 Tauck guests!
- Premier ocean-view rooms at the islands' best resorts
- A private dinner on the grounds of Iolani Palace, a National Historic Monument that reigns as the only official royal residence in the United States
- An authentic taste of Hawaiian fusion-style cuisine as you learn the secrets of national award-winning recipes at Roy's of Kahana, a renowned restaurant on Maui
- Preferred seating at a festive Hawaiian luau in Maui
- Guided tour of Kona Coffee Farm on the Big Island
- Limousine transfers upon arrival and departure as noted
- 21 meals, service charges, gratuities to local guides, admission fees, taxes and portorage



Lookout. Scenic landscapes abound, from lush tropical rainforests, rocky cliffs and volcanic craters like Diamond Head to golden beaches, and turquoise bays where bird and marine life share island shores with surfers, sailors and fishermen. The remainder of the day is free for you to enjoy the island as you wish. **Meals B**

4. GARDEN ISLE OF KAUAI

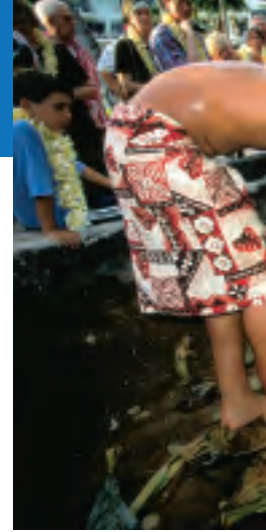
A short flight takes you to Kauai, called the "Garden Isle" for its sweet-smelling botanical world of manicured gardens, verdant valleys and enchanted rainforests. By law, buildings here may not exceed the height of a coconut tree, estimated between three and four stories high, so as not to distract from the island's natural beauty. Your island experience begins with lunch on the grounds of Kilohana Plantation, once the most prestigious estate on the island. It continues as you travel through the amazing Tunnel of Trees – Eucalyptus trees planted in 1911 as a windbreak for sugar-cane fields – to emerge at the golden-red Poipu beach and your beachfront home for the next two nights. Enjoy ocean-view Grand Club rooms at the Grand Hyatt Kauai Resort & Spa, ranked among the best tropical resorts in *Condé Nast Traveler's* annual readers' poll. **Meals BL**

5. ECOLOGY OF THE ISLANDS

An informative RAVEN interpretive series lecture this morning on the unique ecological features of these Pacific Ocean islands offers you an in-depth introduction to the natural history that surrounds you. Put your newfound insights to work on an optional helicopter flightseeing adventure over Kauai's lush valleys and dramatic coastline this afternoon, available at an additional cost (see page 96), or spend the remainder of the day at leisure enjoying the amenities of your world-class resort. **Meals BD**

6. MAUI, THE VALLEY ISLE

Fly to Maui this morning for a three-night stay. Maui wears one of her most famous landmarks as a crown, weaving the majestic beauty of the dormant 10,023-foot-high Mount Haleakala into a lush landscape alive with ancient legends and traditions. Guided exploration of this verdant *Valley Isle* with Tauck includes a visit to beautiful Iao Valley, a view of sugar cane fields and historic maritime discoveries in the old whaling town of Lahaina, brimming with maritime history from the 1800s. Your luxury resort is set on 40 acres at Kaanapali Beach; savor breathtaking ocean views and pampering amenities from your Regency Club rooms. **Meals BD**



Traveling with Tauck ensures an authentic taste of local life, from a hands-on gourmet cooking class to a poignant visit to Pearl Harbor, a festive luau dinner and cultural traditions of song and dance that date back hundreds of years

7. A TASTE OF MAUI

Life on Maui entices with wildlife-rich waters, fragrant gardens, and an average year-round temperature of 75 degrees – the perfect ingredients for delectable local culinary treats. Discover the secrets of authentic island cuisine today when you attend a hands-on gourmet cooking experience at an award-winning restaurant, culminating in a memorable luncheon. The remainder of the day is free for resort pleasures. **Meals BL**

8. MOUNT HALEAKALA & LUAU

Travel to the top of Mount Haleakala, Maui's legendary *House of the Sun*, viewing the extraordinary volcanic landscapes of the crater. Drive past acres of onions, lettuce, tomatoes, carrots, cabbage, and flowers covering the hillside farms of local residents who make their homes here as you make your descent. You're invited to a festive *luau* tonight, where Hawaii's cultural traditions come alive in dance, food and song. Tauck has arranged preferred seating for you at this fun-filled event. **Meals BD**

9. BIG ISLAND OF HAWAII

Fly to the Big Island of Hawaii this morning, where Hawaii Volcanoes National Park boasts a starring role. Discover craters, lava tubes and a score of fascinating legends as you explore its surreal landscapes en route to your acclaimed Fairmont hotel, nestled amidst 32 oceanfront acres along the Kohala coast. As close to paradise as it gets, The Fairmont Orchid, Hawaii offers spectacular scenic views and extensive recreational facilities as well as a close-up look at historical sites located on the resort grounds. Your ocean-view rooms are on the Fairmont Gold Concierge Floor. **Meals BLD**

10. FLIGHTSEEING & A CATAMARAN SAIL

Start your day with an optional two-hour helicopter flightseeing excursion that soars over the active Kilauea volcano, the hidden tropical valleys of the Kohala Mountains and the green rainforests of the Hamakua Coast, available at an additional cost – see page 96. Enjoy the pleasures of your resort today. The hotel is home to an award-winning "Spa Without Walls," fitness center, an oceanfront 10,000-sq.-ft. swimming pool, world-class tennis courts, a 36-hole golf course and more. Experience an evening catamaran sail along the beautiful Kohala Coast – a relaxing way to end a perfect day. **Meals B**

11. HISTORIC KONA COFFEE FARM

The historic Kona Coffee Belt sits within a twenty-mile stretch of prime agricultural land on the leeward coast of the island where ancient Hawaiians harvested taro, banana, breadfruit, sugar cane, and mountain apple crops. Today this region hosts the Kona Coffee Living History Farm, a working seven-acre coffee and macadamia nut farm first homesteaded in 1900. Step back in time on a guided tour through the coffee orchards, farmhouse, Japanese bathhouse and coffee-processing mill, meeting local "pioneers" along the way. Explore the harborside village of Kailua-Kona, nestled at the bottom of the Hualalai Volcano, en route back to your hotel. Join us for a regal farewell cocktail reception and dinner tonight. **Meals BD**

12. JOURNEY HOME

Tour ends: Hawaii's Big Island. Fly home anytime. A limousine transfer to the Kailua-Kona Airport is included from The Fairmont Orchid, Hawaii. Allow two hours for flight check-in. **Meals B**



THE ROYAL HAWAIIAN

A symbol of luxury on Waikiki Beach since 1927, The Royal Hawaiian is reopening in January, 2009 after an extensive renovation. Be among the first to indulge in the unrivaled pleasures of your Tower Oceanfront Room.



GRAND HYATT KAUAI RESORT & SPA

Stunning ocean views combine with exclusive Kauai accommodations in the resort's Grand Club rooms and the services of a personal concierge, evening cocktails and full spa admission to make your stay here pure bliss.



HYATT REGENCY MAUI RESORT & SPA

A feeling of Hawaiian elegance prevails throughout this oceanfront resort, from breathtaking views of the Pacific Ocean, West Maui Mountains and Kaanapali Beach to the luxurious in-room amenities that await your arrival.



THE FAIRMONT ORCHID, HAWAII

Sugar-sand beaches and aquamarine waters soothe the soul at this elite 32-acre resort, enhanced by ocean-view guest rooms that feature private lanais, an award-winning "Spa Without Walls" and island-style fun at every turn.

12 DAYS FROM \$6,365* PLUS AIRFARE
(11 Breakfasts, 3 Lunches & 7 Dinners)

BEGINS HONOLULU, OAHU

Jan 24 Feb 15 Apr 27 May 13
Jul 13 Sep 22 Oct 14, 31 Dec 3, 17

Go to www.tauck.com for additional departure dates and for up-to-the-minute space availability.

Exclusive Small Group departures ensure a more intimate travel experience for no more than 26 guests.

PRICE PER PERSON

Helicopter Flightseeing – additional \$299 per person on Kauai, or an additional \$550 per person on the Big Island of Hawaii (fuel surcharges are included); see page 96 or ask at time of booking.

***LAND PRICE + ON-TOUR AIR (3 flights) = TOTAL PER PERSON**

Double	\$6365	+	\$225	=	\$6590
Single	\$8773	+	\$225	=	\$8998
Triple	\$5837	+	\$225	=	\$6062

Airfare is additional. Tauck can book your air, to Oahu and from the Big Island of Hawaii, for travel originating in the U.S., subject to availability; inquire upon booking for special airfares that may be available.

Please ask at time of booking about additional hotel nights before your tour begins and about our comprehensive Guest Protection Plan.

FINE HOTELS / GREAT LOCATIONS

Night 1,2,3	The Royal Hawaiian	Waikiki, Oahu (Tower Oceanfront Rooms)
Night 4,5	Grand Hyatt Kauai Resort & Spa	Koloa, Kauai (Grand Club Rooms)
Night 6,7,8	Hyatt Regency Maui Resort & Spa	Lahaina, Maui (Regency Club Rooms)
Night 9,10,11	The Fairmont Orchid, Hawaii	Kohala Coast, Big Island (Ocean-view Rooms)