



A Week in Paradise: A Time of Deep Reflection, Connection, and Renewal On the Big Island of Hawaii

Hosted & Lightly Guided
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Aloha Friends,

We write to share an emerging vision and invitation with you.

As the New Year unfolds and winter days grow dark and cold, can you imagine giving yourself the gift of "A Week in Paradise" to warm-up, deeply rest, renew and reflect, immerse yourself in super-natural nurturing beauty, adventure, work remotely, *malama* (care for) yourself, and slow down to the speed of life in rural Hawaii?



Is there something currently calling for more of your dedicated attention: a project, a prayer, some self-care, a new learning or deep reflection, a call for a fresh new change of scenery, or...?

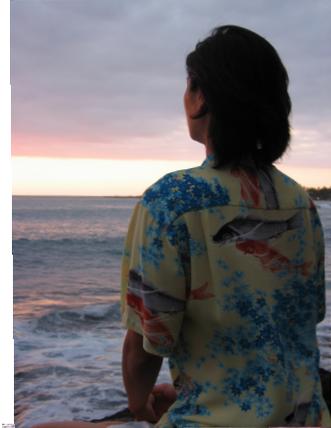
Bring your beach and adventure gear... a creative project...some good books and a journal... your meditation or yoga practice... your ukulele (or other instrument), a hammock, a few friends, and join us for a super-natural week in paradise.

For this intimate gathering in the Aloha Spirit, we welcome six to twelve people who hear the call to join us here at our home-sanctuary, to live simply and close to nature for a week, and enjoy the inspiring company of other kindred souls. While each person will have their own unique interests, needs, and plans, we envision that a sweet synergy and sharing will emerge that will lead to meaningful dialogue, fun adventures, shared meals, nurturing new friendships and new discoveries.

Our role as your hosts will be to guide some meditations, adventures, and talk-story time, and to support each person in finding the resources and adventures that will most inspire and nurture you.



We provide an awesomely beautiful natural space for people who want to relax, have a comfortable basecamp for Island adventures, or seek to make progress on a creative project, source a deeper inspiration, do their work close to nature, and be in the company of other creative spirits.



Those who have joined us for other open gatherings of this nature have had wonder-full island adventures, rested deeply or engaged in deep healing, worked in the garden, read or written books, focused attention on meaningful projects, deepened in their creative arts (music, dance, writing, yoga, ad infinitum); designed presentations, made important life decisions, clarified priorities, designed organizations, living, and working spaces; developed teams; initiated fresh starts and new beginnings; sourced the creative intelligence that comes from interfusing creative and receptive qualities of mind; and listened for deeper, clearer Guidance for what comes next in their lives-work.

WE OFFER:

- A welcoming and nurturing zone of peace and pristine natural beauty;
- WiFi and cell-phone access;
- A beautiful collection of creative structures inspired by esthetic designs from Bali, Tibet, Mongolia, Turkey, and Thailand;
- Accommodations - cabins, glamping, or shared space in our commons - plus bedding and towels;
- Organic gardens and orchards to harvest a wide variety of fresh foods from - tended with principles of Natural Farming and Permaculture in mind;
- Access to our lovely bathhouse and kitchen;
- 18 amazingly beautiful and private acres to explore -



ponds, bamboo groves, rolling lawns, fire pits and earth sculptures, hammocks and sky chairs to let go into, and gardens to graze... Ahhh)))

- Vast views across the ocean to expansive Haleakala, the isles of Maui, Lanai, Kahoolawe, and humpback whales who congregate along our coast in the winter months;
- Easy access to the longest stretch of undeveloped coastline in Hawaii-the historic North Kohala Coast;
- Minutes from coffee shops, kava bar, quaint restaurants, and galleries of Hawi Town and Kapaau, and 30 minutes from Waimea;
- Swim, snorkel, snooze, or surf at 20+ pristine ocean beaches within 15 to 45 minutes drive;
- Dance with many rainbows and and the star studded clear night sky free from city lights ;
- Malama aina ~ care for the earth ~ help on the farm ~ tend the garden, plant, harvest, weed, gather mulch from the ponds, make leis and create flower arrangements, harvest dragon fruit, avocados, coffee, bananas, papayas, plantains, Surinam cherries, mac nuts, passion fruit, lemons, tangerines, tree tomatoes, collards, figs, kale, carrots, beets, a myriad of herbs, green sapotes, kabocha squash, tomatoes, Brazilian cherries, rowlinias, lychees, egg fruit, mountain apples, bamboo shoots, coconut, guava, Malabar chestnut, jabotacabas, abiu, and jade flowers...if in season;
- Meditate by the Bodhi Tree (a scion of the original one in Bodhgaya India) ;
- Opportunities to visit other local creative homesteads, permaculture farms, and inspiring eco-village social experiments;
- Explore our lovely, quiet, one-lane-rural-road for long walks/jogs with awesome views;
- Take a hike or an adventure;
- Guided meditation and chi kung sessions;
- Quiet times each day..... offered to deepen your peace, clarify and affirm your highest intentions dearest to your heart, cultivate the clear presence of your mind, and focus your attention on your inner and outer work;
- A library of inspiring books and meaningful movies exploring: wisdom of the Island wayfarers; the nature of reality; noetic sciences; meditation, mind-fitness,



- contemplative science and wisdom traditions;
- Tend the sacred fire of your own growing light, under a star-studded sky;
- Opportunities for shared meals, meaningful dialogues and deep shared reflection, playing music together, collaboration, and talk-story time;
- Learning about Hawaiian history and the wisdom legacy of ancient and contemporary local culture and arts.

AVAILABLE OPTIONS (some at extra cost):

- Personal mentoring sessions
- Access to rich network of local wisdom keepers, healing arts practitioners, body work, etc.
- Horseback riding and scuba diving
- Astronomy lectures at local observatories
- Dolphin swims and sailing adventures
- Visits to lava flow and volcanoes
- Kayaking
- Local cultural events and celebrations

YOU PROVIDE your own transportation and other food beyond our gardens.

THE VIBE and agreement field is in the Aloha Spirit, clear minded, open hearted, in-da-flow yet mindful-responsible-&-respectful, tobacco and alcohol free, fun and interactive while on the mellow, quiet side.

REQUESTED DONATION: \$595/person - or - \$495/person in a couple or for groups of 3 or more coming together.





LOGISTICS

• Declare your intention to participate by email asap - alohahawaii108@gmail.com - and let us know your interests, questions, and contact info.

• Invite your friends/partners to join you!

• When we have received confirmation from seven people planning to participate - we will let you know right away. Then it's time for you to:

- Send your payment (Credit Card or PayPal) at <https://www.paypal.me/Leveys> and complete our registration form (we'll send you details with our confirmation.)

- Book your travel to Kona airport (KOA) on the Big Island of Hawaii. For flights we usually shop Orbitz, Travelocity, Hawaiian, and Alaska websites to find the best deals.

- Plan to arrive **Saturday March 2nd** and depart **Sunday March 10**. (We are happy to offer additional nights before or after for \$60/night if space is available.)

We'll also link you up with the others who are coming and invite you to explore potential creative synergies, and opportunities for shared rental cars.

Info & Questions:

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**Consider Bringing Your Team
For a "Workation in Paradise" - Dates TBD**

We welcome whole working teams and offer discounts for 6 or more people attending together. For teams, we can provide the basic package listed above - **plus** - we can also make arrangements to provide meals, as well as support your team with skilled facilitation.

Depending on the needs and interests of your team, a number of venues are worthy of consideration, so please contact us to explore the possibilities and costs.

Our facilitation services may include:

- Visioning and strategic planning;
- Developing creative synergy for breakthroughs in innovation, collective wisdom, and creative intelligence;
- Team development - increasing trust, mutual supportiveness, alignment, attunement, and synergy;
- Facilitating truly meaningful and productive meetings with just the right blend of focused work and spontaneous fun;
- Facilitating "messy meetings" exploring tough topics and getting unstuck as a creative team;
- Team renewal and nurturing;
- Exploring themes that develop your individual and collective capacity for change resilience, personal-mastery, mind-fitness, mindful leadership, extraordinary teamwork, collective wisdom, and creative intelligence....plus....
- Guided adventures to sacred sites and local places of wonder.

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We warmly welcome bookings and vacation rental inquiries. Contact us to explore the possibilities!

Malama Pono (May you nurture harmony and balance)))

