# SPICE AND PRICE

## **Choosing Your Adult Travel Vacation**

Choosing an adult travel vacation cam be somewhat a challenge. This simple rating system can help you focus in on different types of resorts.

We have three broad categories for each major adult vacation we offer:

- Spice
- Quality
- Price

The staff at Castaways Travel is highly skilled in helping you with the decisions. Please call us at 800 470-2020 and we can help.

#### Spice

Spice is probably the most important factor in selecting your vacation destination. Each of us individually, and as a couple have a comfort zone regarding spice. Understanding that comfort zone and choosing a vacation where you are comfortable can really make for a wonderful vacation.

Castaways Travel uses a 5-point scale for spice and the chili as a symbol for the spiciness of a destination. The intent is to quantify your desire for nudity, sensuality and sexuality at an adult resort. There is a very wide range for individuals and couples - and there are destinations to match your interests and desires.

One-chili people are primarily interested in an adults-only resort (no kids) where they can relax. These resorts may have a nude beach available, but nudity is not resortwide, <u>Couples Resorts</u> is a classic example of a one-chili resort. They have three resorts across the globe that are sure to impress.

Two-chili folks would probably by OK with Couples Resorts. But, if they are nudists they will be happier at a resort like <u>Hidden Beach</u> where the entire property

is clothing optional. For those on a budget, <u>Temptation</u> in Cancun is worth a peek as well.

Three-chili adventurers are looking to add a bit of spice to their lives. Sensuality is certainly at play and the prospect of sexuality is enticing. <u>Desire</u> <u>Resorts</u> and <u>Intima Resorts</u> both offer an interesting mix of sensuality and sexuality depending upon your level of interest.

Four-chili vacationers are tending towards a greater focus on sexuality. They are actively seeking situations where they can explore their desires. You will be comfortable at <u>Desire</u> and <u>Intima</u>, but may wish to dip your toes in <u>Hedonism</u> (if you are ready for an adventure).

**J J J J Five-chili** travelers are primarily looking for sexual situations. If you are looking for a fun party, go to <u>Hedo</u>. If you want fancier digs, and a higher-end destination take a look at <u>Desire Resorts</u>.

#### Can't decide?

Take a look at our clothing optional cruises. On a ship takeover, you can choose your level of spice based on the area of the ship you visit. Take a look at our <u>webpage about</u> nude cruises.

### Quality – It's All in the Stars



We are familiar with the star rating for quality. While these ratings are subjective, they are a good guide and should be considered relative to the adult travel industry.

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Three-star resorts are clean and safe, usually nice, with pools and amenities that you would expect in a resort destination. Hedo in Jamaica is an example of a three-star resort. People choose Hedo for the tropical ambiance and the open-minded nature of the guests. If your vacation desires are fine resorts, you have to adjust those expectations if you want to join the party in Negril.

Would expect at similar four-star resorts like a Marriot. <u>Desire Resorts</u> certainly are in the four-star category.

There is only one "true" five-star resort in the adult travel category and that is <u>Hidden Beach</u> which is operated by the company that owns El Dorado Resorts, a four-star resort and sister property. Hidden Beach, is a totally private, clothing-optional resort that is elegant and exquisite. All guests of Hidden Beach can enjoy the restaurants and amenities at El Dorado which is not clothingoptional.

#### Price

While price and quality often go hand in hand, sometimes there is a slight shift up or down when prices are higher or lower based on the other qualities of individual resorts. As mentioned elsewhere, Group Trips are often the best price point for value shoppers.

S Castaways Travel does not represent any very budget resorts as we feel the quality is insufficient for our clients.

Temptation Resort in Cancun is a real value and offers three-star quality at a lower price point. Budget \$100 per person, per night, double occupancy and up in this price category. These rates are all-inclusive.

\$ \$ \$ \$ Many resorts fall into this pricing category including Hedo, Desire Resorts, and many others. The exclusivity and desirability of these clothingoptional resort destinations justify the price for many people. We would place most nude cruises in this same price category. Budget \$200 per person, per night, double occupancy and up in this price category. These rates are all-inclusive.

**\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$** Hidden Beach Resort commands the highest price point for adult travel vacation destination. Most people feel this five-star is worth the money for the ultimate value they provide. Budget \$285 and up, per person, per night, double occupancy and up in this price category. These rates are all-inclusive.

