SUGGESTED READING AND WEB-SITES FOR THAILAND

Thailand reading


- **Travelers’ Tales Thailand: True Stories** - Various authors - Collection of modern travel essays on Thailand

- **Thailand, A Short History** - David K Wyatt - Thailand’s history is fascinating and complex, this book provides a useful overview

- **Nancy Chandler’s Map of Bangkok** - Nancy Chandler - Long-time Bangkok resident and designer Nancy Chandler is a Thai institution. Her map is the ultimate guide to the secrets and sights of the city

- **Thai Ways** - Denis Segaller - A concise and entertaining peek into the psyche and cultural traditions of the Thai people

Books suggested by Amazon

- **Thailand: A Short History** by David K. Wyatt
- **Siam Mapped: A History of the Geo-Body of a Nation** by Thongchai Winichakul
- **Thailand: Buddhist Kingdom as Modern Nation-State** by Charles F. Keyes
- **National Identity and Its Defenders: Thailand Today** by Craig J. Reynolds
- **Forest Recollections: Wandering Monks in Twentieth-Century Thailand** by Kamala Tiyavanich
- **Buddhadasa: Theravada Buddhism and Modernist Reform in Thailand** by Peter A. Jackson
- **Me and Mine: Selected Essays of Bhikkhu Buddhadasa (Suny Series in Buddhist Studies)**
- **The balancing act: A history of modern Thailand** by Joseph J. Wright
- **A History of Thailand** by Christopher John Baker
- **Patterns and illusions: Thai history and thought**

Thailand surfing

- www.bangkokpost.net - A great resource for Thai and South-East Asian news

- www.jj247.com - Website of Bangkok’s Chatuchak Weekend Market, the world’s biggest weekend market

- www.siam-society.org - Society of historians, academics, conservationists and anthropologists with a special interest in Thailand and South-East Asia

- www.gibbonproject.org - A Phuket-based organisation set up to rehabilitate gibbons to the wild

- www.fatherjoe.org - Father Joseph Maier has lived among the poor in Thailand since 1967 helping the neediest members of society
www.bkkmetro.com - Bangkok listings magazine

www.tourismthailand.org - Website of the Tourism Authority of Thailand providing information for visitors to the kingdom

www.jimthompsonhouse.com - The legendary silk magnate mysteriously disappeared in 1967 but the silk business that bears his name and his former home are well-known to visitors to the kingdom

Additional sites that are recommended:

- http://travel.cnn.com/thailand
- http://wherethailand.com/
- http://www.tourismthailand.org/
- https://th-th.facebook.com/richardbarrowthailand
- http://www.eatingthaifood.com/
- http://www.bangkok101.com/
- http://bk.asia-city.com/
- http://www.foodrepublic.com/tags/bangkok
- http://www.thephuketinsider.com/
- http://www.thephuketnews.com/
- http://www.wheretoeat-phuket.com/
- http://www.phuket101.net
- http://www.chiangmaicitynews.com/
- http://www.chiangmai-mail.com/
- http://www.chiangmainews.com/