



## HILTON BORA BORA NUI RESORT & SPA

### *Secluded with Endless Horizon Views*

What makes this resort so special and so different from the others is its location in relation to the main island of Bora Bora. Built around a sacred and legendary cove of white sand and majestic lava rock, the resort rises above what James Michener called "the most beautiful lagoon in the world." Unlike others with a view to Bora Bora, here the skyline meets the turquoise lagoon and the two blend beautifully to create one endless horizon.

Bora Bora Nui Spa suites are situated among palm trees on a terraced hillside overlooking the resort's private cove and to the lagoon beyond. The Spa is housed hilltop with spectacular 360-degree view of Bora Bora's famous Mt. Otemanu and the islands of Taha'a and Raiatea.

The open-air treatment pavilions are built into the top of the black lava hill. Each has its own Jacuzzi for two and overlooks the resort's 16 acres. If you are inclined to visit the Spa, reserve a Hillside Spa Villa and receive your Spa treatments in-villa.

Of the 120 spacious suites, over 80 are overwater and most generous in size. The interiors are sumptuously decorated in dark mahogany and an inviting four-poster bed dominates. A cream billowing canopy over the bed creates a dreamy feel to the romantic scene.

Rattan pieces, hand-printed tapa cloths, and chandeliers made from highly polished oyster shells add an Island touch. The large Italian marble bathrooms are a bright contrast to the living areas. Viewing panels to the marine life below line the bathtub. Full-length doors lead to the outdoor deck equipped with day beds and ample space for dining, chatting and snoozing.

Two overwater duplex villas are the envy of the lagoon. With a living room, two bedrooms, outdoor lap pool and spa treatment room on the second level.

Overall the atmosphere at this resort is relaxing and quietly refined. Bora Bora Nui is a large resort however cleverly retains a feeling of exclusivity and relative emptiness, even when the occupancy can be high. During the day guests are reluctant to leave their Villa. In the evening buggies quietly whisk guests to the heart of the resort; the bar and dining spots gently lit with flaming Polynesian torches create a hint of South Pacific. Dining at Bora Bora Nui can be as casual or smart as you wish. Imagine dining with your toes in the sand at the barefoot restaurant.

✈ 50 mins + 🚤 30 mins

*main pic aerial view; right from top views from the spa; Overwater interior; by the pool; and breakfast.*

