




Kuramathi
ISLAND RESORT
naturally maldives

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Concept, Island & Location

Set in Rasdhoo Atoll, on one of 5 islands located in this tiny archipelago, Kuramathi offers a naturally Maldivian holiday experience, with unique twists to suit everyone. Whether you are one half of a couple on a romantic getaway or part of a big family seeking to enjoy quality time together, whether you prefer undersea activities to overwater, whether you would rather indulge in sensual spa therapies than play a game of outdoor tennis, there is literally something for everyone. Come to Kuramathi and discover the Maldives at its best. Relax, get comfortable and enjoy the beautiful island: sun, sand, surf, mouth-watering food, range of villas to suit all budgets, diverse facilities and, of course, welcoming and friendly service that the Maldives is known for.

Kuramathi is located 56 kilometres west of the Male' International Airport. The island is over 1.8km long, with acres of luxuriant vegetation surrounded by spectacular beaches tapering into an endless sandbank. Guest villas are scattered around lush gardens, facing secluded areas of long beaches or poised over water, and some feature additional luxuries such as outdoor jacuzzis or private pools.

Lounge & Transfer

Our Airport Hosts will greet you on arrival, check you in for your seaplane and escort you to the terminal which features a dedicated Kuramathi Lounge for you to relax in whilst you wait for your flight. Refreshments and complimentary internet access are offered here. Soon you will embark on your 20 minute seaplane flight that offers an unforgettable bird's eye view of the stunning atolls below.

Facilities & Services

Boutiques

Several boutiques are available on Kuramathi. If you ever feel the need to splurge or get some 'retail therapy' our boutiques are conveniently located near the reception and the guest lounges.

In addition the following services are also available:

- Villa Dining (selected villas only)
- All major credit cards are accepted
- 24 hour Reception and two additional Guest Lounges
- Multilingual Team
- Laundry Service
- Books / Magazines at the Reception and Guest Lounges. DVDs at Athiri Lounge
- Wi-Fi Internet Access
- Foreign Currency Exchange

Medical Centre

Kuramathi Medical Centre is one of the best equipped facility in this area, and features the largest hyperbaric (decompression) chamber in the Maldives. It is equipped to handle major diving accidents or other emergencies. The Medical Centre also features modern diagnostic devices for carrying out ECG, X-rays, ultrasound scanning (including Doppler), spirometry and audiometry, and includes a small ward with two beds. Two European doctors, a Diving Medical Officer and a General Practitioner, are employed year round.

Our Environment

The award-winning Eco Centre at Kuramathi is the hub of all our corporate social responsibility efforts. We strive to protect our environment, offer enriched experiences to our guests and maintain eco-friendly approaches within our operations. Visit one such initiative: our Hydroponic Garden, which grows salads for the resort's use. The Eco Centre is led by the Resident Marine Biologist who plays a key role in ensuring that guests are aware of proper snorkelling etiquette. The Eco Centre also offers guided snorkelling safaris and provide detailed insight into the magnificent underwater world through visual presentations. A key specimen on display is a sperm whale skeleton. The Eco Centre is also involved in various external conservation projects and works with a local school to promote environmental awareness and initiatives.





Guest Villas



With villas in several distinct styles both on land and over the water, you are bound to find the perfect one for you. Kuramathi offers an option for everyone, ranging from the simply designed Garden Villas for those with a modest budget, to the well appointed pool villas.

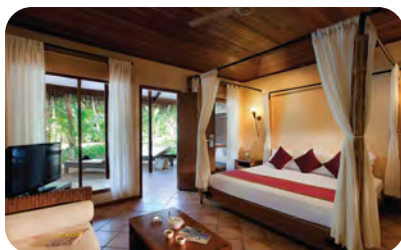
All villas feature king-sized bed, attached bathroom, shower, hot and cold water, air conditioning, fan, hair dryer, bath and beach towels, bathrobes, bathroom amenities, minibar, in-room safe, IDD telephone, coffee/tea making facilities, flat screen TV with cable, DVD player with iPod docks and sun decks with sunloungers.

Check-in is at 14:00hrs, check-out is at 12:00hrs.



12 Garden Villas - 45 sqm

With four built together, the Garden Villas are simple yet stylish and feature a semi-open air bathroom with rainfall shower. Close to the beach and the pristine blue waters, they provide for our most affordable Kuramathi experience.



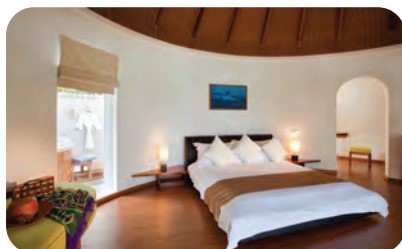
71 Beach Villas - 70 sqm

The Beach Villas are individual villas hidden within the abundant vegetation, yet only a few steps away from the beach. Facing the lagoon side of the island, they feature king-sized four-poster beds, expansive wooden decks at the front with daybed and sunloungers. The Beach Villas also include semi-open air bathrooms with outdoor rainfall shower.



33 Beach Villas with Jacuzzi - 90 sqm

Sited amongst the natural gardens of the island, the wooden Beach Villa with Jacuzzi features king-sized four-poster bed and an inviting daybed, whilst the deck outside offers daybed and sunloungers for two. The bathroom is large and open air, and includes a tempting jacuzzi in the corner.



35 Superior Beach Villas with Jacuzzi - 90 sqm

These villas are contemporary in design. Round in shape, the villa includes a wooden deck featuring an alluring built-in outdoor daybed and sunloungers. The bedroom is spacious and minimalist, displaying a modern king-sized low bed as the centrepiece. The open air bathroom leads to an outdoor jacuzzi.



31 Deluxe Beach Villas with Jacuzzi - 95 sqm

Facing the turquoise lagoon, these villas feature oversized wooden decks with sunloungers, sun umbrella and daybed. The bedroom features a king-sized four-poster bed and a built-in sunlit daybed. The bathroom has a bath/shower, twin vanities, and a large outdoor area with a rainfall shower, outdoor daybed, and an inviting jacuzzi on an elevated deck. The added luxury of an espresso machine with complimentary refill is included from this villa category upwards.



35 2-Bedroom Beach Houses - 205 sqm

Ideal for families or friends travelling together, the 2-Bedroom Beach Houses have two stories each featuring separate living spaces, with individual entrances. Both come with expansive bedrooms with king-sized beds, day beds and wooden sundeck, or balcony. Spacious and airy bathrooms are complete with bath, shower, twin vanity and outdoor rainfall shower. These duplex villas are located at the top end of the island facing either the lagoon or reef, each accommodating 6 adults or 4 adults and 2 children.



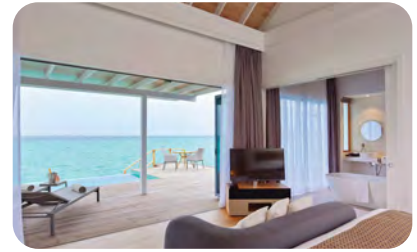
50 Water Villas with Jacuzzi - 90 sqm

These magnificent villas are also built on stilts, close to the house reef with its colourful myriad of marine life. The villa features an airy bedroom with king bed and a spacious bathroom with twin vanities and rainfall shower. The villas also include an oversized two-tiered sundeck with your jacuzzi, sunloungers and sun umbrella. Enjoy panoramic views of the Indian Ocean.



30 Deluxe Water Villa - 136 sqm

Set in the middle of our vast turquoise lagoon, the Deluxe Water Villa feature a king-sized bed and a daybed. The spacious bathroom offers a freestanding bath, and opens onto an expansive deck with steps down to the azure waters. In addition to the wide range of in-villa amenities, all villas from this category upwards also feature a fuller minibar complete with a separate wine chiller featuring over 30 bottles from around the globe.



33 Water Villa with Pool - 185 sqm

The Water Villas with Pool are located either in the crystal clear lagoon or facing the house reef, all featuring modern interiors similar to the Deluxe Water Villas. These villas also include a private pool (18sqm) overlooking the ocean. The additional luxury of Villa Dining is available on request from this villa category onwards.



12 Sunset Pool Villas - 165 sqm

Set right at the edge of the beach on the sunset side of the island, enter the Sunset Pool Villas through your own private courtyard. The bedroom boasts views out to the infinity pool (18sqm) matching the picturesque vista beyond. The villa is furnished with a walk-in wardrobe and an indoor bathroom complete with a free standing bath, twin vanity, and a separate outdoor rainfall shower.



16 Sunset Water Villa with Pool - 185 sqm

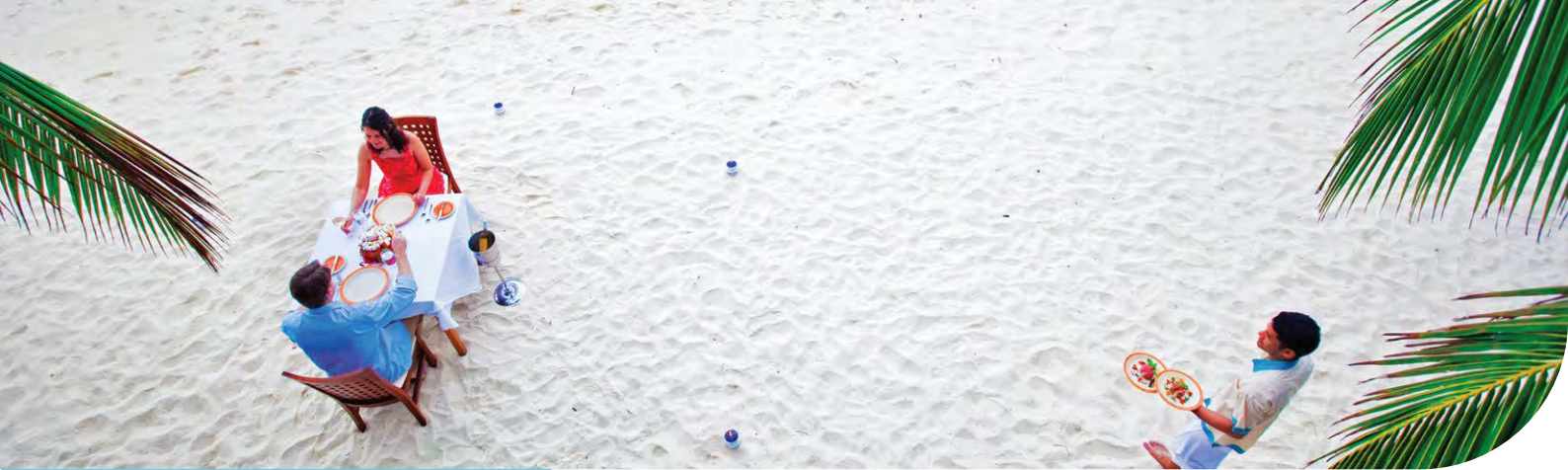
These villas are identical to the Water Villas with Pool, in style and in size, yet provide for even a better experience as they are located on the sunset side of the island, just steps from the long stretch of the famous Kuramathi sand bank.



2 Honeymoon Pool Villas - 310 sqm

Designed for couples celebrating romance, these are large one bedroom villas with a separate living area. The bedroom features a king-sized bed and a daybed, whilst the living area includes an inviting sofa and a large flat screen TV, DVD player and an espresso machine. A private sanctuary at the back features an open air bathroom with twin vanities, large ceiling LED-lit shower, a bath for two and an air-conditioned lounge. A 10 metre lap pool completes this piece of heaven.





Wine & Dine



Restaurants

In addition to the three buffet restaurants where international themed dining is offered for breakfast, lunch and dinner, Kuramathi offers nine à la carte restaurants featuring a range of cuisine to suit all palates. For something more elaborate, you can book a Romance Dinner or enjoy a sumptuous Lobster Dinner on a secluded corner of the beach.

Malaafaiy, Haruge and Farivalhu Restaurants

Main restaurants featuring international themed buffets.

Tandoor Mahal

An authentic Indian experience for neophytes and enthusiasts alike.

Palm

Culinary delights from the Mediterranean shores and homemade ice cream under a canopy of palms.

Island Coffee Shop

All day dining in an open air setting.

Siam Garden

Savour the unique flavours of Thailand.

Duniye

Gastronomic world cuisine served with our collection of well-acclaimed wines.

Inguru

Light dining options during the day, and exquisite Asian Fusion cuisine for dinner.

The Reef

Freshly caught fish and prime cuts prepared just the way you like it. Set over the water for that ultimate dining experience.

Island Barbeque

Traditional grill on the beach overlooking the infinity edged swimming pool.

Kobe

An over-water teppanyaki dining experience complete with a culinary performance.



Bars

Depending on your mood, dance under the starlit skies, listen to mellow sounds of our band or while away the day sipping flavourful concoctions. Be spoilt for choice.

Fung Bar

A lively hangout, spacious and with views out into the ocean.

Dhoni Bar

Faces the lagoon, and offers an expansive deck and hookahs in an array of exotic flavours.

Laguna Bar

Perfect spot for a swim in our fresh water pool or to enjoy breathtaking sunsets.

Pool Bar

Opt for healthy fruit blends and tropical mocktails.

Havana Club

An eclectic wine selection and focus on dark spirits, Havana Club is an indoor bar equipped with a karaoke system and showcases branded cigars from Cuba.

Sand Bar

A beach bar splayed with bean bags, a superb venue to chill out and watch movies on the beach.

Champagne Loft

Offers a wide range of champagnes, sparkling wines and white spirits - together with unbeatable views out to the Indian Ocean.

All Inclusive Packages

For ultimate relaxation and peace of mind, why not book your holiday on all inclusive basis? You can leave your worries behind and spend your holiday dedicated to each other. The Basic All Inclusive package includes a wide variety of premium alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks, high tea, snorkelling and windsurf equipment and two excursions whilst the Select All Inclusive package additionally allows you to dine at 12 different restaurants by reservation. The choice includes 3 buffet and 9 à la carte restaurants. It also includes a selection of bottled wines, as well as preferred pricing on the full wine list.



Recreation



Sports Centre

The Sports Centre provides an excellent opportunity for you to keep fit whilst on holiday. It features a fully equipped gymnasium with all modern fitness equipment. The sports centre also includes a floodlit tennis court, fresh water swimming pool, children's pool, jacuzzi, and Pool Bar. Two additional fresh water infinity-edged pools are also available, one located near Fung bar, and the other at Laguna Bar.

Diving

The combination of abundant marine life, colourful reefs, warm waters and big fish encounters set the Maldives apart from other popular diving destinations. On Kuramathi, you find a fully equipped PADI/SSI dive centre offering a wide range of underwater adventures including the chance to dive with manta rays. It is also one of the few places in the world where you can still see hammerhead sharks!



Water Sports

Experience fun and adventure! Take part in a wide range of non-motorised water sports including windsurfing, catamaran sailing or kayaking. If you need something more thrilling, you can try parasailing, water skiing, wake boarding or even an exhilarating banana ride! The Water Sports centre also offers RYA certified courses in windsurfing and sailing for all ages, and a variety of excursions on a catamaran or a motorboat.

Excursions

Join our excursions for some excitement or to discover the Maldives and the traditional way of life of its inhabitants. A full range of excursions is available including island hopping, visits to local islands, snorkelling trips, sunset cruise and big game fishing.

Kuramathi fully supports 'catch and release' policies in Big Game Fishing of bill fish. We are also one of very few resorts which do not offer Night Fishing as an excursion. We take pride in our decision and our part to protect our pristine surroundings.

Bageecha

The term Bageecha is coined from the local name for 'Park or Garden' and is also the name of the Kids Club at Kuramathi Island. Shaped like an inverted Maldivian boat or 'Dhoni', Bageecha offers age-appropriate fun experiences to our younger guests. A wide range of outdoor and indoor activities is organised for kids of 3 to 12 years, including nature walks, treasure hunts, beach activities, as well as marine life education in conjunction with the resort's Eco Centre. Located just a few minutes' walk from the beach, over 300 sqm is dedicated to Bageecha, and it includes a large play room, an entertainment room, a dining area where children can enjoy snacks or have lunch, and a large outdoor area featuring a playground, sandpit and even a barbecue corner! A professional team is on hand to ensure that the little ones have a fun time on Kuramathi, whilst allowing their parents to do the same.



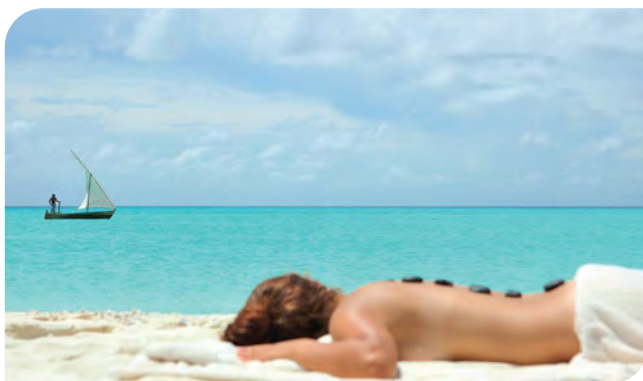


Kuramathi Spa



Kuramathi Spa prides itself with its level of excellence in spa hospitality and services provided. The setting emanates well-being and tranquility, all yours to enjoy. We have integrated, ancient rituals with the highest level quality of European beauty products and Far Eastern natural essential oils, all in great respect to our environment and location. Our rituals are performed by our team of highly trained professionals, from Asia, each eager to create an unforgettable experience every time you are in their care.

You can arrive at the spa early to begin your journey with hot and cold water experiences. A relaxation area and separate wet areas for men and women are available, each featuring steam, sauna, icy plunge pool and rainfall shower. Kuramathi Spa offers single and couple treatment rooms both on land and over-water. The menu includes a selection of treatments meticulously thought of for both men and women ranging from specific skin care treatments, a variety of body care programs, foot care and hair care. Our body massages and care programs are based on traditional rituals from Europe, India, Thailand and Indonesia.



Celebrate



The soft white beaches, the azure skies, and the endless turquoise Indian Ocean twinkling in the bright sun... they are all beckoning you, to come and celebrate your new-found romance or renew your love for each other. You cannot ask for a more romantic setting. Kuramathi offers different renewal of love packages to suit your plans.



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